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Ambitious Fight Program To Attract Thousands; No Expense Is Spared

Is Holdout?



EDDIE SHORE

Joe MacDonald, promoter of many fistic programmes at the Forum this summer has proved beyond dispute that a good fight, capably handled, will draw several thousand customers and he has built up a following which has boundless faith in his fair-mindedness towards the public. In few words, Joe has tried to give the public a good show and has not nagged over the expense to give "olks their money's worth. His latest venture is the matching of Tommie Bland, Canadian lightweight champion and Bobbie Allan, pride of Pictou county, and a welterweight who had even the wise Boston fans paying plenty to see him last winter.

Bland and Allan are boys who have gone places and are still going places, and any of the big fight clubs in Boston, Montreal and Toronto would be tickled to death to bring them together. Bland has met champs and near-champs in Toronto, Buffalo, Detroit and Montreal rings, and against even the best on the continent he has never been far out of the money.

Allan was quite a fighter as long back as three years ago, but his sojourn in New England sharpened him up and the rough and tough Honey Melody, who is in line for a shot at the world's championship held by Barney Ross of Chicago, had a very busy evening taking a decision from him in ten rounds, not so many months ago. Allan is going back to New England when the winter boxing shows get under way and Bland will likely head for Upper Canada.

Next Monday night's bout in fact is a big town bill and Joe MacDonald, it's promoter is paying more money to make it possible than has ever been paid to two fighters in the history of boxing hereabouts. It is a red hot fight too, because the winner virtually becomes claimant to the welterweight championship of Canada now held by Gordon Wallace of Vancouver. Wallace of course, is a top-notch, and fights the best in the world.

It's a ripe fight for one other big reason—both boys are very ambitious and have a yen for getting into the big dough. Each is on the threshold of crashing into world prominence and all this being true neither can risk a blot on his record. It's a titbit for Island fans and it may be a long time before a main bout of such class is presented at the Forum or in any other Island ring.

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WOLFVILLE, N.S., Oct. 21—(CP)—Halifax Wanderers defeated Acadia University 5-3 here today in a Halifax City League rugby game to take a one-game lead over Dalhousie University in the "loops" standing and push Acadia, last year's champions, deeper into the cellar.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21—(C.P.)—Great Britain's world-championship women's field hockey team won its first start in defence of its title today, beating South Africa, 2-1, in the international tournament.

Previously, Australia had beaten Ireland, 5-4 in the opening game. Eva McRae, centre forward, shot the winning goal on a penalty shot climaxing a second rally by the Australians after they trailed 4-1 at the half.

Star Trotters Named For New Rich Stakes

By ORLO ROBERTSON
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, Oct. 21—(AP)—Practically every top flight trotter and pacer in the country has been named for the four rich stake events to be added to the 1937 Grand Circuit.

The quartet of stakes for all-age horses, carrying an aggregate value of between \$50,000 and \$60,000, will be awarded to the tracks making the highest bids to the Trotting Horse Club of America. Two events each are styled for trotters and pacers.

In both number of entries and value, the All-American stake for trotters heads the list. The race, one-heat handicap at 1 1-2 miles, will have an estimated value of close to \$20,000.

It has attracted such ranking performers as E. J. Baker's Greyhound, which recently trotted a mile in 1:57 1-4, and Gibson White's Rosalind, winner of this year's Hambletonian and holder of 2:01 3-4 mark.

The Champion Stake, also a handicap for trotters but to be raced in two-heat-in-three, has drawn practically the same field as the All-American. Its value will be \$9,000.

The pacing derby, offering side-wheelers the same type of race as trotters get in the All-American, has eight candidates which will race for about \$18,000. Cardinal Prince, 1:58 3-4, and Dominion Grattan, 1:59 1-4, have chalked up the fastest times of the field.

The Single G. Stake, named for one of the sport's greatest pacers, will be patterned on the same plan as the champion trotters and will carry a similar value. It has 11 entries, including every star of the last several seasons on the Grand Circuit.

Chilean Champ In Draw Bout With Haynes

NEW YORK, Oct. 21—(AP)—Arturo Godoy, Chilean heavyweight champion, opened his New York campaign in the New York Hippodrome tonight by fighting a furious 10-round draw with Leroy Haynes, veteran Philadelphia contender.

Godoy weighed 199 1-2 and Haynes 197 1-2.

The decision of Referee Johnny McAvoy and the two judges was cheered and jeered by the gallery of 4,000 customers, many of whom thought the South American had the better of a slugfist match packed with thrills from first go to last.

On the Associated Press score card Godoy won five rounds, Haynes three and two were called even.

Godoy, a fighter who likes to mix, tore in from the start to give the slower Haynes his busiest evening since his last scrap with Al Ettore. Using a busy left to jab the negro on the defensive, the speedy Chilean forced the fighting throughout, flashing a looping right.

Signed With Canadiens



BABE SIEBERT

Morris, Owens Run Close Race For Honour

NEW YORK, Oct. 21—(AP)—Glenn Morris and Jesse Owens, outstanding among America's Olympic heroes, are waging a close battle in the preliminary balloting for the 1936 award of the James E. Sullivan trophy, voted annually to the United States athlete "who by his performance, his example and his influence as an amateur and a man has done most during the year to advance the cause of sportsmanship."

With Nov. 13 the deadline, more than half of the tribunal of 600 national sports writers and leaders have nominated three candidates each to select a successor to last year's winner, Lawson Little, Jr., double winner of the British and United States golf titles in 1934-35.

On the basis of returns thus far, the leading candidates in order follow:

Glenn Morris—1936 A.A.U. and Olympic decathlon champion and world record holder.

Jesse Owens—triple Olympic champion and holder of numerous national and world sprint and broad jump records.

Dan Bulger Is Favorite For Cambridgeshire

LONDON, Oct. 21—(C.P. Cable)—The betting choice to win the Cambridgeshire is still Sir Abe Bailey's Dan Bulger, tonight's callover of odds showed. Dan Bulger was quoted 100 to 15.

Sir Alfred Butt's Noble King was quoted at 15 to 2. Odds on W. Barnett's Harna and Lady Ralls' Finalist were 100 to 9.

Other odds: Pegomas 100 to 8; Esquemeling 100 to 6; Hoywood, Aldine and Laureat 50 to 1; Noble Turk 20 to 1; Commander Third 22 to 1; Highlander 28 to 1; Hairo and Daytona 30 to 1; Sully Andrews, Crisa and Brinkley 33 to 1; Townton Moor, Lord G. Lee, Gay Venture and Rough Rider 50 to 1; Hypothesis 60 to 1; Princess Herodene 100 to 1.

MOTORCYCLIST KILLED
BELFOST—(CP)—J. T. Brown, well-known rider, was killed when he crashed, at nearly 80 miles an hour, into a telegraph pole in a 100-mile motorcycle race at Carradore, County Down.

Football Practice
Practice today for all the Nomads at Victoria Park at 5 o'clock sharp.

Halgionian Wins College Tennis Title

TORONTO, Oct. 21—(CP)—Hugh Little, of Halifax, walked away with the senior tennis championship title of Upper Canada College here today with a 6-2, 6-1, 6-1 defeat of M. G. Jones, of Toronto, in a disappointing final round encounter.

It had been expected that Jones would provide more opposition for the Halifax star, but from the start of the match there was no doubt as to the result.

There were many keenly-contested rallies with hard driving on both sides of the net, but Little, with a flashing backhand cross-court drive his chief attacking weapon, broke through the occasional opposition.

Frankie Martin Gains Decision

MONTREAL, Oct. 21—(CP)—Frankie Martin, Canadian bantamweight champion, gained a 10-round decision tonight over Henry Hook of Indianapolis.

The Montrealer weighed 119 1-2 pounds and Hook 118 1-2.

Martin won five of the 10 rounds while Hook took two and three were called even. Hook started from his corner with a rush but Martin's durable chin weathered the storm throughout the first round and from that time on he was pretty much in command of the situation.

Hook took a series of heavy body punches in the fifth when Martin had him cornered. In the sixth, the Montrealer opened a cut over Hook's eye, went on to win the seventh but slowed up in the eighth.

Martin went back to his charging tactics and body punching in the ninth and took command again. At the end he was punching Hook around almost at will.

Five Referee Recruits To Be Given Trials

DETROIT, Oct. 21—(CP)—Five referees will be given trials for the National Hockey League staff this winter. President Frank Calder said here. The whistle blowers will report at the N.H.L. school for referees at Montreal.

Clarence Campbell, Edmonton, H. P. Stevenson, Philadelphia, Lennie Crovat, New York, Bill Shaver, Los Angeles and Charlie "Rabbit" McVeigh are the recruits.

Capitalizes On Publicity Re Dismissal

BY PAUL MICKELSON
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, Oct. 21—(AP)—If you're one of the many who still boil when the Jarrett-Brundage Olympic dispute comes up for debate, why take time out and feel sorry for yourself.

Eleanor Heim Jarrett, smarter in the ways of the world and even prettier, is doing all right by herself since the day she was ceremoniously booted off the United States Olympic team for drinking too much champagne.

"Some newspapers," she said today a bit proudly, "reported that I got \$2,500 a week on my recent vaudeville tour. That's wrong. I got more than that."

Does the fair Eleanor spend her money for champagne?

"I'm no pinch penny," says Eleanor, "but I don't toss money around like paper napkins. I've paid up on my annuities to 1940. I don't think Mr. Brundage (Avery Brundage, head of the United States Olympic Committee) will ever have to throw any benefits for Mrs. Jarrett."

She gets more fan mail than ever, some of it of the blackmail variety.

Some even threaten to "expose" me, for what I do not know. Occasionally, I get telephone calls from a blackmailier who warns he knows all about a big party I had and that for so much money he'll keep the "facts" away from the newspapers. I tell them to go right ahead—that I'd like to read all about it.

The fair mermaid brought out a letter from her stack.

"For instance, here's a crank letter. The writer says he's got something on Avery Brundage and that for so much money he'll give me the facts so I can get revenge. Well, I don't like Mr. Brundage and I don't think he was fair with me, but I don't go in for that sort of stuff."

"Hard Work" Finishes First

LEPANTO, ARK., Oct. 21—(AP)—"Hard Work," a dependable old Arkansas racer, outlasted a field of 276 entries today to win the town's annual main street terrapin derby.

Two thousand townfolk and farmers cheered from the sidewalks when L. D. Miller's lightly-regarded entry sprinted (well hurried, anyway) down the course of 132 feet to win in 6:46 minutes.

There wasn't any doubt of the result from the time lawyer John Mosby fired the starting gun in front of San Stuckey's general store until "Hard Work" crossed the finish line and captured the \$15 prize.

Cecil Williams' "Socco" won the \$10 place money and Harold Fortenberry's "Discovery" the \$5 prize.

Reorganization Of Ontario Athletic Commission Is Aftermath Of Fight Fiasco

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
TORONTO, Oct. 21—(C.P.)—A disgusted spectator at Max Baer's last fistic endeavor, a bout with Dutch Welmer of Phoenix, Ariz., that lasted two rounds here Monday night, young Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn of Ontario today reorganized the Ontario Athletic Commission by making P. J. Mulqueen its chairman.

At the same time he issued instructions that the Commission refuse licenses for professional boxing shows until contracts between promoters and fighters were on the Commission's files. He called the Baer-Welmer bout a "fake, a fiasco and an insult to sport in the province."

The fight itself was brief, the former heavyweight champion knocking out Welmer with a short righthand punch. Buddy Baer, Max's brother, also appeared, and the brothers took away a total purse of \$3,200. A charitable society, sponsoring the show, collected about \$1,000.

Premier Hepburn, an enthusiastic fight fan—he saw Max Schreling beat Joe Louis in New York last summer—was incensed at the Commission's inability to force Baer to fight with Arthur Donovan of New York as referee. Donovan was brought here especially for the main bout.

Baer turned down the Donovan proposal and, because Max had no contract with the promoters, the Commission was unable to do anything about it.

The Commission Chairman, Hon. Dr. J. A. Faulkner, Minister of Health, will be replaced by Mr. Mulqueen, veteran chairman of the Canadian Olympic Committee who headed the Ontario Athletic Commission for a short time in 1934.

Braddock Given Fortnight To Post Guarantee

NEW YORK, Oct. 21—(AP)—The New York State Athletic Commission has granted James J. Braddock, world's Heavyweight Boxing Champion, an extension of two weeks in which to file a certified cheque for \$5,000 as a guarantee that he will go through with a title bout with Max Schmeling next June. Schmeling's cheque was filed with the Commission some months ago.

Braddock, now resting from an arthritis attack, is expected to appear before the Commission in two weeks for a physical examination.

SOCCER POPULAR IN FRANCE

PARIS—(CP)—Professional football, now in its fourth year in France, is making great strides. There are 43 pro clubs, a record for the continent, the French league being divided into three sections.

Down The Alleys

HOLY NAME BOWLING

Last night on the Holy Name Alleys twelve teams met with determination of staying right into the running and as a result the highest night's average bowling greeted the majority of teams that were on the verge of being eliminated, the low teams breaking away from the high ones and forging to the front amid great applause from the spectators who numbered close to four hundred people. Great interest is taken in this tournament. Following are the scores:

| FIRST | | |
|-------------|-----|---------|
| V. Coyle | 236 | 230 228 |
| D. Connors | 242 | 129 178 |
| Total—1242 | | |
| SECOND | | |
| H. Craswell | 281 | 243 241 |
| G. Doyle | 176 | 139 141 |
| Total—1225 | | |
| THIRD | | |
| F. Tierney | 173 | 215 244 |
| F. Millet | 202 | 151 137 |
| Total—1166 | | |
| FOURTH | | |
| E. Robin | 190 | 192 281 |
| G. Keenan | 146 | 144 123 |
| Total—1030 | | |
| FIFTH | | |
| W. Craswell | 181 | 246 221 |
| N. Kirwin | 112 | 128 141 |
| Total—1032 | | |
| SIXTH | | |
| J. Mullins | 150 | 204 201 |
| E. Gregory | 187 | 169 97 |
| Total—1008 | | |
| SEVENTH | | |
| A. Gormley | 145 | 148 159 |
| M. Tierney | 139 | 160 184 |
| Total—975 | | |
| EIGHTH | | |
| B. Gallant | 193 | 176 149 |
| M. Dunn | 162 | 169 129 |
| Total—969 | | |
| NINTH | | |
| C. Praught | 183 | 112 245 |
| M. Clinton | 97 | 123 128 |
| Total—892 | | |
| TENTH | | |
| R. Dalziel | 118 | 160 181 |
| M. Duffy | 124 | 145 124 |
| Total—869 | | |
| ELEVENTH | | |
| E. McCarey | 139 | 152 141 |
| N. McCarey | 110 | 139 107 |
| Total—784 | | |
| TWELFTH | | |
| F. Egan | 167 | 158 144 |
| H. Adams | 97 | 84 119 |
| Total—771 | | |

GEHRIG'S SMALL HEART

NEW YORK—(C)—Doctors who have examined Lou Gehrig, slugging first baseman of the world's champion New York Yankees baseball team, say one reason for his endurance is the small size of his heart.

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