

# SPORTS NEWS AND FEATURES

## BUD THOMAS AND KID WILLIAMS TO BATTLE AT LEGION STADIUM

### Popular Scrapper To Stage Return Go For L. V. Fans

Delos Kid Williams of New Orleans will meet Sailor Bud Thomas of Las Vegas in the ten round main event at the Legion stadium Friday night.

**SENSATIONAL BOYS**  
Williams and Thomas boxed a sensational ten round draw at the stadium two months ago. Since their first encounter the fans have been asking to see Thomas and Delos Williams in a return match.

Williams, a veteran warrior, has met Newsboy Brown, Fidel La Barba, Kid Francis, Speedy Dodo and other headliners.

Thomas has kayed six opponents in Las Vegas. Williams was the only boy to go the limit with Bud in a local ring, and Bud will be trained to the minute and be in the firing pit throwing dangerous punches at Williams from going to go.

**SECURES TRAINER**  
Thomas has secured the services of Melvin Anderson, veteran trainer of boxers, to condition him for his return go with Williams.

The balance of the card is: Indian Johnny Smith vs. Johnny Brown, 6 rounds; Red Baily vs. Merwin Hunting, 4 rounds; Stonewall Jackson vs. Al Brown, 4 rounds; Flash Ulom vs. Ace Heckethorn, 6 rounds.

## YANKEE HORSE IS FAVORED IN DERBY

**EPSOM DOWNS**, England, May 25. (AP)—From thirty-six nominations in 1780 to 404 this year is the record of England's derby race to be renewed June 3 with two American horses among the favorites.

Down to the last acceptance date, 192 of the 404 nominated remained in the race, but by June 2, the final acceptance date, the field is expected to be reduced by fifty or seventy-five more, leaving about the usual score of starters facing the barrier.

Entered often as soon as they are foaled, the colts will carry 126 pounds and fillies 121, arbitrary weights assigned by stewards of the Jockey club.

This year's nominations thus far not scratched include King George's Ashbridge by Gainsborough out of Strained Glass, one of the seven horses entered which were sired by Gainsborough, which won the 1918 renewal of the historic race.

American hopes center on William Woodward's American-bred Sir Andrew, by Sir Gallahad II out of Gratale, and Marshall Field's Jacopo, an English-bred horse.

Sir Andrew demonstrated his possibilities as a contender when he galloped home ahead of ten other derby eligibles to win the Newmarket stakes.

**CO-EDS IN JAPAN**  
TOKIO, May 25. (AP)—For the first time in Japan, the portals of technological university are to be opened to girl students. The Tokio University of Technology hereafter will accept their registrations. The only institutions of higher learning where women are now admitted as regular students are the Imperial universities of Kyushu and Tohoku and Meiji university.

### Baseball Results

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Firs. game			
New York	2	8	0
Philadelphia	4	8	1
Batteries: Johnson and Dickey; Grove and Cochrane.			

	R	H	E
Second game			
New York	4	6	1
Philadelphia	16	16	0
Batteries: Sherit and Dickey; Mahaffey and Cochrane.			

	R	H	E
Chicago	6	10	1
Cleveland	7	13	3
Batteries: Thomas, McKain and Tate; Hudlin and Myatt.			

Washington - Boston, postponed, rain.  
Detroit-St. Louis, played double header.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Pittsburgh	6	3	3
Chicago	9	11	5
Batteries: Kramer, Grant and Phillips; Swedland and Hartnett.			

No other games scheduled.

### LACROSSE TITLE CREDITED TO U. S.

OXFORD, England, May 25. (AP)—Oxford university's lacross team, including six American stars, won the England lacross championship by defeating Stockport, 8 to 6, at Manchester.

It was largely the brilliance of the American stars that carried Oxford to its championship.  
Americans on the team were L. E. Farinholi, Johns Hopkins; M. A. MacIntyre, Yale; L. P. Giddens, Alabama; J. J. McDonough, Chicago; W. E. Derryberry, Tennessee; and D. E. Hudgins, North Carolina.

**GOLD TEAM FOR COE CEDAR RAPIDS**, Ia., May 25. (AP)—For the first time in Coe college's history the school will have a golf team this year.

### SPENCER EASES FEAR OVER RUEL

There were misgivings in Washington baseball circles last winter when it was learned that the Senators' stars had shipped their reliable little catcher, Harold (Muddy) Ruel to the Red Sox.

As late as this spring a lot of the critics were wondering what Walt Johnson's team would do for a catching staff when the going got rough. Roy Spencer has given them the answer.

Spencer, who hit only 255 in ninety-three games last year, has been the mainspring of the team's attack for the first month of the campaign. Catching eighteen of the Senators' first twenty-one games, he compiled an impressive batting average of .385. Included in his first twenty-five hits were numerous doubles and triples that drove in runs when they were sorely needed.

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## RELAY MARKS SHIVER BEFORE TROJANS; QUARTER MILE RECORD LATEST VICTIM

By PAUL IZMERMERMAN (Associated Press Sports Writer)  
LOS ANGELES, May 25.—Providing the University of Southern California sprint relay team receives world recognition of its 40.8 seconds quarter-mile race at Fresno, Cal., the Trojans will hold a monopoly on the records for short baton passing races.

In 1928, the team of Borah, Smith House and Lewis scurried through the 880-relay race in 1 minute and 25.8 seconds and the mark received the International Amateur Athletic Federation's sanction.

Then Frank Wyckoff came to the Trojan institution as Charles Borah, star of the other combination, departed. Wyckoff, whose mark of 9.4 seconds for the hundred yard dash awaits international approval, ran anchor in the recent race which bettered by 2-10 of a second the record set by Bowman Currie, Fappas and Cumming of the Newark Athletic club in the 1927 national A. A. U. meet at Lincoln Neb.

Milton Maurer, Maurice Guyer and Roy Delby were Wyckoff's accomplices in the recent speed excursion, all of whom take the hundred in less than 10 seconds with regularity.

Coach Dean Cromwell's team will also make application for the 400-meter mark at 40.8 seconds, which ties the present record set by the German national team in Berlin in 1928, inasmuch as the distance is less than 440 yards.

And while the Trojans are about the business of applying for official recognition, they will ask that the American high hurdle shuttle race record be theirs. Bill Stokes, Joe Bills, Albert Vignolo and John Maffat traveled the barrier route in one minute six-tenths seconds at Fresno recently, whereas the Ohio State quartet of Pierce, Crooks, Petersilge and Rockaway, now credited with the best performance, ran the same distance in one minute and eight-tenths seconds.

### SCHULMERICH BIG FIND FOR BRAVES

Six solid hits in three days, including a game-winning home run and a triple. That was Wesley Schulmerich's formal introduction to the major league.

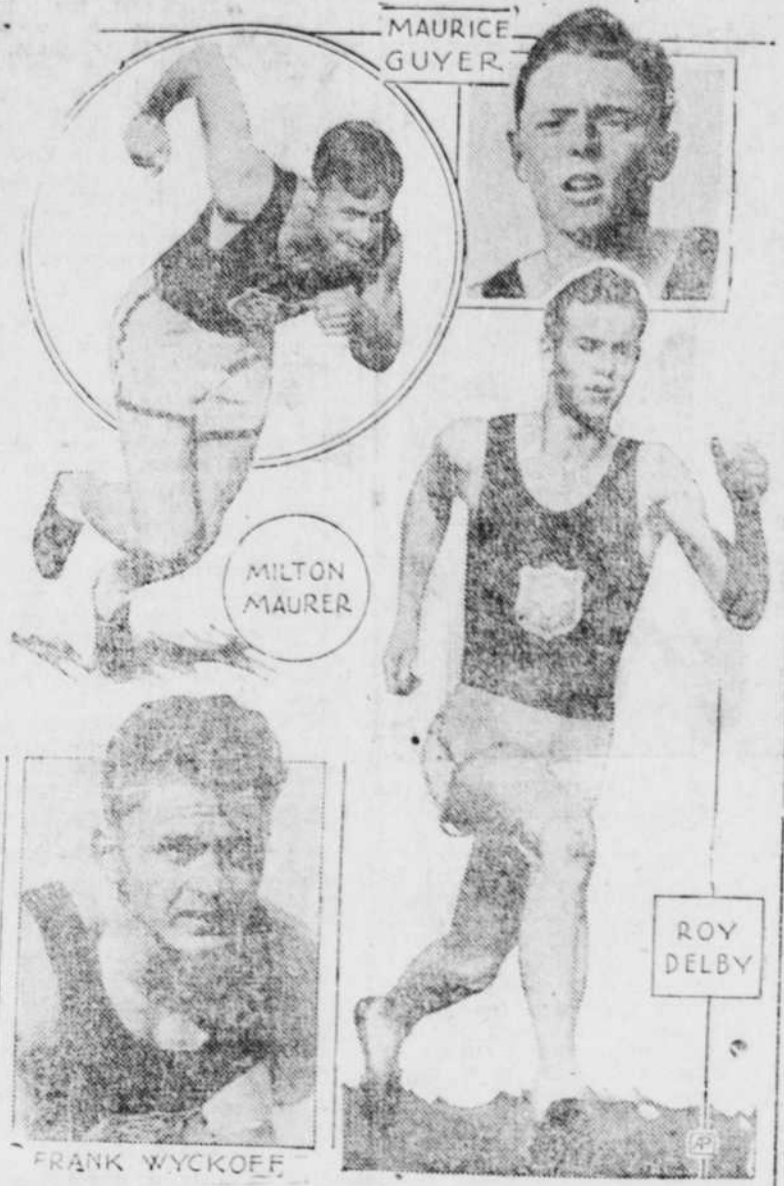
Held out for the first three weeks of the current campaign because of a back injury and the rumor that curve balls made him dizzy, the 28-year-old slugger did not appear in the Boston Braves' line-up until May 4.

On that day he got only one hit in four tries, but it grove in a run that eventually licked the Phillies. The next day he really got going, banging a homer, a triple and single.

In Schulmerich the Braves apparently have rounded out one of the hardest hitting outfielders in the National league. Wally Berger and "Red" Worthington have been hitting at a tremendous clip.

### Play Without Pay Is Prospect of Holdout

ST. LOUIS, May 25. (AP)—The theory of holding out, of course, is to aid the family exchequer, but it doesn't always work out that way, as "Chick" Hafey is now well aware.



No one less than a sub-ten second man need try out for the University of Southern California quarter-mile relay team. The four Trojans pictured above who run the event are in that class. They have applied for a world's record on the basis of a recent 49.8 performance.

Holding out this year cost the Cardinal slugger \$2,095.80. During the twenty-eight days Hafey was absent, the Cards played only eighteen games, ten being postponed, which means the outfielder, although already "docked" for the days on which the postponed games were scheduled, will nevertheless play in those contests later—without pay.

Instead of the \$12,500 the Cardinals offered him, Hafey will receive \$10,404.20 for the season. However, this is \$404.20 more than the original offer to him before the salary argument began.

**AT SERVICES**  
Bishop Bryan L. Bunker spent the week-end in Overton, where he attended and took part in the high school baccalaureate services.

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## ON THE SIDELINES

by Brian Bell

Law Moreing, owner of the Sacramento club of the Pacific Coast league, is said to have refused an offer of \$20,000 and a pitcher for Henry Steinbacher, his sensational young outfielder.

Steinbacher, who is only 18 years of age, has been playing great ball for the Senators.  
Manager Stanley Harris of the Detroit Tigers was impressed by the youngster's work in the spring and President Frank J. Navin sought an option on his services, but was not successful. Moreing doesn't like options, and there's a reason.

### THAT OPTION HURT

Bill Eskick, scout for the New York Yankees, took an option on Myril Hoag, an outfielder, for \$25,000 and a pitcher. Later Dick Kinsella in behalf of the New York Giants, is said to have offered \$75,000 and three players for Hoag and another major league club was prepared to go even higher.  
Steinbacher, who was signed by Sacramento last year, is a good ground coverer, fast, and can hit. These qualities are all any ball player needs, and if he continues to impress the visiting firemen from the major leagues, Moreing will get much more than \$20,000 and a pitcher for his services. In any event, the owner will not sell him now.

### "TWO BITS" BASEBALL?

"Two bits baseball" may reappear in the Pacific Coast league, J. H. Patrick, president of the Los Angeles club, has written to his fellow directors of the league suggesting that the price of bleacher seats be reduced from 50 to 25 cents.

It has been many many years since a Pacific Coast league game could be witnessed for the small outlay of 25 cents. Time was when the bleacher fans outnumbered by a healthy margin, but in recent years there are far more grandstanders than bleacherites in the Far West.  
President Patrick pointed out

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