

NEWS OF THE SPORT WORLD

MCAVOY IN SURPRISE VICTORY OVER MCCOY

British Middle And Heavyweight Champion Too Much For Habitant

(By Eddie Brietz Associated Press Sports Writer) NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—(A.P.)—Jock McAvoy, British Middle and Light Heavyweight Champion, began his first American campaign to-night with a clean-cut 10-round victory over Al McCoy, rugged French Canadian, in Madison Square Garden.

McAvoy weighed 168 1/4 and McCoy 170 1/2. A disappointing crowd of not more than 5,000 customers paid only \$11,360 to see the Britons in action.

The surprising victory puts Mc Avoy in line for a shot at John Henry Lewis' light heavyweight crown.

All agreed McAvoy is far and away the best fighter England has sent across the Atlantic in many moons. He has a good left hand, a right that can do things. He knows how to behave himself in the ring and he can take it.

Score Card The Associated Press score card gave McAvoy six rounds. Three went to McCoy, who shuttles between Montreal and Boston and at birth in Beauce County, Que., was christened Florian Le Brasseur. The other round was called even.

The aggressor from the start, the trim, black haired Englishman gave McCoy, the betting favorite, a boxing lesson most of the way. He kept the Habitant away with his left and used his right to land two thirds of the punches the fight produced.

McAvoy's cleverness was a more telling factor in his victory than his punching ability. McCoy, known throughout the east as a rugged puncher, was so bottled up by Jock's ring-craft that a great many of his punches fell on McCoy's arms or shoulders.

On the occasions McCoy did connect cleanly, McAvoy shrugged and laughed off the blows. There was only one knockdown. Early in the third round McAvoy

ON THE SIDELINES

"Youth Night" certainly went over with a bang at the Forum last night if one is to judge by the enthusiasm manifested by those in attendance. The youngsters lived up to all advance notices as they came through with six periods of hockey that left nothing to be desired.

It won't take many more displays such as last night's to work up interest in a high pitch in the juniors and midgrades. The junior game was particularly pleasing and the fans had nothing but praise for both teams.

Four Abegweit hockeyists leave this morning for Baltimore, Maryland, where on Sunday night they lineup with the Baltimore Orioles in the Eastern United States Amateur League.

The four will be no strangers to players now performing in the loop. On the Hershey team is Harry Currie a former teammate while when opposed to the Pitts-

The Queen Square School football team, Interscholastic champions were guests of Rev. Father McMahon, D. D., at an enjoyable banquet in the Nobana Tea Rooms on Thursday evening.

Caught in Passing. Local junior hockey seems headed for big season... last night's game arouses as much interest as former Big Four encounters...

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Barney Ross

Halifax Plans To Revive Pro Hockey

HALIFAX, Nov. 29.—A group of Halifax sportsmen including J. E. "Gee" Ahern met here today to look over the prospects for professional hockey in the Maritime Provinces.

No information was given out after the meeting but it was learned Ahern planned to leave next week to establish contacts with professional circuits in the hopes of lining up players.

E. F. Lordly, secretary manager of the Nova Scotia Exhibition Commission, which directs the Halifax Forum, said he understood there was a definite move under way to organize pro hockey here.

Mr. Robyn Cameron was elected chairman of a committee to draw up a schedule and complete the organization of a volleyball league. Tentative plans indicate that teams representing the Firemen, Senior Y, North End, and H-Y — with probable further additions—will take part.

SENIOR "Y" RE-UNION

Enthusiasm predominated at a largely attended reunion supper of Senior "Y" members held in the Y. M. C. A. last night.

The discussion was opened by the General Secretary, Mr. Norville E. Luck, who spoke of the introduction of girls' classes in the "Y".

The speaker referred to the splendid increase in junior membership in the past year. There are now over a hundred juniors with about eighty percent of them taking active part in gym classes, supper gatherings and other departments of the "Y".

It was decided to make the supper a monthly or possibly a bi-weekly affair, the next gathering to take place on Friday, December 13.

With Circus



Maudie Reynolds, skating Dan-seuse, who will be among the performers with the Skating Circus here Dec. 6th.

Down The Alleys

HOLY NAME BOWLING COMMERCIAL LEAGUE Maple Leafs

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes C. D. Davis, G. Campbell, G. Ives, F. Egan, W. Wilson, etc.

Barney Ross Triumphs Over Garcia

(By Charles Dunkley) (Associated Press Sports Writer) CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Fighting as if his championship were at stake, Barney Ross, world's welterweight champion, decisively defeated his Filipino challenger, Cefterio Garcia, in a blistering 10 round battle at Chicago Stadium tonight.

By his victory, Ross avenged the humiliation suffered when he fought in San Francisco last September. In that battle, the Filipino dropped Ross twice in the first round and had him sprawling on the ropes when the bell ended the round.

Tonight there was no doubt as to the result. Ross set his own pace, made Garcia fight as he wanted him to, and from the sixth round to the end, moved on with a furious rush that had the dark warrior bewildered.

In the sixth Ross poked 50 or more tantalizing left hands to the face, keeping his right in reserve. The Filipino managed to connect with only one blow in this session.

Then in the seventh Ross started out with a left again, but suddenly switched to a furious attack to the head and body that drove Garcia to the ropes. Ross won the eighth handily, and in the ninth he crashed in with a right and left to the jaw that knocked Garcia back on his heels.

Canadian Boxers Are Outpointed

LIVERPOOL, England, Nov. 28.—Two Canadian boxers received setbacks here tonight in their invasion of Britain.

Eddie Wenstob, the cowboy puncher from Viking, Alta., was outpointed in a 10-round bout with Roy Lazer.

Mog Mason, Welsh bantamweight champion, took an eight-round decision over Jack (Spider) Armstrong of Toronto.

Captain Fred Purser and other members of the team replied capably and in the course of their remarks showed their true sportsmanship by invariably paying tribute to their opponents and showing they were grateful to all who had helped them attain their achievement.

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CHEVROLET advertisement featuring a large image of a car and text: 'Now SEE-DRIVE-OWN THE ONLY COMPLETE LOW-PRICED CAR'.

BRINGING UP FATHER cartoon strip by George McManus. Panels show a man talking to a woman about a job and a surprise.

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