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LOUIS FAVORED TO RETAIN TITLE TONIGHT

Negro Champion Quoted One To Two Shot On Eve Of Great Heavyweight Battle

By ALAN GOULD
Associated Press Staff Editor
NEW YORK, June 21—The gabbiest, gaudiest and, all things considered, the greatest heavyweight boxing rivalry in a decade reaches its climax tomorrow night in what promises to be a balmy, \$1,000,000 setting at Yankee Stadium.

IN THIS CORNER

With only the weatherman to be heard from, tonight's big heavyweight battle in New York between Joe Louis and Max Schmeling promises to go over the million-dollar mark in every sense of the word.

Ever since the night two June's ago when Schmeling started the fight world by knocking Louis out in twelve rounds, fans have been awaiting the return bout between the pair.

But can the young negro fighter overcome the memories of the beating he took on the last occasion he met the German and can he beat down the slow, methodical Tommy who is the only man to conquer him since he came into world-wide prominence?

Island fight fans are doing very little more than talking fight these days, for on top of the biggest Louis fight tonight is the biggest boxing card ever attempted on the Island coming up Thursday night when Leo Kelly engages Dominion middleweight champion Ray McInyre in a 10-round bout.

Although not opening any in his boxing with Braithwaite, the ethereal McInyre showed plenty of power and speed in his brilliant performance. Right now he is at the peak of his condition, confident of beating Kelly although expecting a plenty tough fight and will taper off training today.

Kelly and McCormack will also complete their work today. Knowing they face the stiffest test of their ring careers, both boys have taken themselves into the best shape of their lives.

There have been many fine cards presented here in the past but one has just to glance over Thursday night's lineup of boxing talent to see at a glance that this one is the "top." No expense has been spared in signing up the various fighters that will perform on the card, and if there isn't a record attendance then good bouts are just not appreciated.

Grand Circuit Gets Underway Monday Next

By ALAN RANDAL
Canadian Press Staff Writer
NEW YORK, June 21—(CP)—The 65th Grand Circuit, with 11 tracks, more horses and richer purses than ever before, gets underway June 27 at Fort Miami track, Toledo.

George Payne, chairman of the California Athletic Commission has offered Promoter Mike Jacobs a \$500,000 guarantee to stage a heavyweight championship bout in connection with the 1938 San Francisco Exposition.

Pete Herman, one of the gamest little men ever to enter the ring, will see the Schmeling-Louis fight through the eyes of his bride.

Former heavyweight champions by nickname: John L. (Boston strong boy) Sullivan...

Kelly Hurls One-Hitter Against Bees

Paddy Doherty's single over short in the seventh inning last night robbed Pete Kelly of a no-hit game in the City Softball League.

A 24-hit attack including three home runs, two triples and a double off two Bees hurlers made the game safe for the winners as they pushed five runs across a scoring frame.

REMEMBER WHEN
BY THE CANADIAN PRESS
Joe Louis became the second negro to hold the world's heavyweight boxing title when he battled champion Jimmy Braddock off the throne he held two years.

COMPLETES TRAINING
(A.P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
POMPTON LAKES, N. J., June 21—Joe Louis completed training for his heavyweight title defense against Max Schmeling by taking a box hike over the roads this morning and a three-round limbering up drill this afternoon.

Pre Battle Statements By Fight Principals

NEW YORK, June 21—(AP)—Just before the battle statements of Max Schmeling and Joe Louis:
SCHMELING... "I am, of course, confident. I know I have attained rare condition for this second meeting with Joe Louis. I believe I am at the peak of my career.

LOUIS... "I'll knock him out in two rounds. No less. I'm coming out fighting. Got to or there'll be no fight. Last time I met him I was not an experienced fighter. I had been winning all my fights just with my strength.

Jack Dempsey Is Unwitting Prognosticator
By Paul Mickelson, Associated Press Staff Writer
NEW YORK, June 21—Strange: of all by-plays mixed up in the Max Schmeling-Joe Louis ballyhoo has a somewhat dippy Jack Dempsey in the leading role.

So far, Jack has picked Schmeling to knock out Louis and Louis to knock out Schmeling. He can't possibly miss unless the fight turns out a draw.

Jack's troubles—and they are troubles because they've got him boiling mad—are chargeable to a couple of ghost writers who saw a chance to turn an extra dollar.

Maroon Problem Faces Governors Of N.H.L. Today
NEW YORK, June 21—(C.P.)—Financial difficulties besetting Montreal marooned some tonight as the main ice hockey game of the annual meeting of the National Hockey League to wrestle with here tonight.

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Giants Lose To Reds 6-2 With Hubbell On Mound; Indians Swamp Yankees

NEW YORK, June 21—Even Kink Carl Hubbell couldn't cool off those red-hot Reds from Cincinnati today, and they trounced the Giants 6-2 to climb within 1-2 games of the National Baseball League leaders.

At Boston, the Bees combined one solid hit with three errors to defeat St. Louis Cardinals 3-1 and give righthander Jim Turner his seventh triumph of the season.

NEW YORK, June 21—(AP)—Though Bob Feller was wild and gave nine bases on balls, the league-leading Indians backed up their young right-hander with a 14-hit attack today to swamp the Yankees 10-5 in Cleveland.

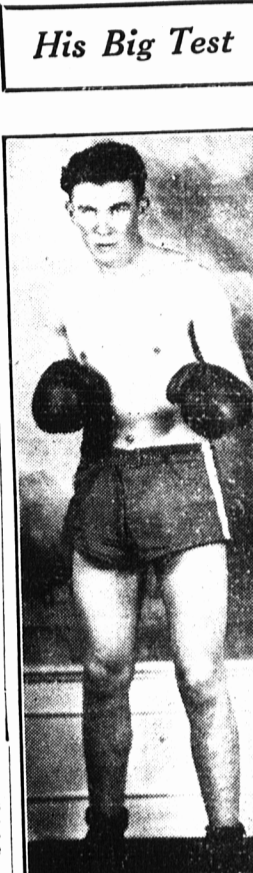
Frank (Pinky) Higgins, veteran Boston Red Sox third baseman enjoying a sensational hitting streak, fanned today by cracking out his 12th consecutive safe hit while the Sox and Detroit Tigers split a doubleheader.

Even two home runs with which Rudy York, Tiger slugger, entered a tie with Jimmy Foxx of Boston for the American League leadership at 19 each fell into the back-ground as Higgins, collecting eight hits, broke Tris Speaker's 18-year-old major league record.

His Big Test
Souris boxer who meets Cecil Braithwaite in the second main event of the Forum's big boxing card Thursday night. Kelly and McCormack tangle in the other main event.

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