

# CARDS AND A'S FAVORED BY FANS AS CHAMPS

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ST. LOUIS, March 14 (U.P.)—The St. Louis Cardinals and Philadelphia Athletics are odds-on favorites to repeat their major league baseball championships, and there is little betting except on these clubs, Tom Kearney, veteran St. Louis betting commissioner told the United Press today.

It is even money that both the Cards and A's will win the 1932 pennants. You can get odds of 1 to 4 that the A's will finish second, but can't even get a bet that the A's will finish any further down the list. Its 2 to 5 that the Cards finish second, and 1 to 5 that they are third.

Injuries to stars or protracted holdouts may cause changes in his chart of odds, Kearney pointed out. Most of the early money is on the teams rated as likely finishers in the first divisions. In this connection it is interesting to observe that no prices are offered against the Yankees and Senators, in addition to the Athletics, to finish in third place.

either league, according to Kearney. There is no "dark horse" in either league, according to Kearney. The Chicago Cubs and Brooklyn Dodgers are, however credited with the greatest improvement during the winter.

Those who like to play long shots may get \$100 for each dollar they place on the Cincinnati Reds in the National league, or the Chicago White Sox or Boston Red Sox in the American, if any of those clubs should win pennants. The St. Louis Browns are rated a 50 to 1 chance to represent the American league in the next world series.

The current betting odds:

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
St. Louis	1-1	2-5	1-0
New York	5-2	7-10	1-4
Brooklyn	3	1-1	2-5
Chicago	4	3-2	1-2
Pittsburgh	10	3	1-1
Boston	40	10	3
Philadelphia	40	10	3
Cincinnati	100	30	10
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Philadelphia	1	2	3
New York	1-1	1-4	—
Washington	3-2	2-5	—
Washington	4	11	—
Cleveland	8	2	1-2
Detroit	40	12	3
St. Louis	50	20	8
Boston	100	30	10
Chicago	100	30	10

**MONDAY IN CONGRESS**

By United Press

SENATE  
Passed resolution directing the reconstruction finance corporation to make available to the secretary of agriculture an additional \$125,000,000 for loans to farmers.  
Senator Wagner, Dem., N. Y., introduced a bill authorizing a bond issue of \$1,000,000,000 for immediate construction of building projects already approved by congress.  
Authorized the judiciary committee to investigate the department of justice's "action or inaction" in the case of the Union Mortgage Co., of Cleveland, O., accused of fraudulent use of the mails.  
Urging favorable action on the Davis-Kelly bill enabling coal companies to restrict competition. Senator James Davis, Rep., Pa., said stabilization of the bituminous coal industry would help business generally.

HOUSE  
Voted 227 to 187 against considering the Beck-Linthicum resolution calling for submission to the states of an amendment returning to the states control of the liquor traffic.  
Resumed consideration of the billion dollar tax bill.  
Insular affairs committee reconsidered the Philippines bill and approved a report making independence effective without a plebiscite in about eleven years.  
Voted 258 to 115 to confer full legislative authority upon the economy committee sponsored by the Democrats to report a bill for consolidating and eliminating government bureaus.

# NEWS OF THE SPORT WORLD

## BASEBALL BITS

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 14 (U.P.)—Pepper Martin, world's series sensation of last fall, scored three runs for the St. Louis Cardinals today when they broke loose from their losing spell of the exhibition series and beat the Boston Braves at Water Front park, 4 to 1.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 14 (U.P.)—Babe Ruth and Colonel Jacob Ruppert, owner of the New York Yankees, had their long-awaited conference today, but it failed to reach any agreement over the Babe's salary.

Ruth quit the conference in a somewhat disconsolate mood. "I told the Colonel what I wanted," Ruth said, "and the Colonel

said he couldn't give it to me. That was all."

Ruppert, on the other hand, was smiling broadly.

WINTERHAVEN, Fla., March 14 (U.P.)—The Phillies took the first game of their spring series with the Athletics today, 5 to 4, in ten innings. A stirring rally in the tenth was climaxed by a single by Leslie Mallon that brought George Knothe home with the winning run.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 14 (U.P.)—Continuation of cold weather prevented the Red Sox from playing the 18-inning game which Manager Shaumo Collins threatened to have today in order to get even on training conditions.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

RETURN TO ST. THOMAS  
Mrs. Robert Marshall, and son spent the weekend in Las Vegas, returning to their home in St. Thomas yesterday.

KING RETURNS  
Ferman King, who has been working for the Union Oil company in Needles the past several weeks, has returned to this city and will continue to work here.

BACK FROM TRIP  
Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Schuyler, Miss Freda Humphrey, Miss Ruth Olmstead and Miss Evelyn McMann have returned from their weekend trip in Death Valley.

TUDENT HEAD RETURNS  
Leland Ward, who represented the high school at the student body conference which was held in Reno the past week, accompanied by Harvey Tate, a graduate of the class of 1930, returned yesterday afternoon.

COMING FOR VISIT  
Lawrence Whiteneck, who is attending Long Beach junior college, will be here Saturday morning to spend a week visiting with Mrs. Marjorie Goodwin and friends.

RICE TO LEAVE  
Ashley Rice, old time resident of Las Vegas will leave Wednesday morning for Albuquerque, N. M., where he will be employed by the highway department.

RETURN HOME  
Mesdames R. Robison, C. D. Walker and Willard Mathews, returned to their home in Caliente Sunday after attending the L. D. S. conference.

FROM TONOPAH  
Ed. Prout, of Tonopah, is spending a few days here on business and greeting friends.

PHYSICIAN VISITS  
Dr. J. C. Cowden of Tonopah spent the week-end in Las Vegas on business, returning to Tonopah yesterday.

VISIT SEARCHLIGHT  
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haygood and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert King motored to Searchlight and return last Sunday.

ATTEND PARLEY  
Mrs. Russell Robinson and Mrs. Clay Walker of Caliente attended the L. D. S. conference here on Sunday. J. M. Dotson, who is employed in Caliente, also spent the week-end in Las Vegas with his family.

ROULAC RETURNS  
A. R. Roulac has returned from Pennsylvania where he has been spending the past month with his brother and sister, who were seriously injured in an automobile accident.

HERE ON SUNDAY  
The following citizens of Bunkerville spent Sunday in Las Vegas attending the L. D. S. conference: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Earl, Albert Leavitt, Parley Hunt, William Leavitt, Hector Bunker and Mrs. Thomas Adams.

WEEK-END GUESTS  
Bishop W. E. Abbott of Mesquite and William Reber and Joe Franer of Littlefield, Ariz., were week-end guests of Mrs. Mina Stewart of this city.

FROM CHICAGO  
James L. Ellis of Chicago, accompanied by his father, was a visitor in Las Vegas and at the dam site yesterday. Ellis is interested in some mining property near this city. They expect to visit Goodsprings today.

MRS. ALBERS LEAVES  
Mrs. Jack Albers, who has been spending the past several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Minnie West-

## OLYMPIC COMEBACK THEIR GOAL



A pair of athletes whose names were in the headlines a few years ago, but who have been out of competition, are hoping to stage comebacks in the 1932 Olympic games. Charles Borah, former intercollegiate sprint champion of the University of So. Calif., who has not been in meets for two years, is in training at Los Angeles. Borah was a member of the last Olympic team and ran on the United States 400 meter relay team which tied the Olympic record at 41 seconds. John Kuck, the mighty man from Kansas, who set a world mark of 52 feet 11-16 inches in winning the 16-pound shot-put at the 1928 games, has begun training at Long Beach for this year's United States team. Kuck has been out of competition for three years, fur-trapping in the north woods. The present world shot-put record is held by Hirschfeld of Germany with a mark of 53 feet 7 1/2 inches.

lake, left today for her home in Glendale, Calif. Mrs. Albers was a graduate of this high school years ago and makes frequent visits to Las Vegas to see her old friends.

VISIT FURNACE CREEK  
Elmer Tucker, accompanied by a group of friends, spent two days at Furnace Creek Inn and Death Valley, returning yesterday afternoon.

shots in competition as he does in practice, he would make some of the low handicap men sit up and take notice.

Ye Ed. took advantage of the wife's absence in Phoenix and bled himself to the Country Club Sunday. You know, "While the cat's away."

A little larger turn out of members is all that is needed to make things lively around the club Sunday.

A very interesting mixed sixsome was played in the afternoon be-

Dr. Park hits them a mile when he is at his best, however he is a little erratic; steadiness will come, Doctor, if you take your time, don't hurry.

Art Ham, I think, is coming down with a bad case of Golfitis, the prodromal symptoms were quite pronounced Sunday. I would like to see the disease become epidemic in Las Vegas. Keep going around among your legal friends, Art, you might possibly infect some of them.

Judge Orr and Bill Pike are the steady files insofar as their attendance record is concerned.

Ed. W. Clark was not in his usual steady form Sunday. Spring fever, perhaps, accounts for it.

Jim Caril is playing the dickens with his handicap, as is John Cahlan. The handicap committee will need a new eraser soon.

If Leo McNamee would play his

## BOWLING SINGLE GOES BY BOARD

DETROIT, March 14 (U.P.)—First place in the singles of the American bowling congress tournament went by the boards late today when Alex Graham, of New Philadelphia, Ohio, put together games of 227, 276 and 216 to total 719 and oust Fritz Baumann, of Columbus, who shot 710 Sunday.

## Rail Splinters

From here to there in about nothing is the record that Trainmaster McKinnon intends to make, and from Las Vegas to Boulder will be the highway that will get burned. No, it is not a U. P. train, nor an airplane, but one of the best looking Chevrolet roadsters that ever hit the pike—and it's brand new and up to date in every way. Many pleasant trips, Mac, and a whole lot of them, official and otherwise.

Myer Garbel is the boy who fixes up the U. P. typewriters, so they will run in tip top style. Mr. Garbel is working from Supt. Knickerbocker's office.

Mrs. Jack Crosbie, wife of Engineer Crosbie, has returned from a trip to southern California, arriving home Monday on train 22. Should have seen that smile Jack wore.

The boys from the round house and car department have to be early risers as trains 19 and 22 have decided to get into Las Vegas between 30 and 40 minutes earlier, this change having been made Sunday morning. How about the early bird boys?

Firemen N. A. Smith, Rudd and Steele have been removed from the firemen's extra board in pursuance to an order to reduce the board three men at this point. Fireman Rudd lost no time but bumped into a job at Caliente. You'll soon hear from Steele and Smith.

Engineer Hile is on the go so much that he has decided to call a halt for a trip or so and take a rest.

Machinist J. P. Johnson of Las Vegas, who is working in Caliente,

If Mrs. W. P. Fulk will call at The Age office she will receive a free ticket, good for today only at El Portal theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Rannow, Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Baker, Mrs. J. P. Hesse and Ye Scribe, the game ending peacefully and everybody happy at the 19th hole.

Mrs. Art Ham, Mrs. Raby Newton and Mrs. Harry Miller played with their respective husbands in the afternoon. No suits for divorce have been filed up to the time of going to press.

A large number of ladies took advantage of Dr. Jeffrey's class of instruction, both of them expressing their thanks at the end of the lesson.

## BABE HERMAN TRADED OFF

NEW YORK, March 14 (U.P.)—Babe Herman, funniest of last year's "funny boys of Flatbush," was punished for his antics today when the Brooklyn Dodgers traded him off to Cincinnati.

Babe, the Dodgers' slugging outfielder, was not only one of the world's great hitters, but he also was becoming an aggravated pain in the neck for officials of the Brooklyn club. While Brooklyn fans had regarded the Babe for five years as a sort of idol and a worthwhile clown, last year they began to turn against him.

It seems the Babe had an unhappy knack of hitting home runs when no one was on base, and then blowing up in emergencies. He circled the bases for a home run, because he had failed to deliver in an earlier inning when the bases were loaded.

## TENNIS MEET IN 4TH ROUND

NEW YORK, March 14 (U.P.)—Faced by that rubber-legged acrobat, Jean Borotra, the thirteen seeded stars of the 33rd annual National indoor tennis championship moved into the fourth round today.

Quietly enough the only luminaries to have any great trouble in progressing were George Lott and Frank Shields, American Davis cup ace, No. 2 and No. 3 in big ten ranking, respectively, and favorites to win the championship. Borotra, Christian Boususs, Sidney Wood, Gregory Mangin and Berkeley Bell soundly thumped less skilled adversaries, but Lott and Shields were being driven hard by Ellsworth Davenport and Lieutenant Richard Watt.

Lott started off at a tremendous pace, taking the first set 6-1, with the loss of a minimum in points. The Chicagoan then either grew careless or lost his stride, and Davenport forced him in 20 games before losing 11-9. Several times in this set it appeared as though the unknown Davenport was going to force the man who gave Vines such a stirring scrap in the final at Forest Hills last September, to extra sets.

Shields had even more trouble than did Lott. Lieutenant Watt, one time naval academy ace, and certainly the finest of the unseeded players, waged a heroic battle before going down 6-4, 11-9.

## HEARST SUIT IS FILED HERE

Alleging extreme cruelty, Dorothy H. Hearst yesterday filed suit for a divorce against John R. Hearst, son of William Randolph Hearst, publisher.

Filing of this action has been expected for some time past, since Hearst brought his wife here and established her in a home. Since that time, young Hearst has several times visited here, and seems to be on friendly terms with Mrs. Hearst.

Helen Cerf Edwards, who secured a divorce here last summer, has also been a visitor of Mrs. Hearst's of late.

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 14 (U.P.)—Bunching their hits for a total of eight runs in two innings, the big guns of the Chicago Cubs battered the New York Giants, 11 to 5, today to even up the count in the four exhibition games played since Friday.

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TWO DAYS MORE AND — ?

**Joe Jinks** comic strip panels:

Panel 1: "GOT YOUR TICKET? I'M RIGHT DOWN IN FRONT WHERE DYNAMITE CAN DUMP TH' GUY IN MY LAP!"

Panel 2: "I WAITED TOO LONG AN' I'VE GOTTA SIT UP IN THE GALLERY OR MISS IT AN' I WON'T MISS THIS ONE! I JUST CAN'T STAY AWAY!!"

Panel 3: "BETCHA TWO TO ONE DYNAMITE KNOCKS THE GUY STIFF, WHOEVER HE IS!—HOW MUCH?"

Panel 4: "SAY! ARE YOU TRYIN' TO CALL ME A SAP?"

Panel 5: "PAPAH! ALL 'BOUT D' BIG MYSTERY FIGHT!!"

Panel 6: "I CAN'T UNDERSTAND THIS! IT DOESN'T SAY WHO HE'S GONNA FIGHT!"