

### Boxing War In N. Y. Settled

NEW YORK, July 17 — (AP) — The "war" between the International Boxing Club and the New York Managers' Guild was settled when the Managers' group accepted the I.B.C. offer of a minimum of \$4,500 for the two main event fighters from the club's share of the radio and television receipts.

Because the two were at odds on the amount to be paid the fighters from the radio and television revenue, Madison Square Garden has been without boxing most of the Friday nights this spring and summer.

Last Wednesday's Jake LaMotta-Tiberio Milti middleweight title bout was held without either radio or television because of the managers' strike.

### Horseshoe Club

Officials of the Brighton Horseshoe Club announced last evening that they will hold a doubles tournament over the Club Courts commencing tonight at 6.45.

The competition will be the best two out of three games elimination play.

The following is the draw for tonight's first round play:— 6.49 — E. Robin and A. Martin vs J. McCourt and J. Biota. 8.00 — L. Phillips and A. Doyle vs L. Crabbe and Eric Brown.

A third team in the tournament, G. Schleyer and R. Larter drew a bye into the second round.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 14 — (AP)—Possession of slot machines becomes illegal in California at midnight tonight. Most of them are being shipped to Nevada, where they are legal. The State Legislature outlawed the slots.

### Connie Mack More Firmly In Control

PHILADELPHIA, July 17—(AP) —That "for sale" sign on Philadelphia Athletics will be pulled down now that Connie Mack is entrenched more firmly than ever as head of the team he has directed for a half-century.

The 87-year-old manager and chief stockholder, in the fading days of a career that has brought him nine American League championships and five world series victories, recently announced the club is for sale if the price is right.

Several syndicates at once indicated interest. The chief one is headed by James P. Clark, president of Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League.

But now there is a possibility Mack will join with Earle and Roy, eldest of his three sons, and purchase the holdings of the other stockholders. It is reported they have been attempting to raise the necessary cash through Philadelphia banks.

It is believed it'll take at least \$1,500,000 to purchase the stock held by Connie Mack, Jr., and the heirs of John and Benjamin Shibe.

Connie, Jr., is the youngest of Mack's three sons and a half-brother of Earle and Roy. His mother is Connie's second wife.

Young Connie, head of the club's concession department and member of the board of directors, is willing to sell his 12 per cent. So are the Shibe interests, who hold 42 per cent.

Some years ago, Mack gave each of his three sons 12 per cent of his stock and retained 22 per cent for himself. Roy is vice president of the club. Earle, until a recent shakeup, was assistant manager, now is chief scout.

The Shibe holdings are divided among seven descendants of Benjamin Shibe, who supplied the money when the American League club was placed in Philadelphia by the circuit's founder, Ban Johnson.

People in the know say there also is a possibility Mack and his sons, Earle and Roy, intend to purchase the stock so as to have it all in one bunch, for sale to one of the syndicates.

Clark's group is believed to have the inside track if the club moves out of the Mack family. From an authentic source, it was learned Clark's group has or is ready to offer in excess of \$3,000,000 for the club, the ball park and the farm system.

### Sport Echoes From Prince County

We've watched a lot of baseball over the last week-end. We've seen some very fine plays and some exhibitions of stumblebumnery. Arguments regarding rule interpretations shared the spotlight with home runs and fancy pitching chores. We saw McCulloch go within one inning of one of the finest pieces of pitching seen here this season, only to be shelled from the mound in the final frame by five consecutive base-hits. We saw Bob St. Pierre complete twelve hitless innings against the Charlottetown Knights of Columbus before Phil Murphy broke out of the handcuffs with a single to left field.

One argument concerned the throwing of a fielder's cap at a batted ball. Is the runner entitled to three bases? Not unless the cap comes in contact with the ball, it says here in the rule book we have in front of us. Under Rule 47, section 5, this note appears: "Note also the mere act of throwing a cap, glove or part of uniform at ball in itself is not a violation unless the article comes in contact with the ball."

Another argument cropped up when a "squeeze" play was on and the catcher caught the ball in front of the plate and tagged the runner out. The umpire called the runner safe, and Coach Rouse of Dieppe disagreed, claiming that since the batter had stepped aside the catcher hadn't interfered with the batter in any way by crossing the plate, and so the runner should have been called out. Wrong, Mr. Rouse, if you can believe what it says here.

Rule 47, section 9, says: "In event a base-runner is trying to score from third base on a pitched ball... a 'balk' and also an 'interference' shall be called if the catcher runs out in front of the plate to catch the ball, and the runner shall be allowed to score." It doesn't seem to matter if he interfered with the batter or not. The penalty is imposed for running in front of the plate to catch the ball.

Well, as long as baseball is played, these matters will come up, and it adds interest to the game. No umpire or coach or sports writer should feel bad about getting one of these rules a bit twisted once in a while. It can happen to anyone, unless he's a professional umpire earning his living by giving these decisions. That fellow has got to have all these things at his fingertips. The rest of us have other things to do, and can well be excused if we don't have the rules off by heart.

We remember quite a long time ago watching a game between two rural teams. A batter struck out, and thinking the catcher had caught the ball, went over and sat on the bench. Then he suddenly realized that no ball had been pitched, the catcher had caught the third strike, but the ball had rolled some distance away from him. The player got off the bench and ran to first. This started an argument, into which with a great deal of assurance and perhaps a bit of arrogance, too, we precipitated ourselves. "He just can't do that," we said, "He went too far off the base line. He's out". The captain of the team listened to our oratory very meekly and then pulled a badly crumpled rule book from his overall hip pocket. He read a little note below one of the rules which said that a player could do just exactly what the runner in question had done. He could sit on the bench and then afterwards go to first. We looked around to see if there was a hole we could jump into, but not finding any, we lost ourselves among the spectators as fast as we could.

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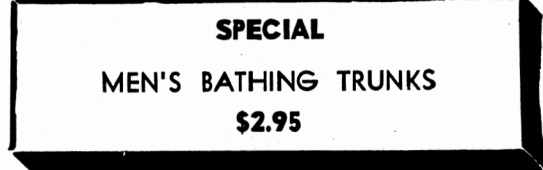
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