

MANAGERS BOSS BOYS FROM BENCH

With Jack Veiock, International News Sports Editor. New York, April 10.—With the exception of Jack Berry, at Boston, playing managers have passed from the major leagues, and Barry does not expect to continue as a player many seasons.

COMPLETE PLANS FOR OPENING DAY

Efforts at making opening day of the Southern League season next Friday in New Orleans the greatest day of baseball in local history are seemingly due to be successful at last. That there will be an attendance of 15,000 fans is freely predicted, and that this will be a safe margin over anything that Birmingham and Atlanta, our most dangerous rivals, can show is almost a certainty.

TODAY'S ENTRIES AT OKLAWN TRACK

Table of horse races for today at Oklawm track, including first, second, third, fourth, and fifth races with horse names, weights, and odds.

DARCY TO START WORK THURSDAY

Fred Gilmore, manager of Lee Darcy, came over yesterday from Bay St. Louis and engaged sparring partners for the antipodean wonder.

Jeff Smith, the Bayonne boy, who is the only middleweight in the world who ever defeated Darcy, will arrive this morning from New York.

CIVIL DISTRICT COURT

- New Suits. Mrs. Annah Brinkley vs. James Brinkley, her husband, authorization to re-marry; Lorenzo Dasto vs. Jeanne Dossalles, divorce; Paul M. Wilbert vs. Josephine Dudas, his wife, divorce; Alice Cantrell vs. Henry Cantrell, divorce; Vincent Quarrella vs. Dr. William G. Troesch, damages, personal injuries \$3,058.40; Edward E. Spoel vs. M. and Mrs. Samuel M. Todd, claim \$11,180; Mrs. Jules Savoie, widow, vs. Jaubert and Rene Savoie, alimony; Fairchild Motor Car Company, Inc., vs. Zelon Dry Cleaning Company, contract, \$15,350; The John Iglettroom Company, vs. Vincent S. Dautoni, et al, claim \$27,117; Parker-Brewner Company vs. Vincent S. Dautoni, et al, claim \$12,288; Philip H. Sizeler vs. Odenwald and Gros Co., Ltd., damages, personal injuries, \$1,500; Irma Cunningham, emancipation.

TODAY'S ENTRIES AT BOWIE TRACK

Table of horse races for today at Bowie track, including first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth races with horse names, weights, and odds.

HERMAN TO BOX COULON IN MAY

Pete Herman, bantam champion of the world, and Johnny Coulon, former holder of the title, were practically matched yesterday for a fifteen-round fight in New Orleans next month.

Wash made the statement that Coulon would make Herman quit in fifteen rounds, and Gargano hotly presented the statement. The result was that Dominick Tortovich, who happened to be in the vicinity, stepped in and settled the argument by offering to stage the match.

Herman will get a \$5,000 guarantee and a percentage privilege. Coulon is so cocksure he will win from Herman that he took a smaller guarantee and a percentage privilege. The date is yet to be selected, but as Herman and Coulon have engagements elsewhere for the next two weeks makes it certain that the bout will not be staged before the first week in May.

KNOCKOUT MARS ARRIVES TO-DAY

Knockout Mars, the Cincinnati walloping marvel, will arrive in New Orleans to-morrow to start the wind-up portion of his training period for the bout Monday night with Kid Koster at the Orleans Club.

Mars is no stranger to local fans, having fought here in other days, and is quite popular here. Koster is going through his daily paces in good fashion and getting into the best trim of his career.

COLLEGE APPRENTICES FOR SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Atlanta Ga., April 10.—Opportunity for ambitious young men, university graduates preferred, to secure training which will fit them for responsible positions in the freight department of the Southern Railway system is offered through the apprentice squad which that railway has organized in its general freight office in Atlanta.

VITAL STATISTICS

- Births. Mrs. George Hicks, a girl, 738 Foucher street. Mrs. Joseph Hummel, a boy, 8210 Poplar street. Mrs. Grant Henderson, a boy, 1601 Howard street. Mrs. Joseph Glade, a girl, 3130 N. Claiborne street. Marriages. Walter Goldman and Miss Marie Lalanne. Louis Labidou and Leonore St. Cyr. Samuel Brun and Katie Barrou. Henry Fair and Miss Josephine Arendt. Deaths. Catherine Cochrons, 75 years. Mrs. Denis Campbell, 41 years. Joseph Emmons, 60 years, 1133 Royal street. John Culligan, 37 years, Charity Hospital. (Sister M. Angela) Anna Hugenberg, 61 years. William O'Neill. Edward Exum, 27 years, Touro Infirmary. Bernardine McCue, 40 years, 1716 Encampment. Edna Marcelin, 1 year 700 General Taylor street.

OPENING OF BIG LEAGUE SEASON

By International News Service. New York, April 10.—It seems as if baseball troubles are never over. Just after the Fraternity had been done for, the most temperamental star had come to terms and the spring training season had ended with prospects the rosiest for a successful season, along comes Old Man War and throws a wet blanket over the whole layout.

Not that the magnates or the players are kicking. They are all patriotic and even ready to give up the national pastime entirely if it should seem advisable. Few of the fans are grumbling, either, most of them not having yet waked up to the fact that their favorite spectacle is in any danger of closing its doors. It is, therefore, with old-time enthusiasm that the crowds of the faithful will pile out to eight major league parks for the opening of the National and American leagues season to-morrow.

T-night talk of industrial mobilizations, U-boat chasers, 42-centimeter guns and expeditionary forces had to give way for a few hours, at least, in the American home while the good old dope was inspected as of yore. Long-range bets were in order, for your true fan can never be too early with perverted support of his own darling among the nines.

Right here in New York, for instance it was the boast of many a conscientious reader of the sporting page that the metropolis will have three prime aggregations of ball tossers and sluggers this summer.

Prospects seem bright for Uncle Wilbert Robinson's collection of bridge-crossers and the daughter Yankee, as well as the Giants, and their peerless (certain in salary) leader, "Muggsy" McGraw. Who knows? Perhaps in every other big league town similar fond hopes are harbored. Most of them will be shattered ere many a moon passeth, but (we feel poetical) while there's life there's hope.

But the dope season ends definitely with to-night's session. To-morrow it must yield place to facts, statistics, box scores and the real thing.

The experience of the past doesn't give much comfort to the dopsters. What a team or a player has done one year isn't a criterion of how he'll perform another summer. Every manager has used his utmost wits and all the resources his club owner could be wheedled into expending to buy new blood.

On the eve of hostilities these vague musings are about all the dope seems to be worth to one who has contributed his full quota of this ethereal commodity in the last cold months. Come on—let's see what they can do? That's how we feel.

SUFFRAGISTS TO HELP WAR BY PATCHED SHOES

By International News Service. Philadelphia, April 10.—The patched shoe is the latest wrinkle among suffragists here. It's a patriotic wave. They've adopted resolutions to go without the new \$10 footwear this season and instead they'll turn the money over to a fund for national preparedness.

PRINCESS OFFERS U. S. TO FLY OWN AEROPLANE

By International News Service. Los Angeles, April 10.—Princess In-Itla, daughter of a wealthy tribal chief and an enthusiastic aviator, has offered her services to the Government in event of war. She owns a Martin tractor biplane.

RACING RESULTS AT OKLAWN TRACK

Hot Springs, Ark., April 10.—The following are the racing results Tuesday at Oklawm Park: FIRST RACE—For 2-year-olds; four furlongs; Enfilade, Borel, 2; Nepe, Lyke, 4-5; Big Enough, Buxton, 7. Time, 1:28 3-5. Scratches: Wow, Little Monard, Dickie W. SECOND RACE—Claiming; for four-year-olds and upwards; five and one-half furlongs. Josefina Zarate, Scherer, 2; Corky, Moleworth, 10; Souvenir, Hanover, 11-5. Time, 1:07 1-5. Scratches: Jungle, Gray's Favorite, Lady Mildred, Ellen Smyth,lops. THIRD RACE—Claiming, handicap for three-year-olds and up; one mile, Little String, Hanover, 9-5; Gordon Russell, Cooper, 4; Baby Lynch, Dominick, 30. Time, 1:41. No scratches. FOURTH RACE—Three-fourths mile, Douglas S., Buxton, 10; Bryner, Scherer, 5; Thirst, Merree, 5. Scratches: Toolies, Elizabeth McNaughton. Time 1:14 4-5. FIFTH RACE—One mile, Scrutitioner, Lyke, 2 1-2; King K. Moles, 3; Easter Greetings, Borel, 5. Scratches: Edna F. Time 1:42. SIXTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards, Bogart, Hearn, 6-5; Paymaster, A. Carroll, 8; Stonehenge, Dominick, 4. Track fast.

FATHER OF SKYSCRAPER NOW A BANKRUPT

By International News Service. New York, April 10.—That great mechanical geniuses often fail to realize their just dues was illustrated again when an involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed here against Kimball & Ruosa, architects and builders, the members of which are Francis H. Kimball and Frederick H. Ruosa. Mr. Kimball, who has been called the father of the skyscraper, is one of the best known American architects. He designed many of this city's most impressive structures.

MISS WILSON TO SING FOR RED CROSS

By International News Service. Washington, April 10.—Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of President Wilson, will do her part toward preparedness and will contribute her musical talent for the benefit of the United States army and navy. Miss Wilson has gone to New York to complete arrangements for a series of concerts in the South. She will contribute her share of the proceeds from these concerts for use in Red Cross relief work among soldiers and sailors.