

# Forest Fires Break Out Anew on Cape

# GREEK WINS MARATHON

## Fenway Park Opener Crowd Has Capacity

**Keen-Edged Sox Aim for Fourth Win**  
By GEORGE C. CARENS  
FENWAY PARK, April 20—Riding high and handsome with their three victories in their first three games and having displayed the expected betting power, Boston's Red Sox were making their first official Boston start against the Philadelphia Athletics as they opened the local American League season here today.

**GALA OPENING**  
Although this is the second big league opening of the week in Boston—the Braves previously having introduced official baseball for the season—today's festivities still were gala with all the Southern as if the earlier events of the week never had transpired.

The only concession was to the B. A. marathon, with the game deferred from 3 o'clock to 2:15. By then a sellout crowd of more than 24,000 fans crowded the stands when Gov. Maurice Tobin threw out the first ball following the customary parade and flag raising ceremony.

Rated only second or third for the past years before the Sox have become RED SOX (Continued on Page Four)



Photo by Herbert R. Taylor for the Herald  
GREEK CHAMP WINS MARATHON—Stylios Kyriakides of Athens, Greece, breaks the tape of the Easter street finish line to win the 50th annual running of the B. A. A. marathon.

## Kelley in Second Place, Gerard Cote Is Third

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## Kyriakides Fulfills Pledge To His Countrymen

By FRED FOYE  
BOSTON, April 20—Unhappy Greece had cause for joy and celebration today for the glorious came to pass with the golden jubilee running of the B. A. A. marathon. The winner was Stylios Kyriakides of Greece, 35-year-old 10-year champion of Greece, Egypt, Turkey and the Balkans, the first and only Greek to win the event that was created by the Greeks back in the ancient time of Pheidippides.

**WON OBJECTIVE**  
His time, just 3 minutes off the record, was 2 hours, 29 minutes, 57 seconds.

With his glorious triumph Kyriakides attained his noble objective, that of gaining the national and world prominence that enables him to be a public spearhead in a drive for food, clothing, yea and athletic supplies for his war-torn Greece.

**KELLY SECOND**  
Second place went to West Acton's Johnny Kelley, the defending champion and winner of 1945. In finishing with the time of 2:31:27 the 38-year-old Kelly again reaffirmed to his seemingly destined role of B. A. A. "bridesmaid" for this was no less than the seventh time since 1924 that Kelly was second-best—the frustrated runner-up.

**MARATHON**  
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## HOW THEY FINISHED

- 1—Stylios Kyriakides, Athens, Greece, 2:29:57.
- 2—Johnny Kelley, West Acton, 2:31:27.
- 3—Gerard Cote, Montreal, Canada, 2:32:34.
- 4—Lou Gregory, New York city, 2:37:52.
- 5—Ab Merton, Galt, Ontario, 2:38:54.
- 6—John Kermansen, Montreal, New York city, 2:41:34.
- 7—Lloyd Evans, Montreal, 2:42:22.
- 8—Charles Babbs, Boston, 2:42:52.
- 9—Ted Vogel, Boston, 2:44:34.

## 40,000 See Races Open at 'Gansett'

Gay Pet, New England-Bred, Wins First—Two-Million Tote Indicated

By ARTHUR SIEGEL  
Boston, the sun was terrific up in the sky and it wasn't until the sixth 16-car train left that the Boston stables were back to normal. An hour before race time the grandstand strayed was filled and from there on it was merely a matter of how many more people.

Long before noon today, the gates of Gansett were opened for the early arrivals, the vanguard of the post-war conditions and the advent of post-war lavatories. For the biggest season of New England horse-racing was opening, a season in which more men and women would watch and more thousands of dollars would be wagered than ever before.

There were formal luncheon parties in the Turf Club, stop the clubhouse, this room. There were informal picnics around the grounds and the even more informal eating at the restaurant counters. And only those who had reserved seats were taking chances on sitting late.

Narragansett Park was ready for the host of horse-players, although BOBSE (Continued on Page Five)

## 142 GIs Executed For Army Crimes

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UP)—A House military affairs subcommittee recommending drastic revision to correct "injustices" in courts martial proceedings, disclosed today that 142 Army men have been executed for rape, murder and desertion.

**23,741 JAILED**  
An additional 23,741 have been imprisoned for lesser crimes, including two who were sentenced to life for AWOL, the subcommittee said.

The subcommittee's 20,000-word report, based on six months of secret investigations, briefed with charges that the Army too often uses the system to "enforce discipline" instead of providing impartial justice for the accused.

**EXECUTE**  
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## Roxbury Boy Held in Rape of Two Women

A 16-year-old Roxbury high school student and part time clerk at Boston City Hospital was charged today with raping two women and attempting to rape a third after invading their homes in the dead of night, snipping off their nightgowns and threatening them with surgical scissors.

He was ordered committed to the Boston Psychopathic Hospital for a 10-day period of observation when arraigned before Judge Samuel J. Blumenthal in the juvenile session of Roxbury district court.

**ASSAULT**  
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## Cape Cod Forest Fires Blaze Again

Hundreds Battling Flames Fanned By Winds in Sandwich and Sagamore

Forest fires broke out anew in the Cape Cod Canal area early this afternoon, with one blaze raging out of control in Sandwich, while a second was being battled in the Sagamore.

**CHURCHES TO HAIL THE RISEN CHRIST**  
Catholics and Protestants to Conduct Services of Joy, Exultation Tomorrow

By JOHN LYNCH  
Services of joy and exultation from dawn till dark tomorrow are planned by greater Boston churches to mark, on Easter Day, Christ's rising from the dead after the tragedy of Calvary.

**THE WEATHER**  
U. S. Official Forecast  
CLEAR AND COLDER TONIGHT

Temperature at 1:3 P. M.—34  
Wind—Light S.W. at 10  
Light all Vehicles by 7:30 P. M.

## Firebug Suspect Is Held For Trial in \$10,000 Bail

Save, dapper Wilfred H. Barick, 31-year-old Back Bay radio writer, was held for the grand jury in \$10,000 bail today after a hearing in municipal court on charges of arson in connection with an Irvington street apartment house fire earlier this month.

Brought before Judge Charles L. Carr, Barick offered no evidence in his own defense, but listened to details from the State Fire Marshal's office testify at length on their probe into the Irvington street blaze and other apartment fires that took place the same morning, one of which cost eight lives.

One of these fires, on Belvidere street, took a toll of eight lives. Details of conversations held with BARTE (Continued on Page Three)

## President Meets Lewis In Effort to End Strike

WASHINGTON, April 20 (UP)—President Truman for the first time took a direct hand today in discussions of the 30-day soft coal strike which threatens to cause a calamitous industrial shutdown.

He talked over the issue for 15 minutes with John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers (UMW), and Secretary of Labor STEVENS (Continued on Page Two)

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## The Editor Says

"Don't miss these exclusive articles in SUNDAY'S HERALD."

## WHO WON?

Bill Canning, who says the war is not officially over and discusses next week's efforts in that direction in a thought-provoking article.

## Late News

ENOSBURG FALLS, N. Y. (UP)—George Braggs, 25, of Enosburg Falls, was killed today when his automobile overturned on a state highway about three miles south of Haverhill.

## RACE RESULTS

AT NARRAGANSETT PARK  
1st Race: 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-12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