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... Predicts for Today

N.W. ENGLAND and SCOTLAND Cloudy, Warm, Rain.

FRANKFURT, Aug. 21—What promises to be one of the most bitterly contested dual track and field meets in Army annals...

... are bound to set new marks and set accounts.

Cold weather and rain did much to retard the assault on marks at the Nürnberg games...

Mungo Stops Cubs, 9-3; Cards Blank Braves, 2-0

NEW YORK, Aug. 21—Aging Van Lingle Mungo lopped a game off the Cubs' commanding National League lead last night...

Bigger Sports Program Set For Pacific

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21—The Army is rushing plans for a long-range athletic program in the Pacific...

Col. Henry U. (Esq.) Clark, assistant athletic director of Army Service Forces, returned recently from a four-month tour of the Pacific...

Clark sized up the situation in the Pacific this way:

1—Equipment is the first need. In concentrating on the end of the war in Europe we didn't get as much to the Pacific as we should have before the unexpected quick collapse of Japan.

2—Pacific championships similar to those in Europe have been recommended to the War Department.

3—Coaching schools are planned in the Hawaiian islands, the Marianas, Okinawa and even Japan.

Athletics already have taken hold in a big way all over the Pacific, according to Clark's report...

A glance at the MTO records made last month at Florence, Italy, reveals the sterling quality of their athletes...



HOOKED AND UNHOOKED: Fritzi Bey Krakow takes a parting shot at King Levinsky after her divorce from the former heavyweight "contender..."

Riggs Defeats Budge, Parker For Marianas Singles Crown

GUAM, Aug. 21—Navy Specialist Bobby Riggs was crowned singles champion and Lt. Don Budge and Sgt. Frankie Parker of the AAF captured the doubles title...

The trio, each of whom is a former national singles champion, engaged in round robin play on five islands and Riggs defeated Parker and Budge each in three out of five matches...

Minor League Results

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Allies Will Occupy Japan on Sunday, Announces

day that the Allied occupation of Japan would have no immediate confirmation from Gen. MacArthur...

The Japanese government and imperial head would begin on Sunday and included an appeal for peace...

Reds Occupy Principal Cities Of Manchuria

Thousands of Japanese troops streamed into Red Army prisoner of war cages yesterday as Marshal Vassilevsky's forces virtually completed the occupation of Manchuria...



BUD METHENY Metheny in the ninth presented the Yankees with four runs and Walt Dubiel with the win...



TWO TO GO: Bobby Feller, pitcher-manager of the Great Lakes Naval nine and former Cleveland Indian star, will be released from the Navy within two days...

Celler 'Misinterpreted' NBC's Bid—Dumont

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 21—Ray Dumont, president of the National Baseball Congress, today charged that Rep. Emanuel Celler, of New York, had misinterpreted the Congress' invitation to Japan to join in next year's international semi-pro series...



Li'l Abner



By Al Capp

Army-Navy Grid Classic To Be Played at Philly

WEST POINT, Aug. 21—The annual Army-Navy football game, one of the sports world's greatest spectacles, today was returned to its pre-war glory with the announcement that the game would be played in Philadelphia's Municipal Stadium Dec. 1...

Larry Rosati Appointed To Muhlenberg Grid Post

ALLEN TOWN, Pa., Aug. 21—Larry Rosati, who played at Moravian College from 1938 to 1941, has been appointed head football coach at Muhlenberg College...

MAJOR LEAGUE RESULTS

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