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FORTY ROUNDS OF SCRAPPING AT M'CAREY'S PAVILION TONIGHT

FOUR BOUTS SCHEDULED IN DOUBLE MAIN EVENT CARD, ALL BEING AT TEN SESSIONS

Interest Centers in Scraps Between George Herberts and Frank Picato, Lightweights, and Howard Baker and Willie Fairbanks, at Catchweights—Bubbles Robinson and the Congo Coon Promise Several Exciting Moments When They Get Chance at Each Other Again—Russell and Snyder Will Battle for a Match with Fisher

Facts About Battles Tonight

Time—8:15 o'clock. Place—Naud Junction Pavilion. Events—Four 10-round bouts, called in following order: Eddie Russell vs. Kid Snyder, Congo Coon vs. Bubbles Robinson, Willie Fairbanks vs. Howard Baker, Frank Picato vs. George Herberts. Referees—Charlie Eytton, main event; George Blake, preliminaries (first two named). Admission—50c to \$3. In the event of rain, sawdust walks will be laid from the pavilion to the street car tracks.

THE best card that Manager McCarey has arranged since he inaugurated the popular price show idea will be staged at his Naud Junction pavilion tonight, when four ten-round bouts will be presented. The card, in fact, can be described as a double main event offering, with two preliminaries, as the last two bouts on the card will bring out main event fighters of good ability. The first two numbers will be classed as preliminaries, as none of the quartet engaged ever fought in a main event and only one of them is apt ever to do so. Taken as a whole, the card is most attractive, because it will develop a heap of fighting and that is what the fans pay to see.

It would be difficult to select the particular one of the main events that should prove most attractive, owing to the fact that all the four principals have fought themselves into favor with the fans in the various cities in which they have battled, and all except Herberts have scrapped locally and have won their spurs in recent months. It is probable that despite that the Baker-Fairbanks feud will furnish a highly interesting bout, the fans will be equally interested in the result of the Picato-Herberts quarrel, as it will be the first high-class fighter that Picato has stacked up against, and the knockout kid will have a hard scrap out of him from the jump.

Herberts is a fighter with an established reputation, and he ranks well up in the lightweight division, although he has not climbed into the near-championship class as yet. He is a fighter, however, and one who mixes it fearlessly with almost any opponent, always willing to take a wallop to put over one, and always refusing to stall through a bout. His greater experience in the ring may count to his advantage, but Picato recently has shown such remarkable improvement in the clever department of the game that he is a most dangerous foe for any of the boys in the second division.

Both boys are sufficiently clever to take care of themselves with the average fighter, and each is noted for his punching ability. There is only one sure thing in this fight, and that is that whichever one gets over the lucky wallop will have a chance to knock his opponent, and the Congo Coon goes together with him to win in that manner tonight.

Fairbanks and Baker should furnish several exciting moments, and ten rounds probably will be sufficient for them to settle their little quarrel. When they met at San Bernardino Baker got the kibosh of Fairbanks in the fourth round. As an excuse for his rather poor showing in that scrap Fairbanks urges a hurry to the ring, as he was lacking in condition, owing to his inability to train properly for the fight. That he believes this a sufficient excuse is proved in the way he has shown himself, alighting after Baker for a return match. To the credit of Fairbanks it must be said that he is a fighter all the way.

RAIN PREVENTS QUAIL SHOOTING HUNTERS DRIVEN BACK HOME MINUS BIRDS

Sportmen Preparing to Leave Sunday for Hunting Grounds Should the Weather Change—Quail Are Numerous

Quail season opened yesterday and daylight disclosed thousands of eager sportsmen in washes and on the mesas where the saucy blue birds were believed to be. The disappointment of the shooters was great when the heavy clouds, which they had toiled each other was but a high fog, began to send down a fine mist which later turned in many places into steady rain. Not that these huckles cared for a little rain—that was not the trouble. It was the quail. They did not fancy the weather and preferred to be close in the covert. Limit bags are few and far between. True some were reported, but most of those who talked of the big kill were not in a position to make good when called on for a showdown.

Birds were reported plentiful but hard to get. There were few bitter complaints because nearly every sportsman who went afield yesterday brought in enough quail for his family and a few for his best friend who think quail is properly killed, nearly as good as chicken.

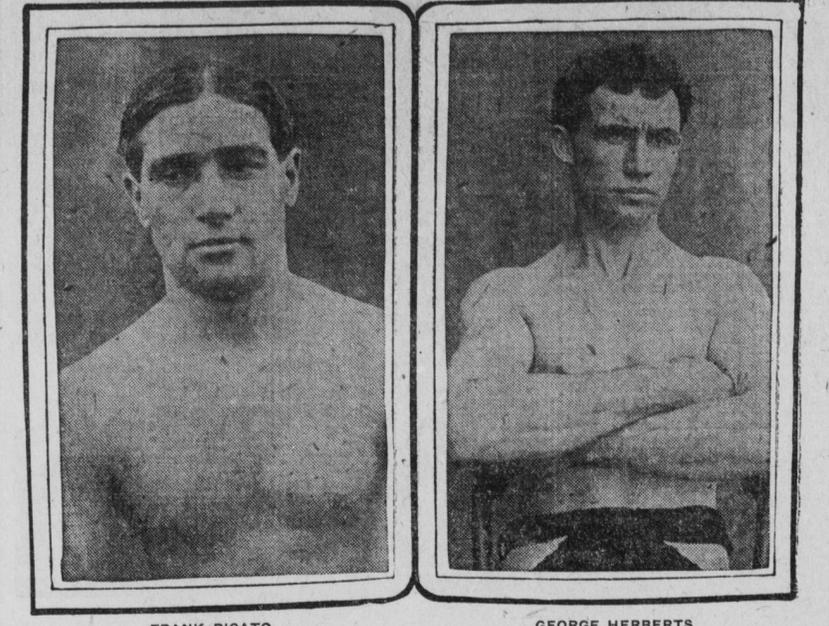
Most of the crack wing shots declare they know where they will go the first sunny morning and make a showing that will surprise the neighbors. All of them admit they will run up their scores to the 25-bird limit.

Cactus was reported in excellent form. The cactus brand which has such a tender feeling for rounded and unhardened legs is said to be as clinging in its habits as of yore.

A capital season for the game little fellows is predicted by the old time sportsmen who went out among them yesterday. "Sooner" shells are reported, but it is believed many of these were from rabbit hunters who have been in the coverts. The watchfulness of the wardens has instilled a wholesome fear in the hearts of most of the poachers and the birds were not at all wild or inclined to get up at a distance.

Many nimrods who went out Wednesday night remained at their hunting grounds last night in anticipation that the weather would clear during the

KNOCKOUT SCRAPPERS WHO WILL BOX TONIGHT OVER THE TEN-ROUND ROUTE



FRANK PICATO GEORGE HERBERTS

WALTON GASSIP BY AY DAVIDSON

SUCH a spectacle as will be presented when Cyclone Thompson and Boer Unholz get busy at Frisco over the twenty-round route the last of the month! The Boer, with his crouch and monkeyshines, will run into a sure enough cyclone, as the Streator boy can clean up with all such scrappers as Unholz. Any fighter who has not the necessary courage to take a beating, unless he is an Attell or Welsh in cleverness and speed, is out of place in a ring with Cyclone. He can take more punishment than Joe Grim and can hit like a mule kicking. Unholz is so slow and awkward in his "footwork" and so wholly devoid of anything approaching cleverness that he looks like easy money for Thompson, Johnny Thompson and Lew Carroll as well as being signed by the other end of a double main event with the Thompson-Unholz affair.

James Woodlawn Brooks has retired from business and now is leading the life of a retired merchant. He has disposed of his cigar business and says that he may go to San Francisco and establish himself in business soon. E. B. Eoy, the noted hunter and sportsman, will move his Metropolitan barbershop into the rooms formerly occupied by Brooks' cigar store and the Del Monte grill. J. R. Brooks is contemplating a business trip to Arizona and New Mexico, with a view to establishing himself in business in one of the larger cities of the west in these future months.

A new and promising heavyweight championship possibility has been disclosed in Santa Ana. His name is Charlie Miller and it is said that he is the tallest and heaviest big fighter in the business, while having a punch that would discourage and humiliate any pile driver in the world. He will make his debut tonight, and if he makes good he will be sent after other contenders in the division. He towers over all the scrappers, even when Al Kaufmann is standing around.

Jealous of the sensationally fast track at Santa Anita park, the fastest race course in the world, none expected that the management of the Orange County Carnival of Products at Santa Ana, telegraphed last evening that the racing program for today had been postponed until tomorrow on account of the rain. He did not indicate whether the card would be raced off in the event of clear skies today, but it is presumed that the postponement will stand, as the rain probably has put the track in such condition that it could not be made ready for racing on a few hours' notice. The postponed card is an attractive one and probably will be more so for Saturday afternoon, when a materially increased attendance from Los Angeles will be on hand.

Manager McCarey has a show on tonight at Naud, his card for one week hence is completed and the main event of the offering for the succeeding week has been arranged. Battling Johnson and Arthur Collins, the big black, will be the star attraction for the night of October 30. McCarey closed the negotiations for this match yesterday. Collins has been sparring partner to Johnson in recent training stunts, but was given a good walloping by the big Russian the night that Manager Gaines tossed the towel in the ring to prevent

SOUTHERN STUDENTS IN CARDINAL LINEUP

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Oct. 15.—The personnel of the freshmen rugby team, which will wear the cardinal in the annual intercollegiate match on Stanford field next Saturday, was announced by the coaches today as follows:

- E. K. Corbet, San Francisco, forward; C. C. Crandall, Los Angeles, forward; C. L. Schaupp, Santa Rosa, forward; H. L. Hubbard, Redlands, forward; J. W. Doren, Corona, forward; G. L. Rogers, San Jose, forward; A. T. King, San Luis Obispo, forward; J. A. Macready, Los Angeles, wing forward; G. E. Erb, Chemsinus, c. half; C. C. Whitney, Santa Ana, Aya, T. Sanborn, Redlands, five; A. Sanborn, Redlands, center; T. R. Kennedy, Ont the wing; A. L. Sundell, Alameda, wing; E. T. Brown, Los Angeles, full; subs, H. L. Hatch, Paso Robles; P. Y. Dickerson, Stockton; E. Everst, San Francisco; E. Smith, Bloomfield, E. Hede-mann, Woodland.

NO GAMES IN COAST LEAGUE YESTERDAY

Rain caused the postponement of the entire Coast league schedule yesterday. The game at Santa Ana was the only one that was played. The game at Santa Ana was a close one, with the home team winning by a narrow margin.

WOLGAST IS FEW BUSY SEASON AT POUNDS HEAVIER LOCAL SCHOOLS

HAS FAIR ADVANTAGE OVER FREDDIE WEEKS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE IS CLASSY

CRIPPLE CREEK BOY TIPS BEAM AT 118 POUNDS GIRLS WILL BE UNUSUALLY ACTIVE

Despite This Handicap, Little Miner Predicts He Will Stop Milwaukee Near-Champion Long Before the Limit Tomorrow

Freddie Weeks tapered off his training yesterday afternoon by a large bit of work with the gloves in the ring at Arcadia. The little miner is confident of himself, but if he loses to Wolgast tomorrow afternoon there will be one less pugilist to contend with in the ring. Wolgast makes no bones about telling of how he is going to wallop Wolgast, but is equally frank in saying that it will be the last time he will see, should the tide of battle be against him. Unless the Colorado boy picks up a lot in weight he will be at a disadvantage when he enters the ring. When he stepped on the scales after yesterday's workout Weeks had a hard time raising the beam from the 118-pound notch, and says that if he takes on much more than the last two boys in their perfect condition should call for. Wolgast still has a pound to knock off, and will do this today by going on the road and working hard all afternoon. The Milwaukee feather was afraid to take a chance on the weather yesterday, and instead of following Weeks' example and going to the gymnasium after a workout took it easy. The customary road work was not omitted, for Wolgast is not willing to take any chances of giving up his fore-money because of over-weight.

All kinds of speculation is indulged in as to the outcome of the bout, and many of the fans are ready to bet on either of the four boys in their box office in order to see the crack fighters in action. Wolgast has been installed as the favorite, and although it is a couple of bets made at a to-1 price, the odds switched back to a more natural figure and now are at 10 to 7. Outside of Atell, Wolgast and Weeks are rated as the best two boys in their weight division. The Milwaukee lad gave Moran, who fought two draws with the champion, the battle of his life in New York, and although Moran was given the shade by the critics, those at the ringside could not see where he had it on Ad to any appreciable extent.

Jack Kipper and J. E. Krause returned last evening from their trip to San Fernando valley, where they intended staying a couple of days in the search for quail. The rain drove them back home. They got out and tried to get enough for their late supper, but Kipper said that while Krause is an excellent setter, he is a bum when it comes to retrieving, and they got not one feather for their trouble. They depended so much upon their friends to supply them with ducks, according to promise, when the season opened, and were so deeply disappointed therein that they decided not to be cheated out of another toothsome meal and went after the birds in person. They were sure they were having hard luck. Will not some kind sport kick in with a pair of birdies for them?

Kid McCoy is due to make his debut for San Bernardino to referee the Herb White-Jack Redmond scrap at twenty rounds tonight. White is a promising scrapper and is expected to give his opponent a beating, but he may run him in a surprise party. Two good preliminaries will be staged as curtain raisers. With better car service between Los Angeles and San Bernardino would tend these fights in goodly numbers, but few will go owing to the fact that they cannot get back until the next day.

DRAW FOR POSITIONS IN VANDERBILT RACE

Entrants Decide Order of Start by Lot. Nineteen Named to Go, but Number Thirteen is Omitted From List

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—The drawings for position in the Vanderbilt cup race, which is to be started at dawn October 24, over eleven miles of the new cement track of the Long Island motor parkway and twelve and a half miles of the open country of Nassau county, was made last night in Garden City, L. I., and read as follows:

- Car No. 1, entered by Locomobile factory; driver not stated. No. 2, Knox factory; Basie. No. 3, Mercedes; E. Graves; Striker. No. 4, Chadwick factory; Haupt. No. 5, Mercedes; W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.; Lutgen. No. 6, Isotta, C. B. Brook; Lytle. No. 7, Matheson factory; Kyall. No. 8, Thomas factory. No. 9, Hotchkiss, Hotchkiss Imp. Co.; Kilpatrick. No. 10, Brazier, H. Payne Whitney; Pouget. No. 11, Acme, Corder & Flynn; Patchski. No. 12, Thomas factory; Salzman. No. 13, B. L. M., Thomas Williams; Williams. No. 14, Locomobile factory; Chevrolet. No. 15, Renault, Paul la Croix; Strang. No. 16, Mercedes, Foxhall Keene; Keene. No. 17, Thomas factory; Gill. No. 18, Knox factory; Borque. No. 19, Mercedes; B. Graves; Starter. No. 20, Mercedes; B. Graves; Starter. The race will consist of eleven laps, making a total of 253 miles. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., donor of the cup, will be referee, as formerly, of the classic event, but he has insisted upon two associate referees being chosen to assist him.

Until the entrants in at 9 a. m. October 21 the entrants will be allowed to practice over the course between daylight and 7 a. m.

Six of One! "Beware of fair weather friends." "Oh, I don't know. They're no worse than the kind who always want to borrow your umbrella."—Kansas City Journal.

BELMONT YEARLINGS BRING POOR PRICES

NEWMARKET, Oct. 15.—Thirteen yearlings, belonging to August Belmont, were sold at auction here today for the poor aggregate of \$4400. Gasconade brought \$1100.

Occidental Students Begin Practice with Two Squads Varying Positions on Training Team

Chairman Tritt of the grammar school athletic committee is well pleased with the basketball teams of the Thirtieth street school, and from the active work the students have been going through on the indoor courts, he predicts that Thirtieth street will develop two of the fastest teams in the grammar school league. This year the league will be composed of the following institutions: McKinley avenue, Thirtieth-seventh (formerly Thirtieth-ninth), West Vernon, Thirtieth, San Pedro. Twenty-four of Washington street grammar schools.

The Occidental varsity basketball practice started the first of the week with two full squads out on both courts and judging from the material that has shown up for practice Occidental will have a strong team this season. Among those who are out for the various positions are McKenny, Bar and Thomas of last year's team, while Shaner and Simmond, two new students, are showing fine form.

Volley ball, a new athletic event introduced by the grammar school athletic committee, is fast becoming popular in grammar schools. Every afternoon the students are out practicing on their respective grounds. The Thirtieth street school has probable candidates in Miller, Wasson, Deane, Badley, Beck, Baumgard and Foster. The schools that have sent in entry blanks for the volley games are the McKinley, West Vernon, Thirtieth, San Pedro, Twentieth, Fourteenth and Alpine streets.

The Thirtieth street boys' basketball five will have many members of last year's team in school again this season, and among members that will report for practice are George Freeth and Wessel, who is out for guard, and Wessel will try for one of the forward positions.

The Marlborough school girls' basketball six will not be organized until the latter part of next week and from the material now at school a classy team is expected to be developed. Practically all new players will be drilled for basketball honors. Miss Grace Wiltshire has been selected as coach, while Miss McDougal will have charge of the physical training department.

VENICE SWIMMERS TO FIGHT ASSOCIATION (Special to The Herald.) VENICE, Oct. 15.—The action of the Pacific Amateur Athletic association of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States Wednesday evening in disqualifying George Freeth and Louis Hammel from participation in amateur events will be fought to a finish by the swimmers involved. Freeth, when seen today, stated to a special correspondent that he would take the matter before the national association and compel the same action in regard to all athletes who are in the employ of any bath house on this coast. Fred K. McCarey, one of the managers of the Abbot Kinney company, characterized the action of last night as ridiculous and pledged the support of the company to the disqualified swimmers. He said, "if our men are professionals so are all the bath house employees, and the thing of making fish of one and flesh of another is not going to end here. If our water polo team was a weak team there would be nothing said and I think that the committee went out of their way considerably to show their animosity."

VENICE POLICE STOP BOUT TO SAVE BOXER

The police stepped in and stopped the preliminary bout between Joe Williams and Kid Curley at the Venice Athletic club last night after Williams had beaten Curley into a state of helplessness in the second round. Williams would have scored a knockout only for the interference, but his victory was as decisive as it would have been had the bout gone to a definite result. In the main event Scotty Johnson of Los Angeles and Lester Schwenk of Santa Monica put up a good scrap, which went the limit of eight rounds, at the end of which Johnson was given the decision. Two newboys put up a rattling battle in the curtain-raiser. These boys have given boxing exhibitions at other times in Venice and always put up a good show, as they did last night. About 800 persons attended the show.