Second Place at Stake in Metro Loop Today When Standards Play Schneiders

Game on Tap for Western League Park

Knights of Columbus-Woodmen Contest Scheduled for Fontenelle Park—Murphys Meet Enginemen.

By HORACE L. ROSENBLUM

SECOND place will be decided in the feature game of the Metropolitan league between the Schneider Electrics and the Standard Laundry, who will meet at 3:30 o'clock, at League park, today. In the first round the Laundry men handed the Wire men a terrible shock when the Clothes Cleaners scored seven runs to the Schneider's one, but this time the Schneiders, who have been strengthened by the addition of Bostick, an old-time ball player, expect to set the Standards back. The Standards, on the other hand, will miss the service of Dick Wages, second sacker, who injured his shoulder in the mix between the Cops and the Laundry men last Sunday. Wages will be out of the game for some time. Kriegler will probably be switched from left field to second base, and Johnny Drexel will play left field. Lawrence Custer, Nebraska Medic pitcher, will hurl for the Schneiders, while Art Dyck will do the twirling for the north side cleaners.

Another good game in the Metro loop will be the Knights of Columbus-Woodmen of the World game at Fontenelle park. The Knights are now tied with the Standards for third place, while the Woodmen are in sixth place in the league standings. Both the Woodmen and the Knights were victims of ninth inning rallies and defeats at the hands of the league-leading Murphy Did Its. Sil Pavlik, the slender right handed hurler, will do the mound work for Mirasky's team, while either Jimmy Moore or Leo Krupski will throw for the Woodmen.

The Murphy Did Its ought to raise their string of wins to ten this afternoon at Fort Omaha when they meet the tail-end U. P. Enginemen.

The Carter Lakes and the dope upsetting Police team will tangle in the fourth Metro loop contest at the Carter Lake club grounds in what ought to be a good game. In the first round the Cops snagged a 3 to 2 victory from the club boys when Frank Crawford allowed the lake side men but one safe blow. Sel Smith, who formerly twirled for the Townsends, will do the twirling for the club men, while Manager Crawford will take the mound for the beatwalkers.

Three good games are on tap in the American league, the best of which will be the Omaha Sporting Goods Co.-Paxton Billiard game at 1:30 at League park. The Sport Store team is in second place, with the Billiard men but one-half game behind. Ace Whited's league-leading C. B. & Q. team will meet the Postoffice team at Muny Beach. Uncle Sam's mailcarriers were the only team to score a victory over the Railroaders in the first round, and no doubt will make the Burlington's team hustle to win. The Kinney Shoe-U. S. Yards game at Riverview park ought to be a close affair.

In the Southern loop the West Improvers league leaders will meet the Michka grocers at Athletic park. The Michkas were one of the two teams to hand the Improvers a defeat, and according to Manager Hefflinger will turn the trick again this afternoon. The Janda Funerals who are in second place will meet the South Omaha Boosters who have been going good of late in the first game at Athletic park.

The Vinton Merchants, loop leaders of the Gate city league will meet a tough opponent in the Frost batteries at Fort Omaha at 1:30 p. m. The Vintons are now handicapped by the loss of Catcher Joe Vogel who injured his hand last Sunday. Manager Jimmy Skomal will do the catching for the Merchants. The Nebraska National Guards and the Ajax Tires will provide the amusement for the fans in the second game at Thirty-second and Dewey avenue. Ernie Holmes Juniors in second place in this loop will meet the winless Clark team in the prelim to the Ajax-Guards game.

Three good games should be played in the Junior Omaha loop this afternoon as the contestants in, all the games booked are pretty evenly matched. The William Street Merchants, holders of first place, will meet the Gibson Ramblers who are in second place, in the main go at Miller Park. The Y. M. H. A. Juniors who play in streaks are liable to win from the West Leavenworth Merchants. They play at Miller park at 1:30 p. m. In the other game in the Junior Omaha the Kaiman Insurance and the Polish Athletic club will tangle at 3:30 p. m. at Christie Heights.

South Omaha Juniors, leaders of the Junior Intercity loop will meet the Swift Independents in the only game to be played on the grounds at West Elmwood. Two other good games are on tap in this league.

Royal Coffman Is Twelve Pounds Over Regular Weight

Royal Coffman, Council Bluffs amateur lightweight boxer who is a member of the United States Olympic team now enroute to the big games in Paris, is 12 pounds over weight, according to word received here.

Fred Boylstein of Pittsburgh who beat the Council Bluffs boy in the finals of the lightweight division at Boston several days ago, is also over weight.

Trio of Amateur Players Who Feature Murphy Victories

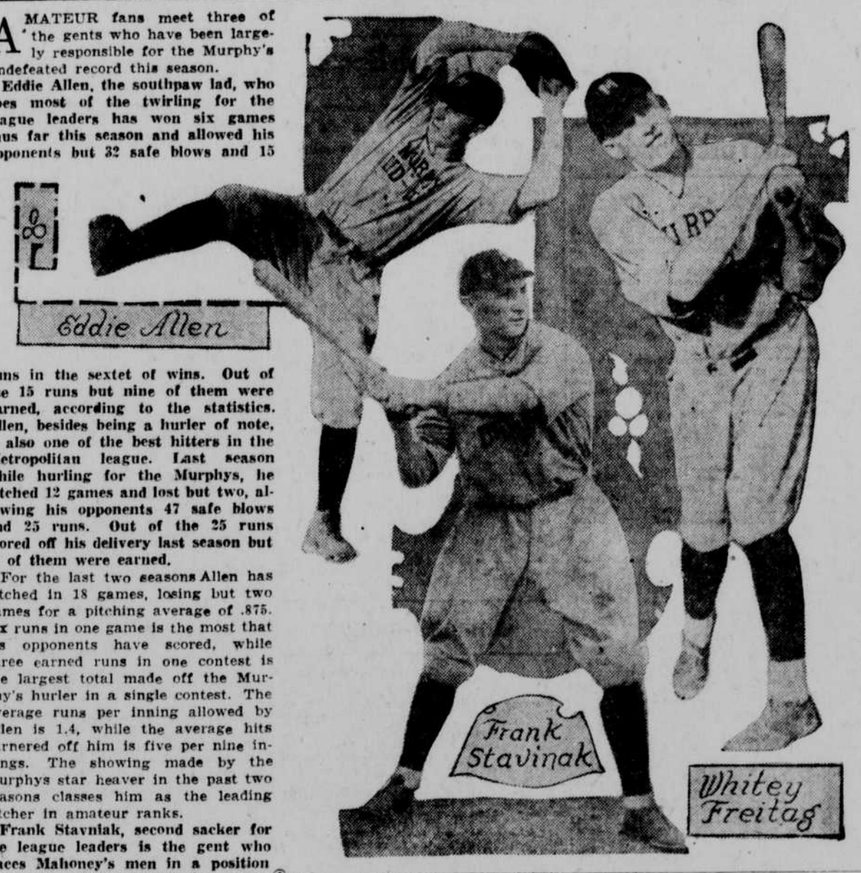
AMATEUR fans meet three of the gents who have been largely responsible for the Murphy's undefeated record this season.

Eddie Allen, the southpaw lad, who does most of the twirling for the league leaders has won six games thus far this season and allowed his opponents but 32 safe blows and 15 runs in the sextet of wins. Out of the 15 runs but nine of them were earned, according to the statistics. Allen, besides being a hurler of note, is also one of the best hitters in the Metropolitan league. Last season while hurling for the Murphys, he pitched 12 games and lost but two, allowing his opponents 47 safe blows and 25 runs. Out of the 25 runs scored off his delivery last season but 13 of them were earned.

For the last two seasons Allen has pitched in 18 games, losing but two games for a pitching average of .875. Six runs in one game is the most that his opponents have scored, while three earned runs in one contest is the largest total made off the Murphy's hurler in a single contest. The average runs per inning allowed by Allen is 1.4, while the average hits garnered off him is five per nine innings. The showing made by the Murphys star heaver in the past two seasons classes him as the leading pitcher in amateur ranks.

Frank Stavniak, second sacker for the league leaders is the gent who places Mahoney's men in a position to score in their ninth inning rallies when he delivers the hit that advances the runner and makes it possible for the automen to score the necessary runs to win.

The Murphys ought to change their name to the Whitey-Did-Its after their star utility player "Whitey" Freitag who has, on two successive Sundays, poled out safe blows which scored runs enough to turn in wins in ninth inning rallies over the Woodmen and the Knights of Columbus. This season is Freitag's first year in the Metro loop and he has more than come up to the expectations of Manager "Ike" Mahoney.



AMATEUR STANDINGS

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE.
Team Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Lose.
Murphy Did Its	9	0	1.000	1.000	.900
Schneider Electrics	5	3	.625	.667	.555
Standard Laundry	5	4	.556	.600	.500
Knights of C.	5	4	.556	.600	.500
Carter Lake Club	4	4	.500	.556	.444
Woodmen of World	4	5	.444	.500	.400
Omaha Police	2	7	.222	.300	.200
U. P. Enginemen	1	8	.111	.200	.100

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Team Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Lose.
C. B. & Q.	7	1	.875	.888	.778
Omaha S. Goods	5	3	.625	.667	.556
Paxton Billiards	4	3	.571	.625	.400
Sam Ellas	4	4	.500	.556	.444
Kinney Shoes	4	4	.429	.500	.375
McKenney Dentists	3	5	.375	.444	.333
Postoffice	3	5	.375	.444	.333
U. S. Yards	2	6	.250	.333	.222

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.
Team Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Lose.
West L. Improvers	7	2	.778	.800	.700
Janda Funerals	6	3	.667	.700	.600
Micka Grocery	5	4	.556	.600	.500
S. O. Boosters	4	5	.444	.500	.400
Dietz Club	3	6	.333	.400	.300
Security B. Ass'n	2	7	.222	.300	.200

GATE CITY LEAGUE.
Team Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Lose.
Vinton Merchants	8	1	.889	.900	.800
Frost Batteries	6	2	.667	.700	.600
Ernie Holmes	6	3	.667	.700	.600
Neb. Nat'l Guards	4	5	.444	.500	.400
Ajax Tires	3	6	.333	.400	.300
W. G. Clarks	0	9	.000	.100	.000

JUNIOR OMAHA LEAGUE.
Team Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Lose.
Wm. St. Mchts.	8	1	.889	.900	.800
Gibson Ramblers	6	3	.667	.700	.600
Kaiman Insurance	4	5	.444	.500	.400
W. Leav. Mchts.	4	5	.444	.500	.400
Y. M. H. A. Jrs.	3	6	.333	.400	.300
Polish Athletic C.	2	7	.222	.300	.200

INTERCITY JUNIOR LEAGUE.
Team Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.	Win.	Lose.
S. O. Juniors	8	1	.889	.900	.800
Brown Park Mchts.	7	2	.778	.800	.700
24th & Ames Mchts	5	4	.556	.600	.500
Swift Ind.	3	6	.333	.400	.300
Corr Electrics	2	7	.222	.300	.200
Vinton Cubs	2	7	.222	.300	.200

Amateur Batting Averages

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE.

Player, Team.	A.B.	Hits.	Pct.
Swartz, Carter Lakes	11	8	.727
Fisher, U. P. Enginemen	7	4	.571
Wages, Standards	26	11	.423
J. F. Mirasky, K. C.	34	14	.412
Fitzgibbons, U.P. Eng'men	16	6	.375
Targy, Police	8	3	.375
Nick, K. C.	29	10	.345
Stavniak, Murphys	38	13	.342
Krug, Murphys	33	11	.333
C. Ryan, Police	21	7	.333
Leahy, K. C.	3	1	.333
Kelley, U. P. Enginemen	22	7	.318
Moore, W. O. W.	19	6	.316
Dodd, Schneiders	29	9	.310
Wachtler, Standards	23	7	.304
Freitag, Murphys	20	6	.300
Milroy, Police	10	3	.300
Kibbler, Schneiders	23	7	.304
McKeague, W. O. W.	17	5	.294
Allen, Murphys	24	7	.292
Crawford, Police	28	8	.286
Smimock, W. O. W.	7	2	.286
Spellman, W. O. W.	29	7	.280
Tucker, W. O. W.	36	10	.278
Kreigler, Standards	37	10	.278
Mahoney, Murphys	37	10	.270
Armstrong, Police	30	8	.267
O.Conner, U.P. Enginemen	31	8	.258
Shalberg, Murphys	35	9	.257
Rudlacz, W. O. W.	35	9	.257
F. Mirasky, K. C.	35	9	.257
Baumgardner, Schneiders	16	4	.250
Tolliver, U. P. Enginemen	4	1	.250
Porter, U. P. Engineven	4	1	.250
Postlewait, Schneiders	24	6	.250
Pavlik, U. P. Enginemen	16	4	.250
Russell, U. P. Enginemen	31	8	.258
J. Tracy, W. O. W.	37	9	.243
Meier, Schneiders	25	6	.240
Krupski, W. O. W.	25	6	.240
Healey, Police	25	6	.240
Dyck, Standards	30	7	.233
Roney, W. O. W.	30	7	.233
S. Feltman, Standards	30	7	.233
Guinotte, Murphys	39	9	.231
Brandt, Standards	39	8	.229
Christensen, Schneiders	18	4	.222
Di Jacomo, Schneiders	9	2	.222
McCreary, Carter Lakes	32	7	.219
Mack, U. P. Enginemen	23	5	.217
Taylor, Schneiders	23	5	.217
Parlsey, U. P. Enginemen	14	3	.214
J. J. Mirasky, K. C.	19	4	.211
Yates, Murphys	29	6	.207
F. Ryan, Murphys	36	7	.194
Nelson, Police	11	2	.182
Kralicek, W. O. W.	17	3	.176
Masters, Carter Lakes	29	5	.172
Mancuso, Standards	36	6	.167
Bernstein, W. O. W.	13	2	.167
Hopkins, Schneiders	6	1	.167
Garvey, K. C.	14	2	.143
Fellers, Carter Lakes	14	2	.143
G. Sutel, Murphys	7	1	.143
Kane, K. C.	7	1	.143
Smith, Carter Lakes	28	4	.143
Wheeler, Police	18	2	.133
Cooper, Schneiders	8	1	.125
Kruger, Police	25	3	.120
Koran, Carter Lakes	26	3	.115
P. Tracy, K. C.	18	2	.111
Coffey, U. P. Enginemen	9	1	.111
Shanahan, K. C.	21	2	.095
Butts, Police	22	2	.091

Dust From Amateur Diamonds

"Bud" Redden, shortstop for the Cudahy Packers, is the find of the season, according to Zaporanoski, manager of the meat men. So far this season the midget shortstop has made but one error and is hitting the ball hard.

"Shine" Davis, pitcher, and Glascow, outfielder, have been released by the C. B. & Q. team of the American league. According to Manager Whited, these players were not released because they were not good enough, but the fact that they were too good to sit on the bench. Some fast senior team ought to grab them.

Joe Newberger, left fielder for the Ernie Holmes team, covered himself with glory last Sunday when he made a great running catch.

Johnny Braniff, the southpaw hurler of the C. B. & Q. team, has 82 strikeouts to his credit in the seven games he has pitched.

Johnny Satrapa, first sacker for the Ernie Holmes team, is sure slapping the old "pill."

"Ace" Whited, manager of the C. B. & Q. team, is sure indebted to Manager Frank Greene of the Knights of Columbus team for the return of Johnny Grogan, the demon short fielder. In the last two games Grogan hit good, accepted 11 chances in the field without an error and figured in four double plays.

Tommy Koutsky of the Ernie Holmes team pitched shutout ball for seven innings last Sunday against the Nebraska National Guard team, in the eighth he weakened and had to be replaced by Tony Egermier, who held the Guards in check for the balance of the contest.

Mason and Jensen are staging a pretty battle to see who will be the first string catcher for the Burlington team. From the latest reports the mix seems to be even, with both of the backstoppers hitting the ball for an average of .297.

Herman Nick is playing a good game at corner three for the Ernie Holmes Juniors.

That trio of outfielders, namely, Shyrock, Morrison and Hap Jordan, who are connected with the C. B. & Q. team, are pulling down the high ones in the outer gardens for the railroaders. Jordan, the left fielder, has made but one error thus far this season and that was on a hard chance that went in the trees at Miller park.

Winn Egermier, the nifty backstopper of the Ernie Holmes team, nipped a couple of Guards base runners last Sunday, when they attempted to pilfer the keystone sack.

Jim Sutel, first sacker for the Burlingtons, is the gent who has delivered the needed hits for the railroaders in their last two contests. The husky guardian of the initial sack put the game on ice last Sunday when he poled one to the trees in right center at Miller park.

Ecker, flashy shortstop, who handles the hot ones around the short field for the Ernie Holmes team, is hitting the old agate at a dizzy gait.

Since Dode Hubatka's charley horse left him the veteran second sacker has been playing a good game at second for the C. B. & Q. team. Dode is the gent that pulls the old trick of getting the opposing pitcher to toss the ball to him while the base runners advance a base.

Harry Sunblad, manager of the Dietz M. E. church team, hurled his team to victory last Tuesday evening, allowing his opponents but four scattered hits. The manager's singles on three different occasions during the Parkvale-Dietz game were responsible for four scores.

The following is a paragraph from a letter received from Ace Whited, manager of the C. B. & Q. team of the American league:

"This being the C. B. & Q.'s first year in Omaha amateur baseball, we don't know if this year is any different than any other, but we want to say that we have never played against cleaner players, or had more fair or impartial umpires and we couldn't ask for better treatment from the management of the amateur association and from the amateur sporting writers."

Vodicka, new third-sacker of the C. B. & Q.'s, has hit safely seven times out of 11 trips to the platter.

Ray Laharty, John Atkins and Derrill Childs have been signed by Manager Walthers to play with the West Leavenworth Merchants of the Junior Omaha league. Laharty has been playing good ball, while Atkins and Childs have just completed a successful season with Tech High's second team.

A bad error in the second inning of the Sam Ellis-Burlington game caused the downfall of Hurlee Shook of the Barber Shop team, although he whiffed 13 of the Burlington batters and allowed them but four safe hits in the nine innings.

Sofio, Krebs, E. Ambrose, Luebbe and Carnazzo of the Dietz M. E. church team are hitting the ball over the .500 mark. Carlson is just below the coveted mark.

Cecil Lehr, manager of the Standard Laundry team, is of the opinion that the Schneider Electrics ought to be made to play the game that was donated to them by the Police team a week ago last Sunday, when the beatwalkers failed to show up for their scheduled contest against the electric men.

I. Schreibman, southpaw outfielder, played his first game with the Kaiman Insurance team last Sunday and made a dandy impression with the followers of the Insurance nine.

A. Glasgow, with a triple and a double, and F. Pascale, with a pair of two-sackers, were the hitting stars for the Sam Ellas against the Burlington team last Sunday.

The Kaiman Insurance nine drove Phil Wilkinson, former grade school star, who is now hurling for the West Leavenworth Merchants, off the mound last Sunday, when they secured six runs and eight hits off his delivery in the two rounds he was on the mound.

Kaiser, shortstop for the Sam Ellas, "killed" a sure rally in the eighth inning of the Burlington-Sam Ella game when he speared Hubatak's line drive and doubled Grogan at second base.

Vincent Bazar, formerly of the Tech High Reserves, has solved the shortstop position for the Kaiman Insurance nine. The insurance men's new infielder is fast on his feet and is a handy man with the stick in the pinches.

Ed Forman, catcher of the Janda Funeral Home, has been released on account of injuries to his shoulder.

Art Glasgow's spectacular catch was easily the feature of the Sam Ellas-Burlington game last Sunday.

Ted Cleborad, catcher for the Itens of the Industrial league, who replaced Ed Forman back of the bat for the Jandas, caught a nice game in his first appearance in the embalmers' lineup.

Lucien Shook, former State leaguer, who does the hurling for the Sam Ellas, always pitches a good game, but errors on the part of his teammates at critical times has caused him to lose close games.

Art Glasgow, second sacker for the Sam Ellas, is hitting close to the .450 mark for the Ames Avenue Barbers.

The Janda Funeral Home team boosted its batting averages last Sunday when it got a total of 16 hits off the delivery of "Chick" Taylor, pitcher for the Security Benefit association.

Bleicher, Central High catcher, who does the backstopping for the Y. M. H. A. team of the Junior Omaha league, is performing in great style back of the platter for the Hebrew lads.

Braniff, the brilliant southpaw pitcher of the Burlington team, besides having a total of 82 strikeouts in seven games, has passed but five men and hit but one batter. With the stick, the crooked arm hurler has a batting average of .291 and a fielding average of .869. The Burlington star heaver is 19 years old and weighs about 180 pounds.

"Lefty" Handler, southpaw hurler for the Y. M. H. A. Juniors, who won the tennis title at Tech High recently, has laid aside his tennis racket for the balance of the summer and will devote all his spare time to the art of hurling the horsehide.

The Jandas have two batteries in Farris and Cleborad and Goodrow and Maxwell.

Chaiken, first sacker for the Y. M. H. A. Juniors, is a demon when it comes to grabbing the wild throws that come in the direction of first base.

With the following lineup the Janda Funerals expect to win from the strong West L Improvement club when the two teams have their next game: C. Bachman, catcher; John Hartnett, right field; L. Devine, center field; Leo Bazar, third base; John Stanesic, shortstop; Theodore Kralicek, second base; Fred Bachman, first base; Ted Cleborad and Maxwell, catchers; Farris and Goodrow, pitchers.

Arthur Green and Reis, second sacker and shortstop for the Y. M. H. A. Juniors of the Junior Omaha loop, make a dandy combination around the keystone sack.

The West Leavenworth Merchants, who are in third place in the Junior Omaha league, have one of the best organized teams in the Junior circuits. The Merchants are now under the management of Fred Walthers, veteran ball player, who at one time managed several of Omaha's fastest amateur teams.

L. Devine, who formerly played with the Schoening Hardware team of Council Bluffs, has signed to play with the Janda Funeral Home.

Elmer Greenberg, third sacker for the Y. M. H. A. Juniors, returned to the lineup last Sunday after a two weeks' layoff on account of injuries.

It was incorrectly reported last Wednesday that the K. B. Printing Co. got one hit off Pitcher Don Huston of the Overland Tires. The report was incorrect, as the printers failed to get a hit or run off the former Tech High star. The Tiremen won, 11 to 0.

Tommy Meier, second sacker for the Schneider Electrics, has signed to play on Saturdays with the Overland Tires of the Industrial loop.

F. Fitzwilliams and Russell Stansbury have been released by the Overland Tires.

Louis Goodrow, playing left field for the Janda Funeral Home last Sunday, starred at bat when he hit a double and triple out of five times up.

Web Benning is another gent who has signed his monicker to an Overland contract.

French Driver Turns in Fast Time With Car

Los Angeles, June 21.—Leon Duray is the undisputed king of all Ascot speedway drivers. Defeating the supposedly invincible Ralph De Palma in two competitive races over the oval gave Duray one leg on the local track championship. Yesterday the French pilot hurled his 1925 Miller, the only one of its kind, around Ascot in a semi-official trial in 29 4-5 seconds, just one-fifth of a second faster than De Palma's time for the circuit.

Green Bay.—Jack Schoendorf of Milwaukee outpointed Jimmy Nuss of this city in a sensational 10-round bout here. Nuss scored a knockdown in the fourth round and Schoendorf dropped the local man in the sixth. They are middleweights.

Top-Notch Bouts Scheduled for Milk Fund Show

Great Array of Fistic Talent to Clash on Card Thursday Night—Tunney to Meet Spalla.

By EDWARD W. COCHRANE.

THE latest foreign boxing importation to display his wares before a critical American audience, is Ermino Spalla, Italy's chief entry in the heavyweight division of pugilism. This bronze-skinned athlete, who stayed 14 rounds with Luis Angel Firpo and claimed he would have won when he floored the Argentine hulk, except for the long count, will make his initial start since he landed in the United States when he is tossed into the ring with Gene Tunney, American light heavyweight champion, in one of the feature battles of the milk fund show in New York Thursday night. In the other two main bouts on the same program Harry Greb, middleweight chief, will meet Ted Moore of England and Young Stribling, the Georgia sensation, will clash with Paul Berlenbach, Brooklyn's knockout king.

Of the many foreigners who have invaded these shores this year with championship aspirations, Spalla is the only one who has been given credit for showing enough class in training to be considered a dangerous for a good American boxer. There are critics who fear that Tunney has taken on a very serious argument. Fortunately, for the former army boxer, the Italian is a little above the weight limit of the light heavyweight division, so Tunney's title will be safe even if he finishes second.

Gives Firpo Hard Fight.

Spalla's chief claim to distinction is the manner in which he fought Firpo not many months ago down in Buenos Aires. The Italian had defeated every fighter he had met in Europe and was booked in New York when he suddenly decided to go to South America. He was considered a setup, but he registered the surprise of Firpo's boxing career by staying 14 rounds. In the third he floored Firpo and claims the referee gave the "wild bull" a long count, enabling him to regain his feet when he should have been counted out. Whether there is any foundation for this claim is not known here, but it is a fact that Spalla gave Luis a terrific battle and proved that he is a dangerous fighter.

The Italian is said to possess a punch that will floor any heavyweight if it lands in the proper location. The fact that he sent Firpo sprawling to the resined canvas is proof enough of this statement. He is not very clever, but is tough or he could not stand up under the clubbing of the Argentine mauler for 14 sessions. Firpo finally wore him down, but he did not put him out with any one punch, although he landed with all of his force on many occasions.

Tunney Body Puncher.

Tunney has little to gain and much prestige to lose in this encounter. He is a clever, hard-hitting fighter with plenty of experience. If he beats Spalla critics will merely claim he whipped another European false alarm. But if he loses it will be a serious setback, while Spalla will immediately be placed in the class with Firpo, Wills and one or two more as challengers for the title held by Jack Dempsey. Tunney is a great body puncher and Spalla has never met a man of his class. Thus the chances of Tunney winning rest entirely with the ability of the Italian to stand that sort of punishment.

Tunney has defeated Harry Greb twice on points and would be light heavyweight champion today if he could have induced Mike McTigue to meet him. It is hard to conceive of a fighter of his class losing to Spalla unless the Italian is the best Europe has sent to this country since the invasion by Old Ruby Bob Fitzsimmons, the famous Cornishman back in the early nineties.

Greb Must Beat Moore.

The very busy Harry Greb is going to try to dispose of another English middleweight on the same program. He meets Ted Moore for 15 rounds. Moore is one of two good English middleweights who have come to this country this year in quest of the championship of the world. The other is Frank Moody, who electrified the boxing world when he knocked out Lou Bogash a short time ago. Moody looked like the best bet England had to offer until he met Greb last Monday night and was knocked out in six rounds.

Now Moore remains the last of the invaders who seeks to knock Greb out from under his crown. Likely he has no more chance than Moody. Like other English fighters, Moore is not very tough and he will have to take a lot of punishment in this battle. Greb is too tough, too fast and too game for fighters of that type. Moore has finished second in a couple of fights in this country with boxers not as good as Greb.

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Amateur Players Must Appear in Lineups of Teams or Be Suspended

"Dynamo" Dennison, secretary of the Municipal Baseball association, announces that amateur players who are signed to play with Sunday and Saturday afternoon teams and who play twilight ball in Council Bluffs must appear with the Omaha teams when they are scheduled to play off postponed games. Several players have failed to show up for twilight games which are postponed league games, and rumor has it they were playing across the river in the Bluffs Twilight league.

Suspension will be dealt out to players who fail to show up for the twilight games unless they can give a good account of themselves.

Dennison also wants it made known to the amateur teams that they will find it hard to obtain any new players. June 15 was the last day that the amateurs were supposed to sign new players, and any men who are injured or leave the city may be replaced, and then only by the board of directors. New players may be signed, providing other teams in the league do not complain, but if one complaint is received the players will not be allowed.

AMATEUR PLAYERS GET SUSPENSIONS

Bud O'Donnell, manager of the Omaha Sporting Goods company baseball team, was suspended from the city ball parks for the balance of the season, and George Bernstein, right fielder for the Woodmen of the World team, was suspended for two weeks at a regular jury trial held in room 402 of the city hall.

John Dennison acted as the judge while George Graham, president of the Junior Omaha league, Walter Nelson, president of the Gate City league and Joe Wolf, president of the Junior Intercity loop, acted as the jury. The whole staff of muny umpires remained after their meeting and heard the testimony of the two suspended players.

Both players were suspended for ungentlemanly conduct on the playing field and last night's action was the first taken this season by Secretary Dennison, who wants it made plain to the amateur players that other occurrences of this kind will result in the participants being given more severe penalties.

Wins Pistol Championship.

Washington, June 21.—Sergt. Thomas Girkout of Fort Davis, Canal Zone, was declared the national .22-caliber pistol champion of the United States today by the National Rifle association.

Johnny Dundee Loses Ring Title

By International News Service.

New York, June 21.—Johnny Dundee, little old man of the ring, was burdened today with one less title. Kid Sullivan, Brooklyn Italian, knocked his junior lightweight crown spinning last night at Henderson bowl, and left Johnny with only his world's featherweight title.

Dundee was not defeated by any great margin, but Sullivan's aggressiveness and his showing in the eighth round when he had Dundee near a knockout, won him the verdict easily.

In a semi-final bout, Paul Berlenbach, light-heavyweight who is matched with Young Stribling, knocked out K. O. Jaffe of New York in the seventh round, after taking something of a beating himself.

LARGE ENTRY LIST FOR CHICAGO DERBY

Chicago, June 21.—Fifty-seven nominations have been received for the Chicago derby to be run at Hawthorne track July 12, officials of the Chicago Business Men's racing association have announced. The entry list has closed.

Olympic Rifle Matches Open at Rheims Monday

Rheims, France, June 21.—The Olympic rifle competitions will open here Monday with the miniature carbine shooting event in which 14 nations are entered. Carbines of .22 caliber "without the use of the magnifying glass" will be used at a distance of 50 meters. Four series of 10 shots each will be fired, the maximum possible score being 400 points. The Swiss team is regarded as the likely winner.

Yale Crew Defeats Harvard by Four Lengths

By Associated Press.

New London, Conn., June 21.—On the eve of departure for France and the Olympic struggle on the Seine for the world rowing championship Yale, imposed a three-fold defeat on its ancient rival Harvard. On the heels of decisive victories over Harvard's freshmen and junior varsity crews yesterday on the Thames course.

The race over the four-mile course at the end of a perfect day marked the close of two years of uninterrupted victories for Yale.

Wills' Stock Dips by His Failure to Kayoe Madden

Colored Heavyweight Probably Will Lose Chance to Meet Dempsey, and Luis Firpo.

NEW YORK, June 21.—Harry Wills' stock has gone down about 75 per cent, since he failed to knock out Bartley Madden, the red-haired Irishman, and there is some doubt as to whether he will be matched with Jack Dempsey. Wills gambled something like half a million dollars in future purses on his chances of knocking out the man nobody else has been able to knock out.

At the end of the 15th round Madden was still hanging around, his face a mass of blood from cuts over each eye, from a split upper lip and a lacerated right ear, his legs wobbly and weak and his head ringing, but still on his feet, as he had been all through the combat.

Wills got the decision. There was not the slightest doubt that Harry won. Nevertheless, the contest constituted a moral victory for the Irishman. Nobody had conceded him a chance to win, and only a very few had figured that he would be on his feet at the end.

Among the spectators who peered at the proceedings was Tex Rickard. None peered more intently. Tex's face was a study as round after round rolled into ring history with no sign of a knockout. Rickard had planned to match Wills and Luis Angel Firpo at Boyle's Thirty Acres on August 23 with the winner to meet Dempsey.

Twenty-Two Race Drivers Entered in 100-Mile Spin

Hamline, Minn., June 21.—Twenty-two automobile drivers were ready for the starter's gun which, this afternoon, will send them off in a 100-mile race on the one-mile-lap dirt track at the fair grounds here.

The race will be under the auspices of the International Motor Contest association. Prizes total $2,000.

Bill Piercy in Hospital.

Detroit, June 21.—"Bill" Piercy, Boston pitcher who was struck on the forehead by a sizzling liner in Wednesday's game between Boston and Detroit was still confined to his hotel room here under the care of a physician. The pitcher sustained a slight fracture of the skull. His condition is normal.

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