

KENT SPORTS FOR KENT FANS

# ENTERPRISE SPORTS

SPORTS OF INTEREST WHILE THEY'RE NEWS

## MUGGSY THE GREAT

—HE IS BASEBALL !!

Europe sneers at America's sentiment.

However, it is perhaps because the sophisticated in the old world have not quite caught the spirit of what we Yankees are doing, namely, distributing a few flowers to the living in lieu of waiting until the sexton starts shoveling in the clouds.

For example—And most recent. Lindbergh, Byrd, Chamberlin, Maitland—and McGraw. Flowers and cheers for them now. A recognition of their greatness and what they stand for—honor fairly won and justly rewarded.

Our eagles of the air have dominated the news pages for weeks. They are all home now—duly rewarded—and some already out on new adventure—or planning for greater feats of daring.

So we turn to sport and the recording of an historic event in the story of our national pastime—baseball.

Diamond fans outnumber all other sports followers and after due deliberation they have decided that there is today one figure in the game who typifies the sport.

McGraw Of The Giants

That figure is John J. "Muggsy" Napoleon McGraw, for twenty-five years manager of the New York Giants.

In that twenty-five years winning ten National League championships and three world series title clashes. Picking and developing more great baseball stars than any other man ever connected with the game.

Through courageous and spectacular leadership, mixed with keen judgement and a never-say-die spirit bringing baseball to one of the most highly developed sports in the world.

The first manager who ever had the keen insight into the possibilities of the game to go out and pay thousands of dollars for some individual player—to build his Giants.

Not only one of the greatest playing-field strategists who ever directed the destinies of a ball team, but with the business and financial vision of how to make the turnstiles click.

So last week in New York they gave "Muggsy" McGraw, the little Napoleon, a silver jubilee. Notables of state, city and nation joining in the tribute. They gave him a huge cup, plaque, tablet, flowers and a public acknowledgement of work well performed.

Muggsy's Start

There were those present who looked back 25 years and again saw the Little Napoleon who twenty-five

Silver Jubilee for McGraw of the Giants



John J. "Muggsy" Napoleon McGraw, leader of New York Giants for 25 years, as he looks today when baseball paid its highest tribute in a silver jubilee—gifts, bronze tablets, statue, and ever'ing.

years ago—a slim youth—but a great star from the old Baltimore Orioles as he went to New York to take the management of the lowly and disorganized and dishonored Giants.

They knew it was the fight and fire of McGraw that turned the tide. A playing manager that never gave up—not even after a game was lost. He made enemies—and there are still some in the land today. But McGraw has never been known to turn down nor desert a friend—and of recent years, he is said to his great credit, McGraw has been known to many times go far afield to befriend some former enemy—when help was needed.

Oldtimers voice it correctly when they say: "Why man—He is baseball itself."

Charlestown Wins

From Kennedyville

Once again Kennedyville was unable to take the measure of Charlestown and the Cecil County nine emerged victorious at the end of nine innings last Saturday 2 to 1.

Things looked rosy throughout the early innings for the Kent crew. They took a 1 to 0 lead in the first session and stayed in front until the seventh when the Charlestown boys tied the score. The winning run was put across in the ninth.

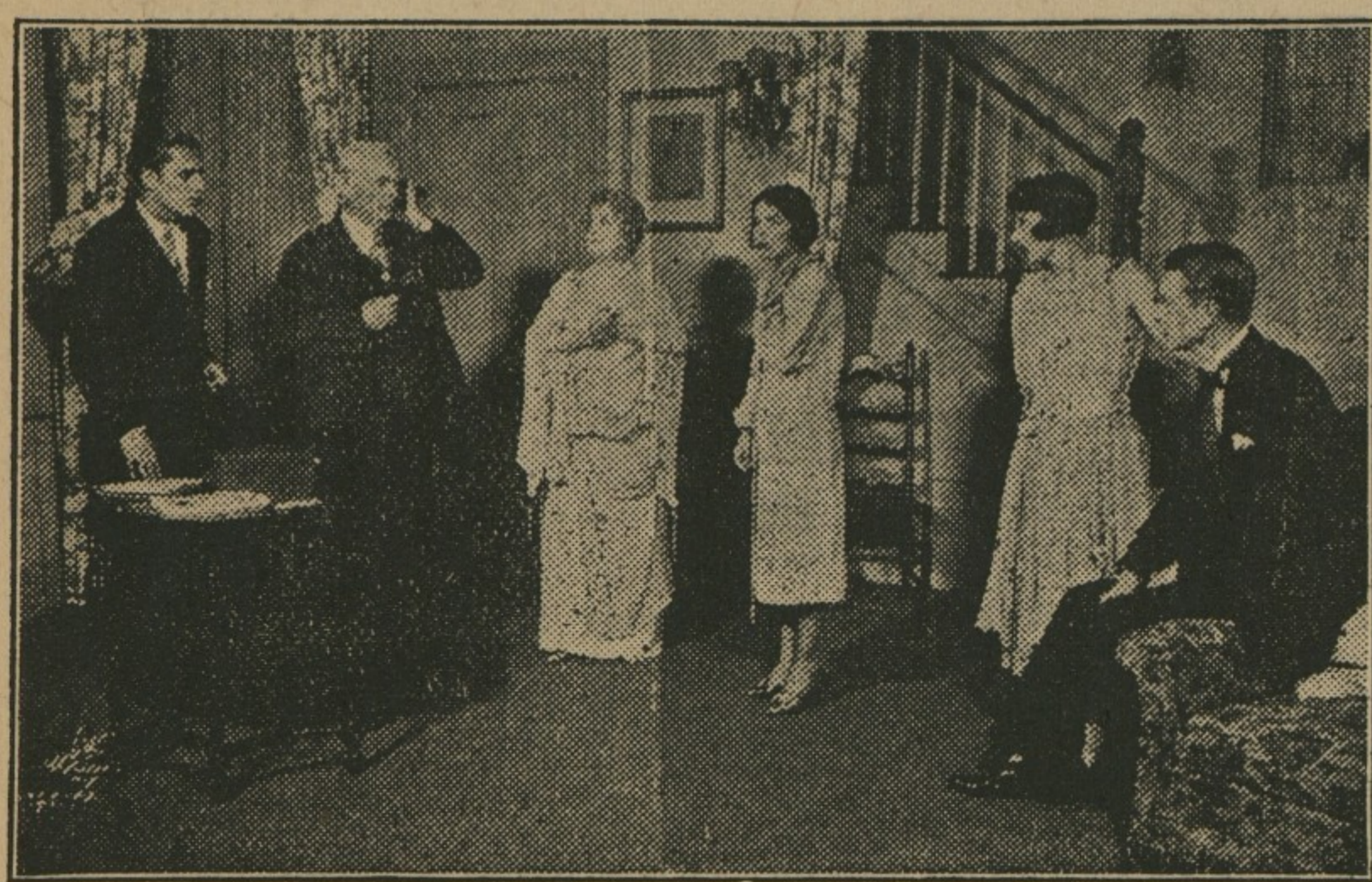
Groff was on the mound for Kennedyville and allowed but three hits and struck out twelve.

Kennedyville got seven hits which were well scattered.

The game nearly ended in a riot in the ninth when several Kennedyville players disputed a close decision by the umpire. A man called safe at second resulted in the winning run.

Kennedyville will meet Cecilton on Saturday at Cecilton.

Conversation is supposed to make people think, but its chief use is to keep most of us from thinking.



"THE PATSY"

By The Author of "Apple Sauce"

"The Patsy" soon to be seen at Chautauqua, is a wise-cracking, pseudoepigrammatic comedy with a well woven plot, the humor depending much upon a network of "smart" repartee and clever lines.

Patricia, younger daughter of the Harrington family, is misunderstood and abused by her mother, as well as by her elder sister, who has just announced her engagement to a well-

Miss Lambert

Beats Record

Miss Adelaide Lambert, Chestertown girl swimmer, who is a member of the Women's Swimming Association of New York turned in a record surpassing performance on Saturday in the 200 meter back stroke match race held by her club.

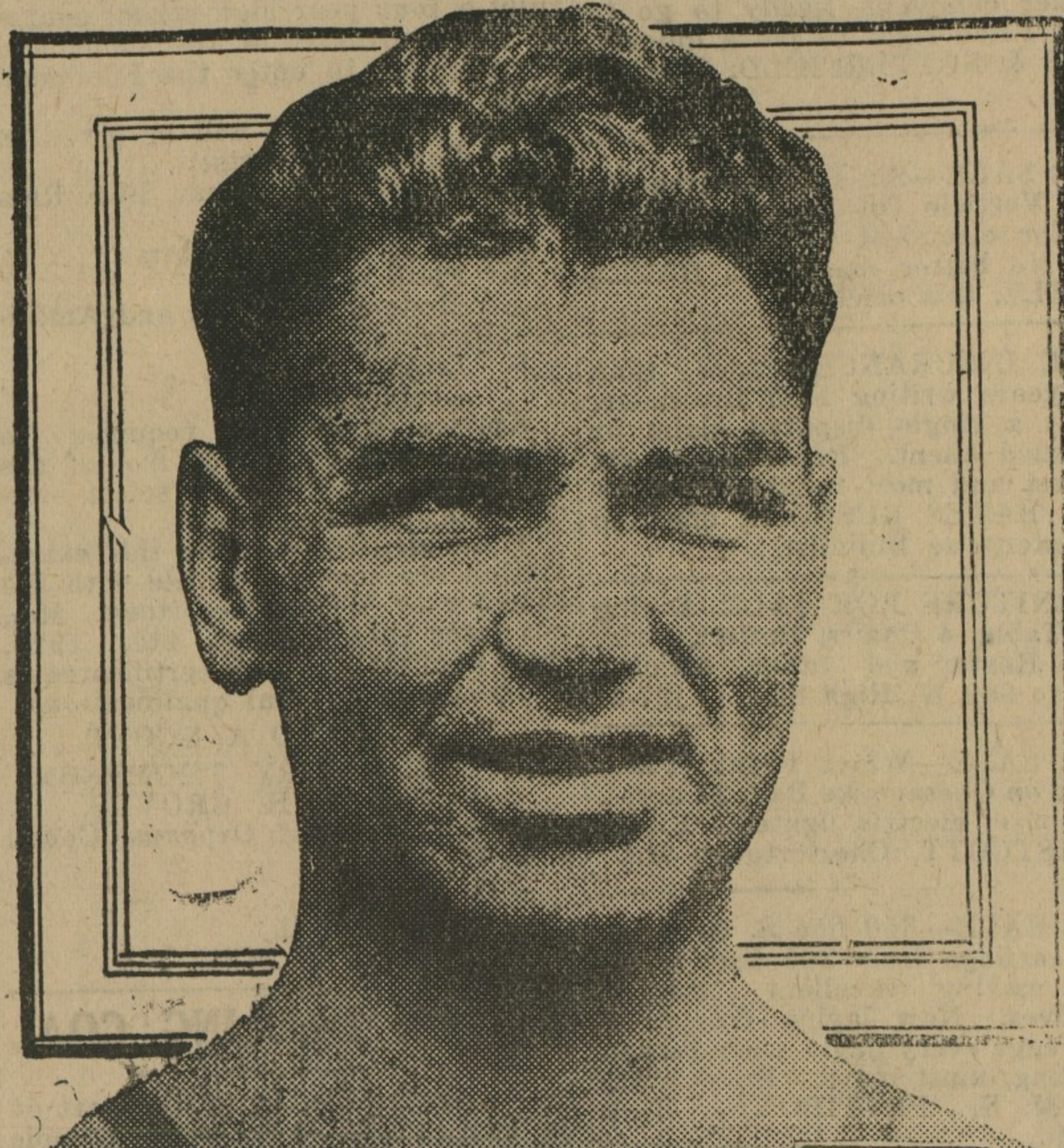
Over a 50 meter course Miss Lambert won the 200 meter event from her teammate Miss Lisa Lindstrom in the record time of 3:14.2-5, beating the world's long course record of 3:26 held by Miss Sybil Baurer, and a new mark recently set by Miss Delany at 3:16 4-5, but as yet unaccepted.

Miss Lambert's brilliant feat cannot be recognized as a record, however, as the race was not open and no sanction had been asked for a record trial.

When you think you have found the key to success, the next thing is to locate the lock.

There are two sides to everything except a mirror and the other person's argument.

## Comes Back



Jack Dempsey

Jack Dempsey, ex-holder of the title of World's Champion, began last Thursday a climb that he hopes will lead him up the ladder to regain his lost crown. On the way up the rungs he stepped on one, Jack Sharkey, Boston Bean Boy, and sent him down a few pegs.

Dempsey, who lost his title to Gene Tunney the Fighting Marine, at Philadelphia, last September, took revenge on Jack Sharkey, the Fighting Sailor.

The fight, scheduled for fifteen rounds, ended abruptly in the seventh when Sharkey failed to back away fast enough. Dempsey's left caught up with Sharkey, tagged him twice in the "tummy" and then skipped lightly to his jaw. The Boston Bean Boy, with a perfect swan dive, came to light, carelessly

but gracefully, on the canvas. After tasting the rosin he decided to make it a night and lay still. The referee counted ten and Sharkey lay still. He was determined and might have lasted for a count of fifty.

Sharkey, however, despite his famous dive, was not the hero. Jack Dempsey, the old man from Los Angeles, carried away the honors and the right to battle Tunney for his pawned crown.

The Boy from Beantown threw caution to the winds and elected to trade swat for swat with Dempsey. He forgot to wear his armor.

It was a popular victory in spite of the cries of "Foul" from the sportswriters who had picked the youthful Sharkey.

The referee, and his is the voice that counts, said "Fair."

Flowers Has

Good Day

Jack Dempsey wasn't the only fellow in the world that had a big day last Thursday. Our own Jake Flowers, staging a comeback that equals Dempsey's, had a rather enjoyable afternoon in a game of ball played between Brooklyn and Cincinnati.

Flowers stepped to the plate five times and got two hits, one of which was a screaming triple. He scored the only run that Brooklyn was able to put across.

He handled nine chances without a kick. Six of these were assists and the other three outs.

A rolling stone gathers no moss, but who wants to be a mossback?

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Unanimously adopted at a meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Chestertown, Md., held July 17, 1927.

Shortly after the close of the day on July 16, a pall of sadness settled down over the entire community of Chestertown, when the sad news of the death of Milbourn A. Toulson was heralded through the streets of the old town.

It was Saturday night, and after a busy week of toil the people as is their usual custom thronged the streets, but it was noticeable that they did not have their usual spirit of mirth and glee, for a familiar figure of the town for more than 50 years was not, for God had called him.

Perhaps no man in our community would be missed more by so large a number of people than M. A. Toulson. Over a long period of time Bro. Toulson has been actively identified with the business, social and religious life of this community. By his upright Christian life, his spirit of brotherly kindness he has endeared himself to all classes of society.

Brother Toulson will be missed in all these varied fields of his activity, but his place in the church will perhaps be hardest to fill. For here his loyalty and devotion seem to have reached their highest degree of perfection. To the Methodist Episcopal Church he not only gave liberally of his means, but was constant in his attendance upon all the services, and took a deep interest in all that pertained to the welfare of the Kingdom.

His advice was always sought by his fellow officials in the church. As he grew in years his interest in the Church also deepened. He was intensely interested in the re-building programme of our church. And one of the sad things about his going is that his end came before our new church was completed.

Therefore, we the officials of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Chestertown, Md., realizing most keenly our loss sustained in the death of this our brother beloved, and whereas our hearts go out in deepest sympathy for his devoted family.

Be it resolved, that we do hereby express our appreciation of his useful life among us, and extend our sympathy to the members of his grief stricken family.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family, that they be spread upon the official record of the church, and also a copy be sent to the press for publication.

JOHN W. BARNES, ROBERT MOFFETT, A. HOWARD COVEY, Committee.

Golfing Wonder



Bobby Jones, Atlanta, Ga., today is the acknowledged golfing wonder of the age. His 285 for 72 holes, 6 better than ever scored in British open, title play, won the crown and highest honors.



SPLASHES IN SPORTS By H. S. ARE



They may have carried "old man" Dempsey to the ring in a wheel chair but they brought Sharkey out on a stretcher.

Black Jack may have been only a shell of his former self, but that shell was packed full of T. N. T.

Don't take my word for it. Ask Sharkey.

Sharkey made a lot of noise before the fight but the biggest noise he made was when he hit the floor.

Now the promoters are humming a tune, Dempsey and Tunney will fight again soon.

Dempsey staged a comeback and so did many of the fans.

Of the two the comeback of the fans deserves the most credit.

To come back for more in less than a year after the Philadelphia affair shows more brawn than brains.

Sharkey played "hearts" just before the battle and lost two dollars.

He played "dead" in the seventh and lost a million.

Tunney was a ringside guest. He got an eyeful.

Kearns, former manager of Dempsey and now handler of Mickey Walker, Middleweight Champ, offered his batter as a sub for either of the principals.

More than likely Kearns had had his foot elevated just before his ship passed the three-mile limit.

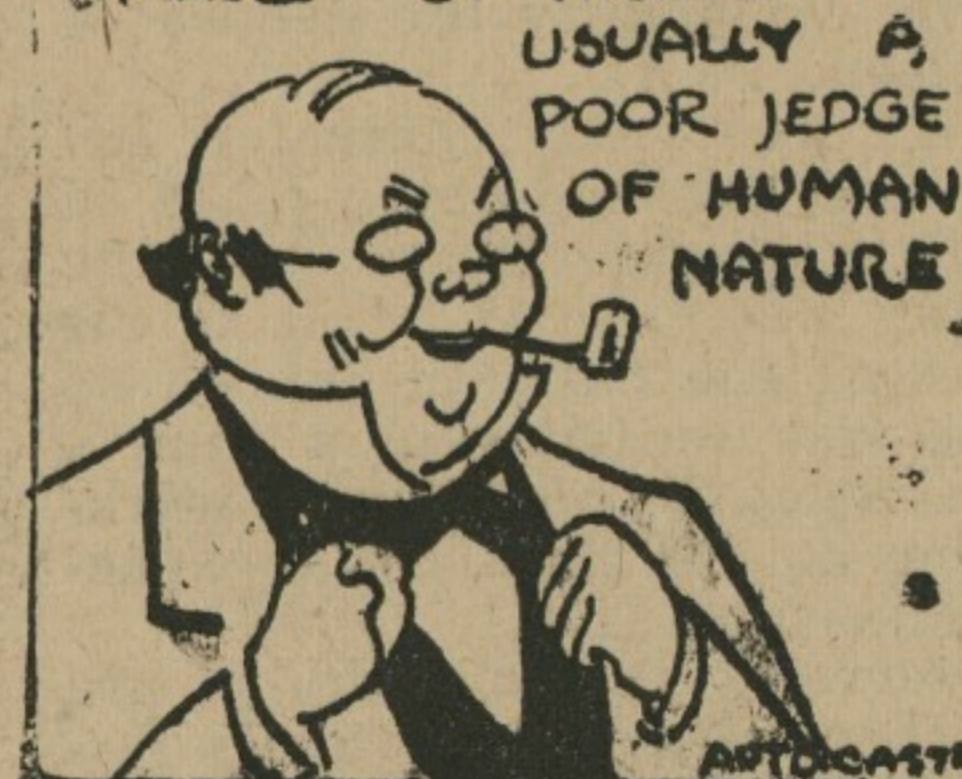
After the fight Dempsey said over the radio, "Hello Baby." In the seventh Sharkey said "Hello Heaven." Maybe.

Some claim that Dempsey hit

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The Judge's Josh

I'VE NOTICED THAT THE FELLER WITH A GOOD OPINION OF HIMSELF IS USUALLY A POOR JUDGE OF HUMAN NATURE



adage: "He who hits and runs away, lives to hit another day."

Maybe he tried it. If he did Dempsey has improved his chasing game in the past year.

Sharkey outweighed Dempsey a pound and a half before the fight.

After the fight Sharkey was the lighter. His head was back to normal.

Someone wisely said, "A bark-ing dog seldom bites."

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This Chamber in its activities shall be non-partisan, non-sectarian and non-sectional and shall take no part in, or lend its influence to the election or appointment of any candidate for state, county or town office.

Chestertown is urged to join and cooperate with the Chamber of Commerce and to make use of the headquarters as a bureau of information. July and August office hours: 9 to 12. Phone 115. Secretary may be reached at other times by phoning 237.

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