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In the World of Sport

In Fiction Longshots Win But You'll Find Most of Them Among Also Rans in Reality

The gentlemen who fix the odds on race horses are wrong quite often in their judgment of what the ultimate winner's price should be. If they were not fallible there would not be any betting. But did you ever notice how right they usually are concerning horses that haven't got a chance?

There are often three or four horses in a race that figure pretty close together. One has to be a favorite. Perhaps he or she is 5 to 1. The winner may be 3 or 5 to 1. But watch the horses down at the bottom of the racing chart. See the prices laid against them.

Take Wednesday's card at Empire City, for example for that is the one before us as we write. Begin at the first race and work downward.

There were only three horses in the first. It was won by Yurucari, a 13 to 1 chance. See what a favorite last. Why none other than Youneed, and Youneed's price was 12 to 1. Sea Pirate, the second horse, was the 3 to 5 favorite.

The second race was won by an 8 to 5 favorite, Tokay. There were ten horses in the field, but the ninth and tenth horses were Square Set and Miss Bryan respectively and they were 30 to 1. Magnetite, the eighth horse, was 20 to 1.

Go right through the card. Five started in the third race. The last horse to finish was Mistress Polly at 10 to 1.

The fourth race also had five starters but in this case the favorite, Papp, finished last. The fourth horse was 3 to 1 and the third, Malinee Idol, 10 to 1.

There were fourteen starters in the fifth race. Three or four horses stood out over the balance, and they were fairly short priced. The winner, Cane Run, was the 9 to 5 favorite. Leonida at 100 to 1 was a ticket on that skate. The three horses which finished just ahead of Leonida were quoted as 30 to 40 to 1. So were the sixth and ninth horses.

With fourteen starters in the sixth, a maiden two year old scramble, eight juveniles, or more than half the field, were anywhere from 30 to 50 to 1. One 30 to 1 shot won the race, but four others finished at the tail end while three more ran fifth, sixth and seventh.

long shot every now and then a times happened to be in the last race Wednesday when the Whitney castoff, Comfort, blew in at 30 to 1. But it is more than now.

DOESN'T SEEM POSSIBLE

Hagen Performed This Marvellous Stunt in Fine Form.

Does it seem possible to stand within six feet of a two-storey house and drive a golf ball across it? This was the feat performed by Walter Hagen, winner of the North and South open title. He turned the trick at St. Augustine Fla., following the ridicule of a statement by him that it could be done. "Fearing a high divot out of the earth he shot the ball upward with such force and with such backspin that it looped its way over the structure, to fall dead on the other side."

The Australian Jockey Club has voted £2,000 each to the Italian and French Red Cross and £500 for the Salvation Army work among the troops.

Jack Quinn, pitcher for the Vernon club of the Pacific Coast Baseball League, has been sold to the New York Americans.

Vardon Boosts Lady Golfers.

Harry Vardon, probably the greatest golfer in Britain's history, insists: "Women when playing, among themselves, exhibit greater natural golfing ability than men. But for some peculiar reason, women do not play their best game when they are paired with masculine."

"The skill that women display on the putting green when they are pitted against opponents of their own sex is uncanny. I've seen women make puts that were amazing—and more. And they have the true golfing temperament. In critical moment of play a man is likely to 'crack' under the nervous strain. But, oddly enough, the greater the tension the steadier is the game that a woman will play."

Manager Rowland, of the Chicago Americans, has shipped Frank Hoxey Wilson back to Tacoma, Wash. The White Sox management spent fortune in cartage to give this outfielder a short tryout.

Record Peg By Giants' Rookie.

Ed. Sticking, the young infielder recently obtained by the Giants from San Antonio, demonstrated at 'Braves' field, in Boston, recently that he is the possessor of the most powerful throwing arm on the New York team.

One of the events in a set of baseball field games staged as an aid to the W. S. S. drive in Boston before the game with the Giants, was a long-distance throwing contest. Players of both teams stationed themselves in deep centre and hurled the ball toward the plate, and when Powell, of the Braves, cut loose with a long peg that struck the grandstand just back of the plate, it looked as if he would win the event with ease.

A moment later, however, Sticking let one go that cleared the first row of boxes in the grandstand and landed among the chairs—in a second row box.

To Take Team to France. John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, has promised to take a team of big league players to Paris for a series of games with former professional players now in the army or navy, according to an announcement made there by Johnny Evers, former Chicago Club manager, now of the Knights of Columbus athletic department overseas.

"American soldiers are scheduled to witness some big timber games in France," said Evers. "McGraw assured me it would not cost the Knights of Columbus a cent. I have in mind some of the players, now fighting the Hun who will play McGraw's bunch. The nucleus of my team is Alexander, pitcher; Gowdy, catcher; Miller, of Cleveland and Philadelphia, first base; and Evans of Cleveland, third base. The others I shall select as soon as I arrive in France."

Evers said he had packed in his trunk for his trip to Paris his old club uniform, including gloves and shoes.

No Demand For World Series. There will be little demand for a world's series this year, in the opinion of John K. Tener, president of the National League, in commenting on the effect of the decision of Secretary of War Baker that the "work or fight" rule would not be applied to baseball players until September 1st.

President Tener believed, however, that interest in the races in the National and American Leagues would be maintained right up to the first of September.

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NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS PICTURE, BUT OH BOY, WERE YOU EVER IN A RAID? :: :: :: :: :: By **BUD FISHER.**

NOTICE!
THERE CAN BE NO DOUBT THAT THE ENGLISH WOMEN ARE DOING A GREAT AND POWERFUL WORK IN THIS WAR. THEIR PRINCIPAL ORGANIZATION IS THE W.A.A.C., WHICH STANDS FOR WOMEN'S AUXILIARY ARMY CORPS, OR AS WE SAY OVER HERE, "THE WAACS". NOW THAT I HAVE EXPLAINED WHAT A "WAAC" IS, LET'S GO ON WITH THE PICTURE, AS WE SAY OVER HERE, "CARRY ON."

MUTT, MUTT ME! I'M SOME GUY NOW. I'VE JUST BEEN APPOINTED AN F.O.O.! WHAT IS AN F.O.O.?

THAT'S QUITE AN HONOR. THAT'S FORWARD OBSERVING OFFICER.

YOU CRAWL OUT IN NO-MAN'S LAND AND HIDE BEHIND A DEAD HORSE OR SOMETHING AND OBSERVE WHERE OUR OWN SHELLS STRIKE!

IF YOU SHOULD HAPPEN NOT TO BE KILLED BY THE ENEMY'S FIRE OR THEIR SNIPERS DON'T GET YOU, WHY YOU USUALLY GET KILLED BY OUR OWN SHELL-FIRE!

HOWEVER, YOU MIGHT LIVE!

MIGHT?

I WANT TO JOIN THE "WAACS"

HEAD-QUARTERS W.A.A.C.