

HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMP THROUGH MANAGER, JACK KEARNS, ASKS \$750,000 TO MEET COLORED BOXER

Will Fight St. Paul Challenger for Exactly \$350,000 With Privilege of Cutting in on Gate Receipts.

By DAVIS J. WALSH. NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The rather dignified sum of \$1,100,000, almost the size of the gate on the night Dempsey fought Firpo, has been set as the price of the champion's possible return to the ring, according to reports in circulation today.

For the Gibbons bout, it was said, the Kearns demand was exactly \$350,000, with the privilege of cutting in on the receipts above that figure.

It is more than likely, therefore, that he will abandon any thought that he may have had about this attraction and confine his attention to matching the champion with Gibbons at a more modest and consoling rate of exchange.

Neither Tex Rickard nor those behind the financing of Henderson's proposed stadium would admit today that such was the case, and not without reason. It is a violation of the boxing code in this state to quote fixed guarantees to any fighter.

Indoor Sports



By Tad

Three-Eye League Expands to Eight-Club Loop; Wylie President

HICAGO, ILL., Feb. 10.—The Three-Eye League, the oldest minor circuit in America, expanded from six to eight clubs Monday when representatives of Springfield and Quincy, Ill., posted a \$2,000 forfeit as a guarantee to finish the 1925 season.

Action on the schedule was deferred to give the club owners opportunity to consider playing charts submitted. It was decided, however, to open the season May 5 and close September 13 and to play a schedule of 140 games.

Husker Cagers Trim Grinnell

Lincoln, Feb. 10.—The Grinnell basketball team was on its way home today, following a defeat by the Nebraska Cornhuskers by the narrow margin of a 35 to 29 score.

Walnut Hill Five Blanked by Long

The basket shooting of Captain William Ware featured Long's 60 to 0 whitewash administered the Walnut Hill quintet in the feature game of the Omaha Bee grade school basketball tournament Monday.

MONROE BEATS JOEY SANGER

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 9.—Frankie Monroe of Los Angeles outpointed Joey Sanger in a 10-round bout here tonight, in the opinion of the majority of newspaper men at the ringside.

BERLENBACH STOPS FRANKIE MAGUIRE

Philadelphia, Feb. 9.—Paul Berlenbach, New York light-heavyweight, stopped Frankie Maguire, Williamsport, Pa., in the fifth round of a 10-round bout here tonight.

FRENCH FIGHTER ACCEPTS TERMS

PARIS, Feb. 10.—The sporting paper, L'Auto, says Edouard Mascart's manager, M. Tetard, has cabled Tex Rickard, New York fight promoter, accepting his terms for a bout with the world's featherweight champion, "Kid" Kaplan, in Madison Square Garden on March 20.

Braves After Irish Meusel

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Dave Bancroft, manager of the Boston Braves, admitted today that his club is interested in a trade involving Irish Meusel, left-fielder for the Giants, and said that the chief obstacle was the contract which Meusel was under last season from the New York club.

Following the Horses

MIAMI. First race, 6 furlongs: Great Moments (Williams) 7.90 4.20 2.40. Fair Break (Hester) 7.00 3.50 2.40. Golden Age (Noe) 6.50 3.50 2.40.

Western Star Five Wins

The Western Star quintet dropped a thrilling basket ball contest to the Cecile Athletic club, 37 to 20, at the Turner hall last night.

Trainer of Man O' War to Train Log Cabin Stable

Louis Feustel, who trained Man O' War, has signed as trainer for the Log Cabin stable, the owner of which is W. A. Harriman.

Fordham Has Hard Schedule

Fordham university's crack basketball five, which has conquered the Army and Holy Cross in compiling a winning streak of seven straight games, faces a stiff schedule this week.

Chicago-Grover Cleveland Alexander

Chicago pitcher of the National League, today signed his contract for 1925 with the Chicago Cubs. This will be his 15th season in the majors.

FAIR GROUNDS

Dr. Glenn (W. Harvey) 4.5 1.3 1.6. Tuppity Withers 4.5 1.3 1.6. Miss Kate 4.5 1.3 1.6. Time: 1:13 3/4. Newmarket, Last One.

TIJ JUANA

First race: Three furlongs: What's the Time, 108 (Wallis) 10.40 5.60. Lady Julia 11.5 (Roberts) 9.50 5.00.

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Shirley Louise 11.1 (Eleanor) 10.75. Sheba Flowers 10.5 (Little Betty) 10.75.

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DETROIT WANTS GIBBONS-FIRPO GO

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BISONS DEFEAT MIDLAND FIVE

Freemont, Neb., Feb. 10.—The North Dakota Bisons stamped in the Midland gym Monday and Coach Speers' basketweavers were trampled underfoot by the score of 39 to 15.

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Advertisement for Grandmother Knows Brandreth's Pills. Features an illustration of a woman's face and text: 'Grandmother Knows Brandreth's Pills', 'Newsey Sportlets', 'Its coolness and mellow "body" are a revelation to pipe smokers', 'Back about 1870, James N. Wellman developed a secret tobacco process which won instant and widespread favor. It yielded a fuller-bodied richness, mildness and fragrance which just seemed to "go" with a pipe. No one else ever knew his secret until we acquired "Wellman's Method" and by its means made "Granger Rough Cut"'. 'Entirely Vegetable. They should be in every home. AT YOUR NEAREST DRUG STORE. Chemicals Control & Plant'.