

BAMBINO PUTS NAME TO NEW CONTRACT, \$75,000

PETROLLE SET FOR BAT BOUT

CHICAGO, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—Billy Petrolle, Fargo, N. D., welterweight, worked out here today for his 12-round bout with Christopher "Bat" Battalino, former featherweight champion, in Madison Square Garden March 23. Petrolle apparently has recovered from the neck injury which caused postponement of the battle last week.

Colonel Ruppert had a fountain pen. Fortunately Colonel A. W. Wattenberg, a malt and hops salesman, popped out of nowhere and saved the day. For his foresight, and his fountain pen, Colonel Wattenberg was rewarded with the privilege of being an official witness to the document and later allowed to pose with the signers and Mrs. Ruth.

Ruth and Ruppert were seated for the signing in high backed tapestry chairs before a mahogany table decorated with brass bowls of cut flowers. The background was quite impressive, the low, red-tiled, rose trellised wings of the hotel forming a colorful frame for the scene.

The great Bambino rose from his tapestried chair and announced himself as satisfied with the salary. "Everybody has been taking a cut and I guess I'll have to fall in line," he said. Colonel Ruppert made it plain to me that in reducing my salary he was doing so, not because I was slipping, but because all business is undergoing an economic readjustment."

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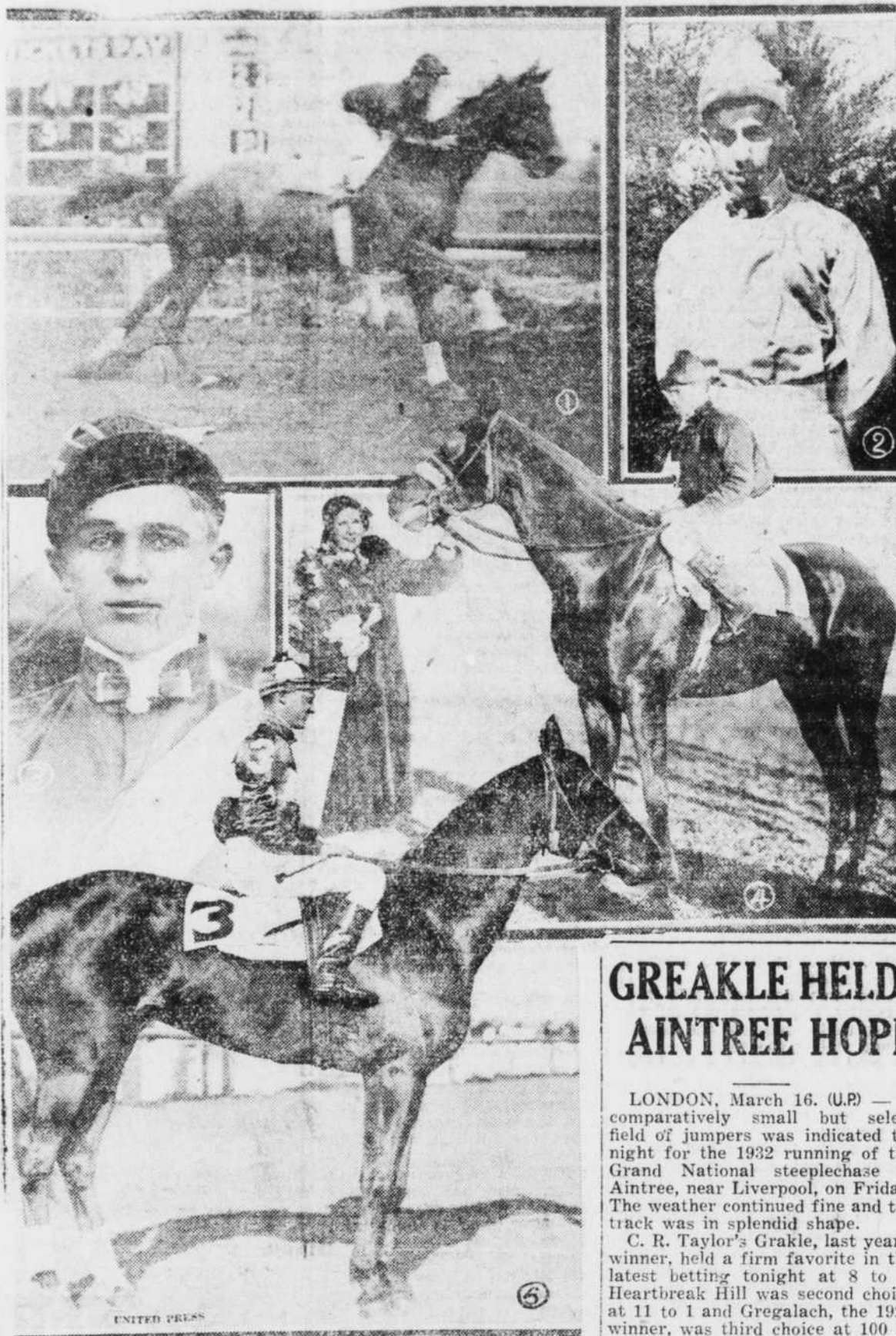
DOG DISCOVERS FLOOD VICTIMS

SEATTLE, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—A dog digging frantically in mud and gravel where Boxley Creek joins the Snoqualmie river attracted the attention of his owner, Hazel Chase. Chase helped the dog dig and uncovered the body of Mrs. Elwood Claggett, one of seven victims of the Edgewood flood February 26. The hat of another victim, Mrs. Ida Moore, also was found but her body was not located.

CIMA P. M. QUIZ TO BE MAR. 19

With only three applications on file so far, a civil service examination for the postmastership at Cima, Calif., will be held here March 19. Announcing the pending examination, Civil Service Clerk Lilla Pistole yesterday pointed out that there is still time to make application. The examination will be held in the court house, in the county commissioner's room adjoining the clerk's office.

Turf Stars And Pilots Ready For Caliente Classic



Here they are—the thoroughbreds that will make the dust fly when they meet in the biggest horse race in western America—the \$50,000 added Agua Caliente handicap, to be run March 20 at the Lower California oval. No. 1 is Phar Lap, famous Australian champion and one of the world's heaviest money winners, snapped in his only American speed test. No. 2, Jockey William Elliott, shown in white silks, will have the boot up on the "red devil." No. 4, Mrs. Raoul Walsh, wife of the film director, is seen holding her husband's candidate, Dr. Freeland, Jockey L. Knapp up. Dr. Freeland, winner of the Preakness, is a foremost contender. No. 5, the horse with No. 3 on his blanket, is Cabezo, famous son of a famous Coffroth handicap winner of the past. Carlaris, Cabezo beat Dr. Freeland in a handicap Sunday. No. 3, Frankie Mann, noted Canadian rider, who will have the leg up on Kenneth Daves' Marine, a son of Man-O-War. He has piloted Marine to six victories at other courses.

BASEBALL BITS

WINTERHAVEN, Fla., Mar. 16. (U.P.)—The Phillies made it three out of four in the Grapefruit league, when they hammered out a 10 to 2 victory at the expense of the Cincinnati Reds today. Ed Holley held the Reds to four widely scattered hits in the first five innings, but Grabowski was hit hard in the final innings, giving way to a rescue hurler in the ninth.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Mar. 16. (U.P.)—Scoring three runs in the eleventh inning, the New York Yankees defeated the Boston Braves, 8 to 5, in an overtime exhibition game today. Babe Ruth, playing his first game of the season, failed to hit. In six trips to the plate, the Babe walked twice, fanned twice, bled out once and was thrown out once on a weak grounder.

LAKELAND, Fla., Mar. 16. (U.P.)—The Brooklyn Dodgers dropped an 8 to 7 decision to the Newark Bears in an exhibition game today. The Striving desperately to overcome a six run lead compiled by the

Bears. Brooklyn scored 5 runs in the ninth inning but fell one run short of tying the score.

DEMPSEY HELD RESPONSIBLE

CHICAGO, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—Three appellate court justices handed down an opinion today holding Jack Dempsey could be held responsible for approximately \$100,000 expenses incurred by the Chicago coliseum club when arrangements were started in 1926 for Dempsey to fight Harry Hills here for the world's championship.

The three judges, Francis Wilson, Oscar Hebel and Hugo Friend, reversed a judgement given last year in circuit court. Judge H. Sterling Pomroy at that time directed a verdict finding Dempsey was not responsible for the club's loss because of his alleged breaking of a contract.

HERMAN SEEKS HIGHER SALARY

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—Babe Herman, who was traded to Cincinnati by the Brooklyn Dodgers after he refused to accept a \$15,000 salary for the 1932 season, will leave for Tampa Friday to discuss terms with Sidney Weil, president of the Reds.

"I don't think we'll have any trouble reaching an agreement," Herman said. "I talked with Weil by long distance telephone last night and he said he was anxious to build up the club. It's probable that I will be playing with the Reds this season."

Herman received \$19,000 last year, and when his offer was cut to \$15,000 he became a holdout, maintaining that he was worth at least as much as Hack Wilson, who was offered \$16,500.

MAIER HELD 7-5 FAVORITE

CHICAGO, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—Dave Maier, Milwaukee southpaw, ruled a 7-5 favorite today to defeat George Nichols, Buffalo southpaw, in their 10-round bout Friday night in the Chicago stadium for recognition as light-heavyweight champion by the National Boxing association. They are survivors in a tournament which drew 32 entries.

On the same card Ben Jely, New York middleweight, meets Frankie Eattaglia, Winnipeg; James J. Braddock, Jersey City heavyweight, faces Baxter Calmes, Wichita, Kans., and Harry Ebbets, Freeport, L. I., light-heavyweight, clashes with Roscoe Manning, Newark, N. J., negro, in three other 10-round bouts.

REQUEST UNHEEDED

PARIS, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—A request made by Sweden that the inquiry into Paavo Nurmi's amateur status be postponed until after the Olympic games this summer was shelved by the International Amateur Athletic federation today.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

LEWIS—TURNER: H. Glenn, 47, and Nola M., 45, both of Los Angeles.

RAMBOUGH—BROYLES: Clayton W., 29, and Thelma, 16 (consent of parents), both of Newberry, Calif.

The first iron furnace and foundry in Cleveland was started in the spring of 1828.

BELL BLASTS BOROTRA OUT OF NET MEET

By HENRY McLEMORE

(United Press Staff Correspondent) NEW YORK, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—Adopting that old baseball maxim "You can't hit 'em when you can't see 'em," Berkeley Bell, the stoop-shouldered Texan, blasted Jean Borotra of France, defending champion, out of the national indoor singles tennis championship today.

Borotra took it on the chin a second time in the doubles, when he and Christian Boususs of France, defending champions lost to William Audelette and Ferris G. Rockefeller. The two New Yorkers defeated the Frenchmen 4-6, 6-3, 7-5, in their third round match.

Borotra, probably the finest covered-court player that ever lived, was able to win but six games in his quarter-final round match with the inspired Bell, losing 6-2, 6-4. The veteran Davis cupper's defeat completely wiped out the French threat, for earlier in the day Christian Boususs had fallen before Gregory Mangin of Newark, 6-3, 6-4, and Antoine Gentien had bowed to Julius Seligson, one time intercollegiate champion from Lehigh, by the same score.

The other fourth round matches Bell and Borotra were a lap ahead of the field—saw Frank Shields defeat Eugene McCauliff, 6-4, 6-4; Sidney B. Wood defeat Harold Gardkin, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4; Frank Borotra defeat Lincoln Halberstadt, 3-6, 6-4, 6-1, and George Lott downed Jennings 6-6, 6-4.


In whipping Borotra today Bell not only gained revenge for the drubbing the Frenchman gave him in the championship round last year but he stamped himself as a Davis cup candidate who will have to be given serious consideration before being tossed into the discard. Playing as he did today he would be a match for anybody, anywhere.

Knowing that Borotra depended upon his net game for success, Bell took the court with but one thing in mind—hit the ball so hard the Frenchman dare not advance into the forecourt for volleys. Borotra did advance, but his rushes were in vain. When he came riding into the net Bell would lash out, both off his forehand and backhand, with passing shots that whistled down the sidelines for placements. These shots, cleverly mixed with tantalizing lobs to the baseline, kept Borotra on the defense throughout the match.

JONES IS THROWN

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 16. (U.P.)—Ray Steele, Glendale heavyweight, won a wrestling match from Paul Jones, of Texas, tonight when Jones was unable to return to the mat after the first fall.

Steele threw him in 40 minutes with a backward body slam after breaking several hook scissors holds. The winner weighed 215 and Jones 210.



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CAN YA TELL WHO HE IS? I DON'T LIKE D'LOOKS OF 'IM! WOT'LL I DO—START 'EM OFF D'FLOOR OR BOX 'IM?

LISTEN!—FEEL HIM OUT TH' FIRST ROUND AN' THEN GO AFTER HIM LIKE HAMAS TOOK EMANUEL!

WHO IS HE?

JOE'S RIGHT! I'LL LOOK DIS GUY OVER DIS ROUND AN' DEN SHOOT D'WORKS AT 'IM!

C'MON PETE! WORK 'IM OVER!

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