

The Sports Trail

By WHITNEY MARTIN

NEW YORK, April 19.—(AP)—One swallow doesn't make a summer, nor one page a book, so performance in the first Major League game of the season possibly has more significance than tea in a tea bag.

It is interesting, though, to observe the opening day activities of some of the old gaffers in the game, some of whom still are playing when, by all the rules of nature, they should be slowed down to a chess pace.

Page, Gunther Reach Finals At Pinehurst

PINEHURST, N. C., April 19.—(AP)—Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page, the defending champion in search of a record seventh triumph here, and Mrs. John Gessler, a honeymooning bride from Chestnut Hill, Pa., today advanced to the finals of the third annual North and South Women's Golf Tournament.

Maintaining her week-long steady pace, Mrs. Page scored a 5 and 4 semi-finals victory over Margaret Gunther, University, Ala., while Mrs. Gessler upset Jeanne Cline, Bloomington, Ill., 1 up.



HOW THEY STAND
YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
American League
New York 4, Boston 3.

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, Pct. for American League and National League.

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BERT CAUSEY PRESENTS 4 GIRL 4 WRESTLERS TONIGHT

Tag Team Match Ann Miller and Violet Valentine vs. Nell Stewart and Miss Red

COFFIELD vs MEYERS MURPHY COHEN GUEST REFEREE

Jewel Box TICKETS ON SALE

VOTE FOR FIVE MEN FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT MONDAY, APRIL 23RD

DETROIT'S BENTON SERVES BROWNIES SECOND LOSS, 1-0

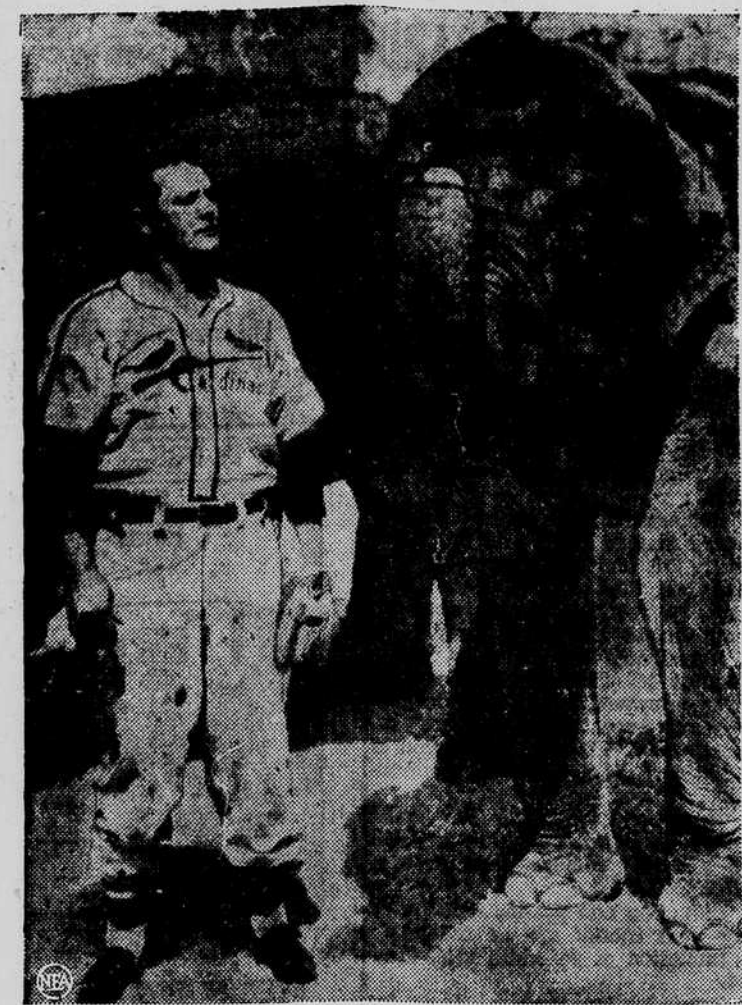
Al Holds St. Louis Batsmen To Four Hits While Bengals Get Seven

ST. LOUIS, April 19.—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers broke off a tight pitching duel by bunching three of their nine singles in the ninth inning today to whip the Champion St. Louis Browns, 1 to 0, and cap their opening series two games to one.

Alton Benton held the Browns to four widely scattered hits, although he allowed seven walks, while the Tigers pecked ineffectively away at Nelson Potter, Browns' ace righthander, until he faltered in the final round.

Table with columns: Detroit, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Benton vs Browns.

Talking It Over



Pitcher Mort Cooper of the Cardinals gives Vi a few pointers as she warms up for the elephant baseball act.

YANKEES DEFEAT BOSTON RED SOX

NEW YORK, April 19.—(AP)—The New York Yankees made it three straight over the Boston Red Sox today when relief pitcher Mike Ryba hit Johnny Lindell by a pitched ball with none out and the bases full in the ninth inning to give the Yankees a 4-3 victory.

Table with columns: Boston, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Yankees vs Red Sox.

NATS DISSAPPOINT CONNIE'S A'S 4-3

PHILADELPHIA, April 19.—(AP)—George Case's twelfth inning home run gave the Washington Senators a 4-3 win today over the Philadelphia Athletics.

Table with columns: Philadelphia, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Senators vs Athletics.

CARDS TAKE WIN OVER CUBS, 8-2

CHICAGO, April 19.—(AP)—The World Champion St. Louis Cardinals scored their first win of the season today as they coupled a 12-hit attack and a steady performance by Southpaw Harry Brecheen to defeat the Chicago Cubs, 8 to 2.

Table with columns: St. Louis, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Cardinals vs Cubs.

Chicago's Pale Hose Defeat Tribe, 14-6

CLEVELAND, April 19.—(AP)—The Chicago White Sox made it two in a row over the Cleveland Indians today by trouncing the Tribe 14 to 6.

Table with columns: Cleveland, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for White Sox vs Indians.

MOTHER'S MUMMY FOUND IN HOUSE

There were more contradictory elements in the statements obtained from an unnamed cousin and a neighbor of the younger Mrs. Woodward. The police said they told this story:

When the elder Mrs. Woodward died, her daughter precipitated a family quarrel by refusing to permit burial at Waterbury, Vt. Other relatives then assumed that the body had been buried by the daughter privately, some place else.

The younger Mrs. Woodward was prominent in the Washington branch of the Daughters of the American Revolution for many years.

DOW, War Guards Win In City Softball Loop

In the first game of last night's Municipal softball loop at Robert Strange park, the Ethyl Dow team triumphed over the Bluententhal Air Base outfit, 5-2.

Sluggo Brown hurled two-hit ball for the Dowmen, with Easterday flier shortstop, collecting both.

U. S. MILK CONSUMPTION

The civilian population of the United States consumes 84 per cent of all the milk produced for the United States—our men in uniform getting only 16 per cent of the total milk production.

Doors To Open Early For Tonight's Bouts

The doors will open tonight at Thalian Hall at 7:15 in order that early comers will not have to stand outside. Matches will not get underway until 8:30 p. m.

In the supporting bout, a sixty minute affair, Sonny "Sinatra" Meyers will cope with the rough and ready Jim Coffield.

MEL OTT'S GIANTS DIVIDE TWIN BILL WITH BOSTON TEAM

New York Cops Opener, 4-3; Yield 15 Hits To Drop Second, 13-5

BOSTON, April 19.—(AP)—The Boston Braves and New York Giants divided a patriot's day double header today, the Giants winning the morning contest 4-3 and the Braves copping the afternoon tilt 13-5.

Held scoreless for seven frames by Charlie Barrett in the opener, the Giants came up with four runs in the eighth for their third straight over the Hubman and the first victory for rookie Andy Hansen.

Table with columns: New York, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Giants vs Braves.

Table with columns: Boston, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Braves vs Giants.

Speaker Sam Rayburn To Toss Out Baseball

WASHINGTON, April 19.—(AP)—Memorial ceremonies for the late President Roosevelt planned for last Monday's postponed major league opening here, will be carried out tomorrow when New York's Yankees play Washington's Senators.

DODGERS DEFEAT PHILLIES, 3-1

BROOKLYN, April 19.—(AP)—With Sophomore Hal Gregg unfurling a two-hit performance, the Brooklyn Dodgers made it two out of three today by defeating the Philadelphia Phillies 3-1.

Table with columns: Brooklyn, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Dodgers vs Phillies.

'CATS, BLACKBIRDS WILL CLASH TODAY IN LOOP CONTEST

Rocky Mount Now Tied With Wilson For Conference's Top Spot

New Hanover High's Wildcat horseholders will still be seeking their first win of the season when they encounter Coach Joe Caruso's powerful Rocky Mount nine this afternoon at 3:45 on the Thirteenth and Ann street diamond.

The Blackbirds, now tied up with Wilson for first spot in the conference, should add another to their chain victories when they cope with the letterman-less locals.

Table with columns: Philadelphia, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Dodgers vs Phillies.

Bucs Cop Final Game From Cincinnati, 5-1

CINCINNATI, April 19.—(AP)—Pittsburgh defeated Cincinnati 5-1 today in the final game of their initial series behind four-hit hurling by Max Butcher, who had a shutout until the eighth when a walk, an error and single gave the Reds their only tally.

Table with columns: Pittsburgh, Ab., R., H., O., A., E. for Pirates vs Reds.

Ed Barrow Turns Down High Commissioner Job

LARCHMONT, N. Y., April 19.—(AP)—Beetle-Browed Ed Barrow, the man who forged the New York Yankees into baseball's proudest dynasty, disclosed today that he had rejected the game's greatest honor—High Commissioner of Baseball.

Weighted by age and illness, the former Yankee president who once offered to do battle with Heavyweight Jim Corbett thus bowed to the toughest job in a sport which has been his life for a half century.

Schenley Reserve Specially blended for bright, light flavor! Choice ingredients plus distilling skill create this smoother Schenley blended whiskey bottled in the "Peak of Flavor".