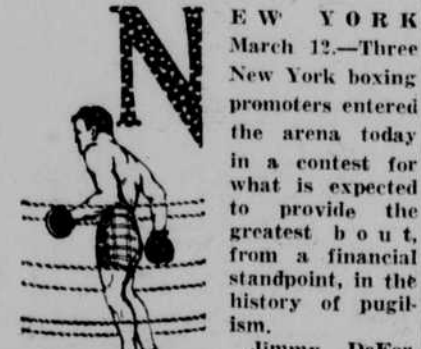


Henderson Also Willing to Give Champ \$500,000

Rickard Announces Himself as Another Ready to Stage Titular Match; Dempsey-Burke Go Probable.



NEW YORK, March 12.—Three New York boxing promoters entered the arena today in a contest for what is expected to provide the greatest bout from a financial standpoint in the history of pugilism.

Jimmy DeForest, recently appointed matchmaker at the Polo grounds, made the largest offer in a telegram to Jack Kearns, manager of the heavyweight champion, Jack Dempsey.

But credit for the first shot in the battle goes to Charles S. Henderson of Brooklyn, sponsor of a new stadium to seat 110,000 in Long Island City.

Albuquerque, N. M., March 12.—Negotiations are under way for a championship bout in June between Jack Dempsey and Martin Burke.

Benson Defeats Belvidere Five

Lincoln, March 13.—Benson High outplayed Belvidere in the opening semi-final of the state basketball tournament.

McCurley's five field goals were responsible for Benson's win. The Benson "ace" was all over the court, many of his shots being from difficult angles.

Benson grabbed an early lead and after the first few minutes was never in danger. McCurley was high-point man with 11 tallies.

Morgan, Brannigan and Williamson accounted for all the Belvidere tallies.

PLANT TO MEET FRIGERIO IN RACE

New York, March 12.—Ugo Frigerio of Italy, Olympic walking champion, and Willie Plant, the American titleholder, will meet in a 10,000-meter race in the 102d engineers' army Saturday, March 28.

Plant decisively defeated Frigerio in each of their three meetings since the Italian's arrival in this country.

Once Famous Jockey Near Death's Door

NEW YORK, March 12.—In 1873 Lloyd Hughes rode a 3-year-old, Mart Jordan, to "undying fame" in Brooklyn.

Last night hospital officials found a paper containing the following words in the pocket of Lloyd Hughes.

"This is Lloyd Hughes, a famous jockey, who rode a triple dead heat in a race in Brooklyn September 11, 1873."

Search of the newspaper files revealed that on that date in Brooklyn from a field of five Lloyd Hughes, on Mart Jordan, tied Haywood on Bingham.

Second and third heats, necessary under the rules of the period, resulted the same way, but in the fourth Mart Jordan's strength gave way and Bingham won.

This man collapsed in the street Tuesday and last night was unconscious. He was so near death that physicians were unable to learn anything regarding relatives or friends.

A critic remarks that "half the women in the world retail gossip. Are we to assume that the other half are in the manufacturing business?"

Movie Star Gives Jockey Gold Whip



MISS MARIE ASTAIRE, movie star, was caught by the camera man presenting Jockey Reggie Fisher with a gold whip at the Tia Juana course, and, like all good movie folk, posed for the photo shown above.

The gold whip Miss Astaire gave Jockey Fisher was given by the Daily Running Horse, a turf publication, to the jockey winning the most races from January 1 to February 24 at Tia Juana.

PURPLE TANKER SETS NEW RECORD

Chicago, March 12.—Ralph Breyer, Northwestern natator, established a new national collegiate record and a new western conference in the preliminaries to the western conference swimming championship tournament at the University of Chicago tonight.

The Turf

MIAMI. First race: Five and one-half furlongs. ... Second race: Mile and one-eighth. ... Third race: Mile and one-eighth.

JEFFERSON PARK. First race: Six furlongs. ... Second race: Mile and one-eighth. ... Third race: Mile and one-eighth.

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HAWAIIANS IN DAVIS CUP PLAY

Honolulu, March 12.—Hawaii today forwarded a formal challenge for the Davis cup, the emblem of world tennis supremacy.

SALARY ROLL OF DODGERS THIS SEASON WILL EXCEED \$200,000; VANCE HIGHEST-PAID ATHLETE

"Squire" Ebbets Has Eye Peeled on 1925 National League Pennant—Few Changes Made in Lineup—Infield Lining Up as It Finished Last Year.

By DAVIS J. WALSH. LEARNWATER, Fla., March 13.—The salary roll of the Brooklyn National League club for 1925 exceeds \$200,000.

The favored squire, it is understood, consists of "Dazzy" Vance, the league's leading pitcher; Burleigh Grimes, human salivary gland; Jack Fournier, first baseman; Zach Wheat, star outfielder; Milton Stock, who may or may not make the grade at third base, and Jimmy Johnston.

Vance has been offered a three-year contract for \$47,500 and intimates he might accept same if the squire will strike out the 10-day clause.

These are boxcar numbers of purest ray serene, but no one appears to be concerned about it. One and the same may be Robbie himself, they declare it will all come back to its natural home in Mr. Ebbets' pocket when the Dodgers win the 1925 pennant.

Tommy Gibbons Believes Dempsey Will Defend Title on West Coast

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 13.—The next bout for the heavy weight boxing championship of the world will be held on the Pacific coast if Jack Dempsey, titleholder, plays the leading role, in the opinion of Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul aspirant for heavy weight honors, who resumed training today after a two weeks' layoff.

Gibbons said that the turn in events in the heavy weight situation which has caused the New York boxing commission to demand that Dempsey either accept or reject the challenge of Harry Wills, has convinced him that the next heavy weight title bout will be held in California.

Dale Signed to Meet Liston in Schlaifer-Britton Semi-Windup

KE DALE, crack Dane Island welterweight, who jumped into the limelight a short time ago when he knocked out Ray Coffman, has been signed to meet "Salor" Liston of Council Bluffs in a 10-round semi-final at the Auditorium on March 20.

Dale and Liston are fighting on a winner and loser basis of the purse. The winner will receive 60 per cent of the purse while the loser will take 40 per cent.

BEARS ENTRAIN FOR SPRING CAMP

Denver, Colo., March 12.—Three members of the Denver Western league baseball team, accompanied by President Milt Anfanger, will leave tonight for the spring training camp at Mineral Wells, Tex.

Several other members of the team will appear in Mineral Wells shortly before or after the arrival of the president, Anfanger announced.

MIAMI CLUB HEAD DENIES 'CLEANUP'

Miami, Fla., March 12.—J. M. Smoot, president of the Miami Jockey club, which has charge of the Miami races, in a statement in the Chicago Tribune that world series gamblers "cleaned up" on the seventh race at the Miami track yesterday.

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Man Who "Made" Coveleskie Returns to Tigers as Coach

Oscar Stange is wearing a Tiger uniform again. The veteran catling star, who caught everything the Detroit club signed as a pitcher for about twelve years, is now with Cobb as coach of hurlers.



Yes, the Dodgers have the pennant now. They claim they will either win or the club that does will think it is being chased by Nurm. It is their idea that a team which almost won last year in the stretch after breaking up its infield in midseason should come home on the bit with the caste intact over a full season.

At present the infield is lining up as it finished the 1924 season, to-wit: Fournier, first base; High, second base; Mitchell, shortstop, and Stock, third base.

Wheat will adorn left field, Ed Brown will play centerfield, porcelain arm and all, and in right field it is altogether likely the veteran, Tom Griffith, will be crowded to the field by Dick Cox.

Chicago, March 12.—Charlie Root, who tallied 21 victories and 16 defeats as the star hurler of the Los Angeles Pacific Coast league club last year, headed the list of Chicago Cubs pitchers against his former mates in today's first game of the club practice schedule at Los Angeles.

From the time Nick Clegg, discoverer of the multiple in the south, gave the batted pitcher a shove to earth, the Yankee made a mark in the record books.

Cleveland, O., March 12.—Sherry Smith, Cleveland Indian pitcher, started where he left off last year, throwing away anything but a strike in a three-inning practice game with the Yankees on 4 to 2 at Lakeland today.

Cincinnati, O., March 12.—The Cincinnati Reds, victims of a 7 to 6 defeat by the champion Washingtons at Orlando yesterday, went to Austin today to play the Baltimore team.

Philadelphia, March 12.—A triple by Joe Schultz with the bases full in the sixth inning gave the Phillies a 5 to 1 victory over the Athletics today.

IOWANS LOSE IN A. U. TOURNEY

Kansas City, March 12.—The Monon A. C. of Lafayette, Ind., won a place in the semi-finals of the national A. U. basket ball tournament here tonight by eliminating the Southern Surety company team of Des Moines, Ia. 4 to 41.

PIPP'S TRIPLE DEFEATS BRAVES

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 12.—A triple by Pipp with the bases filled carried the Yanks to victory over the Braves in an exhibition game here. The score was 14 to 10.

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Huskers First in Defense in Valley Cage Play

Nebraskans Ranked Fifth in Offense; Ackerman, Kansas, High Point Scorer for Season.

LAWRENCE, Kan., March 12.—Although the University of Kansas won the 1925 Missouri valley conference championship in basket ball, Oklahoma ranked first in scoring and Nebraska first in defense, a checking of season figures revealed today.

The Kansas team was shown to be second in defense and third in offense. Kansas university only ranked fifth in offense. Nebraska finished second in the race.

Ackerman, captain of the Jayhawk team, finished the season as high point scorer of the conference with 156 points. It was his second successive year as score leader, he having made 144 points last year. He shot 69 field goals and 48 free throws this season.

Football Rules Due for Change

THREE major topics will come before the football rules committee at its annual meeting in New York today and Saturday.

However, the kick-off will return to the 40-yard line of the kicking side and the tee will be returned to the game as it is almost unanimous opinion that many stirring plays were eliminated when balls were booted across opposing lines for touchbacks.

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