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PAL MOORE RUNS OUT OF MATCH WITH CONLEY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Freakish Fate Selects May 14 as Bright and Shining Mark and Causes Postponement of Three Important Battles Scheduled for That Day in This State—Joe Willis Hurt in Auto Ride, and Match with Burns Set Over One Week, Causing Delay in Burns-Ferguson Bout at Vernon—Eastern Bantam Wants to Stay East to Meet Driscoll

BY JAY DAVIDSON

EVERYTHING went wrong yesterday with the plans of California fight promoters, and it seemed that a freakish fate had settled upon Saturday, May 14, as the one day in the year when to send all the promoters into convulsion fits, as this date was selected for three important battles in the state, and every one of them has been postponed for some reason or other.

Manager McCarey was affected by the postponement of the Memisc-Powell scrap and also by the postponement of the Burns-Ferguson scrap cannot be held until June 4 or later. But, to add to his misery, he received a telegram last night from Pal Moore asking that he be given further time in which to report at Los Angeles for the 25-round scrap with Frankie Conley at Vernon for the bantam title, intimating that he very much desires to run out of the match.

It is probable that if Danny Webster wants to try his luck again with Conley for the championship and the diamond belt hung up by McCarey he will be substituted for Moore at the 25-round bout and that the battle will be staged at Vernon about June 4 or June 11. While both these boys have fought twice, Conley winning a ten-round newspaper decision each time, Webster is not fully convinced that Conley is his fistic master yet and may be induced to try it over once more.

George Memisc will resume training this afternoon at Doyle's club at Vernon and expresses the opinion that he will be well, with the additional ten days given him, to get into his best fighting condition. The injury to his leg is improving so fast that he will be able to start work this afternoon without taking any chances of further injury, according to the doctor in attendance, and as George had worked himself into good condition before sustaining the injury, he will be able to fit himself for his best efforts if he can stand up to the work as he expects to be able to do.

Riata Gossip

Halley's comet or some other freakish thing put the kibosh onto the press boys yesterday when they lined up at Chutes park for the annual baseball game with the plucky prize fighters. The crowd stood in the end of the eighth inning, when everybody concerned, including the spectators, were so tired and thoroughly exhausted that the game was suspended by mutual consent.

Willie Mack rises to say to the 135-pound boys round here who are hankering for a fight that he is not engaged at present and is willing to be busy any time, any of them, none barred or preferred, want his game. Roy Page has taken the management of his ring affairs and will train him for his fights. Page says that Mack, who never has been whipped, would like to have Al Rogers or Morris Bloom take notice of his challenge.

The victory of Donau in the Kentucky derby yesterday was joyful news to the pikers in Los Angeles. He was their favorite, even when Waldo was considered a sure starter and after that he gave out every day, so they only began to think about the price they would get for their money. Donau fully justified their good opinion and at the same time contributed about a 100 per cent dividend on the investment. Donau traveled the mile and a quarter in remarkably fast time, considering that the track was two seconds off the record for the race.

Battling Nelson, who still is touring the east and proving his popularity at every stop he makes, despite his lost ring laurels, opened a week's engagement in Baltimore last Monday night and was given a rousing reception. He is to be a hard fought series, if there is anything in hope, Hen Berry wants the fans to turn out and help root the home team into the long end of every day's scrap. The top of the heap is so near, and yet so far, that if the Angels win half a dozen games this week they will be on top, or thereabouts, next Monday afternoon when they hook up for the final game of the series.

Baseball fans are hereby notified that the series between the Angels and Beavers will start this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Chutes, and as it is to be a hard fought series, if there is anything in hope, Hen Berry wants the fans to turn out and help root the home team into the long end of every day's scrap. The top of the heap is so near, and yet so far, that if the Angels win half a dozen games this week they will be on top, or thereabouts, next Monday afternoon when they hook up for the final game of the series.

Paul Roman leaves today for San Diego to go into training for a twenty-round scrap with Eddie Fox, who is said to be a fighting fool and a tough customer to handle in the ring.

SENATORS BLANK VILLAGE BUNCH

Hunt, the Erratic Flinger, Happens to Pitch One of His Phenomenal Games

SACRAMENTO, May 10.—Sacramento took the opening game of the series from Vernon this afternoon, score 3 to 0. Hunt was on the mound for the Senators and worked nicely, holding his opponents to two scratch hits. He walked six men and struck out nine. The Senators played errorless ball and hit well, getting to Willett, who was very steady, for four doubles. Score: SENATORS, 3; HUNTS, 0.

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DAKS TRIM SEALS IN ELEVEN FAST INNINGS

'Ping' Bodie, Home Run Specialist, Gets Another but the Bases Are Clear

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—It took only six innings for Oakland to rope and tie the game with San Francisco at Recreation park today. With the score 4-1, Cameron reached first on Vitti's error and was forced at second by Hogan. Swander was safe on Eastley's low throw to Mohler to catch Hogan. Maggett's single scored Hogan, and the game was over. San Francisco being unable to register in their half.

'Ping' Bodie, who made two home runs in Los Angeles last Sunday, made another here today. In the second inning, when the bases were clear, Bodie hit the ball over the center field fence for one of the longest drives ever seen at the local grounds. Score: OAKLAND, 4; SAN FRANCISCO, 1.

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FITZHERBERT GIVEN TOP IN METROPOLITAN

John E. Madden's \$40,000 Candidate Highly Esteemed by Official Handicapper

NEW YORK, May 10.—John E. Madden's Fitzherbert, the champion 3-year-old last season, is given top weight in the Metropolitan handicap, which is to be run at Belmont park Friday. Handicapper Walter S. Vosburg has required the horse to carry 130 pounds, while King James, his former stablemate, is to carry 125. Rocky O'Brien, winner of the Metropolitan of 1908, at the same figure. Sir John Johnson is next on the list with 123, and Maskette heads the remainder with 120. Fitzherbert, however, may not be at the post, as she has become affected by the influenza which attacked the Keene 2-year-olds at Sheepshead Bay last week and is now sweeping through the stable. Her failure to start will cause much disappointment among racegoers.

Handicappers of the probable starters are as follows: Fitzherbert, 130; King James, 125; Priscillian 118, Restigouche 115, Dalmatian 113, Prince Ahmed 111, Alfred Noble 103, Sir John Johnson, 123; Rocky O'Brien, 102; Magazine 102, Fashion Plate 100, Sixty 98, Prince Imperial 97, Far West 100, Charlie Hargrave 90, Jack Atkins 129, Maskette 123.

LEADERS PLAY TO TIE. PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Philadelphia and Cleveland tied twenty-innings to a 1 tie today. The game was called on account of darkness. Score: Cleveland 1, hits 4, errors 1. Philadelphia 1, hits 10, errors 1. Batteries—Joss and Clark; Morgan and Livingstone.

WADDELL SOAKED AGAIN. BOSTON, May 10.—A single and a couple of two-base hits in the seventh inning gave Boston two runs and a victory over St. Louis today, 4 to 3. Waddell started pitching for the visitors, but in the third inning was hit on his left elbow by a pitched ball and forced to retire. As the injury was on his pitching arm, he will probably be unable to play for several weeks. Score: St. Louis 3, hits 10, errors 2. Boston 4, hits 9, errors 3. Batteries—Waddell, Graham and Stephens; Arrellanes, Cicotte and Carrigan.

TIGERS TRIM HIGHLANDERS. NEW YORK, May 10.—Detroit took an exciting tenning game from New York today, 5 to 3. The visitors got the winning runs on doubles by Crawford and Delahanty and Cimmons' single. Cobb failed to get out of the diamond in five attempts. He struck out the first two times. Score: Detroit 5, hits 13, errors 1. New York 3, hits 9, errors 3. Batteries—Mullin and Stange; Vaughn and Sweeney.

STILL ABUSING SENATORS. WASHINGTON, May 10.—Johnson was wild and ineffective today when Chicago defeated Washington easily, 10 to 3. Zelder's batting was a feature. Score: Washington 3, hits 8, errors 2. Chicago 10, hits 17, errors 5. Batteries—Walker and Street; White, Walsh and Block.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

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LOCAL MILITARY SCHOOL TEAM MAKES GREAT SHOWING IN NATIONAL COMPETITION

Local Military School Team Makes Great Showing in National Competition

ABRAHAMS TIED FOR FIRST SURPRISING RECORD MADE BY CADET CAUSES MUCH JUBILATION AT ACADEMY

The National Rifle association of America announces the results of the second annual competition among the preparatory, public and private schools of the United States for the Astor cup and rifle shooting team championship for the year 1910. This match, which is held under the jurisdiction of the national association, is shot by school teams on home ranges, under the supervision of judges appointed by the national association. The target used in the match are forwarded to the headquarters of the national association, and the scores are determined by a committee appointed for that purpose.

The match was open to teams of ten pupils from any public or private school not conferring a degree, each boy firing ten shots standing and ten shots prone at fifty feet on a target having a bulls-eye counting ten, one-half inch in diameter, with nine graduated circles counting from nine to one, using a 22-caliber rifle of the national association. Forty-two teams entered the match, but eight schools either did not compete or failed to send in their scores. In several cases schools entered two teams.

These schools cover a territory embracing the entire United States, stretching from New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington across the continent to Los Angeles and San Rafael, Cal., and from Portland, Me., south to San Antonio, Tex. For the second time the trophy went to a public school of the city of New York, thus demonstrating the fact that the rifle shooting now being carried on in these schools, under the auspices of the public school athletic league, is developing some fine marksmen. The scores of the winning team compare favorably with those of the college and civilian rifle clubs which shoot under similar conditions.

It will be noted also that the second team was from the public high schools of New York city. The scores then take a considerable drop until it would appear that there was another class competing. The third, fourth, fifth and sixth teams were from military academies, where rifle practice is carried on as a part of the curriculum. The De Witt Clinton high school of New York, winner of the match, has an average score of 181.2 for the year. The score of 182.1 showed an average of 182.1 of a possible 200 for each boy. By military count the score would be 955, two points better than the winning score of 953, made by the Morris high school of New York, who were second this year with a score of 180.2. A member of the De Witt Clinton team also carried off the honors for the best individual score—William Krefeld having made a score of 93 standing and 97 prone, or a total of 190. The best standing score was made by C. Brown and W. Krefeld of De Witt Clinton high school and H. Lincius of Morris high school. Five boys tied with the top score in the prone shooting—Wilson of the Wentworth military academy, E. Abrahams of the Harvard military school, R. Adams of the Hitchcock military academy, M. De Witt of the De Witt Clinton high school and William Carside of the Stoneham (Mass.) high school.

Rifle shooting among the schoolboys of the country is rapidly increasing in popularity. The president has declared his belief that training the schoolboys in marksmanship is a sound principle for national defense. The secretary of war in his last report said: "The encouragement of rifle practice among our citizens and schoolboys is of the greatest importance in this country. It is a part of the national education. For war is largely based on the employment of an army of volunteers, and wisely framed laws will give a healthy stimulus to the study of military preparation." A bill is now pending in congress, carrying an appropriation of \$100,000 and a free issue of rifles and ammunition to carry on this movement on a broad and national basis. The bill has been passed in the senate and is now pending in the committee on military affairs of the house.

The scores made in the match are as follows: De Witt Clinton high school New York city, 181.2. Morris high school, New York city, 180.2. Hitchcock military academy, San Rafael, Cal., 174.2. Harvard school, Los Angeles, 173.2. Columbia military academy, Columbia, Tenn., 171.0. Stoneham high school, Stoneham, Mass., 170.7. Derrin high school, Portland, Me., 166.2. Saratoga Springs high school, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., 165.9. Erasmus Hall high school, Brooklyn, N. Y., 165.0. Portland high school, Philadelphia, 162.5. Benedictine college, Savannah, Ga., 162.0. Shattuck school, Fairbank, Minn., 162.0. Kentucky military institute, Lexington, Ky., 159.8. Western high school, Washington, D. C., 159.8. University preparatory school, Tonawanda, O., 159.2. Kemper military academy, Booneville, Mo., 153.6. Central high school, Washington, D. C., 152.4. Peacock military academy, San Antonio, Texas, 152.0. U. S. military academy, Fort Phila, Pa., 149.2. Hitchcock military academy, 149.1. Manual training school, 149.0. Central manual training school, Philadelphia, Pa., 148.0. Xavier high school, New York city, 147.8. Wentworth military academy, Lexington, Mo., 147.5. Manual training school, Denver, Colo., 145.0. Vashon military academy, Burton, Wash., 144.4. Shattuck school (2d term), Fairbank, Minn., 144.0. Harry Hillman academy, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., 142.7. Baltimore military academy, 142.5. Manual training high school, Brooklyn, N. Y., 142.0. East side high school, 137.1. East side high school, 136.0. Lexington military academy (2d term), Lexington, Mo., 135.4. Nazareth hall, Nazareth, Pa., 134.8. Nazareth hall, Nazareth, Pa., 134.8.

DOANU - DONAUS HOME IN KENTUCKY DERBY

Does the Expected and Steps the Distance in Remarkably Fast Time

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 10.—Leading throughout the mile and a quarter, but compelled to fight for his advantage over every inch of the route, Donau, the bay colt owned by William Gerst of Nashville, today won the thirty-sixth Kentucky derby. Only three-quarters of a length separated the winner from Joe Morris, who was a neck in front of Fighting Bob. The time, 2:06 2-5, was only one-fifth of a second slower than the record for the race.

Donau carried the public money, and 25,000 people acclaimed the winner. The derby was a grueling contest from start to finish. There was little delay at the post and the horses got away to a fair start, except Fighting Bob, who was shooed to the outside. Joe Morris' nose showed in front for a stride or two, after which Donau took the lead, and Herbert, who had the fourth place, set a killing pace. Passing the stand, Donau was leading by a length with Joe Morris and John Furrough holding on well. Boola Boola pocketed and lapped by Fighting Bob, who was still forced to take the outside.

At the half-mile post Donau led by three lengths. Joe Morris a head in front of Fighting Bob. Here Joe Morris and Fighting Bob began closing up the gap. At the three-quarters pole Joe Morris was only a fourth of a length behind Donau, and as they got well straightened out in the stretch made his effort in a fashion that woke bedlam in the stands. He managed to get on even terms with the leader for a stride or two, with Fighting Bob's head laid along his own flank, and all three running without falter. Donau, however, had just a trifle in reserve and, fiercely ridden by Herbert, slowly pushed his nose out in front.

Two track records were equaled today, that for four furlongs in the second race, and the mark for five and a half furlongs in the third race. Summary: First race, 6 furlongs—Alice George won. Dainty Dame second, Merrick third. Time, 1:13 4-5. Second race, 4 furlongs, purse—Round the World won. Princess Industry second. Attention third. Time, 0:47, which equals the track record. Third race, 5 1/2 furlongs—King's Daughter won. T. M. Green second, Collopy third. Time, 1:05 3-5, equaling track record. Fourth race, Kentucky derby, value \$200,000, mile and a quarter—Donau won. Joe Morris second, Fighting Bob third. Time, 2:06 2-5. Fifth race, 4 1/2 furlongs, purse—Forehead second. Bonnie Bard third. Time, 1:41 4-5. Sixth race, 5 furlongs, purse, mile and twenty yards—J. H. Reed won. John Carroll second. Bonnie Bard third. Time, 1:41 4-5.

EMERYVILLE ENTRIES

OAKLAND, Cal., May 10.—Emeryville entries for Wednesday: First race, 6 furlongs, selling—El Molino, Oswald B., 100 each; Blazed, 100; Braxton, Arthur House, Alder Gulch, 100 each; Xdixie, Dixon, 100; Roberts, Helen Carroll, Eleanor, Goodie, 100 each. Second race, 4 furlongs, selling—Ampedo, 114; Argonaut, Marburg, 112 each; No Quarter, 100; Charles, 100; Novena, 100 each; Port Mahoney, 100; Emma G., 100; Dorothy Leggett, Anne McGee, Gretchen G., 100 each; Salliet, 90. Third race, 13-16 mile, selling—Eldorado, 115; Sir Agnes, Redondo, Bellanick, Joe Wood, Pacifico, Porterfield, Preston, 112 each; Bayview, Neering, Aunt Aggie, Little Buttercup, 110 each. Fourth race, 13-16 mile, selling—Mi Derecha, Financier, Collector, 100 each; Miltias, 115 each; Wilson of the Wentworth military academy, E. Abrahams of the Harvard military school, R. Adams of the Hitchcock military academy, M. De Witt of the De Witt Clinton high school and William Carside of the Stoneham (Mass.) high school.

AQUEDUCT RESULTS

AQUEDUCT, N. Y., May 10.—S. C. Hildreth's entry, Fayette and King James, finished one-two in the feature event of the Long Beach handicap, today. They were favorites at prohibitive odds and at no stage of the journey was the entry in danger of defeat. Results: First race, 4 furlongs, selling—Pearl Bass, Royal O'Connell second, Frank Purcell third. Time, 1:13 2-5. Second race, 6 1/2 furlongs, handicap—Louise Day won. Light Easy second, Margie St. Time, 1:20 1-5. Third race, 4 1/2 furlongs—Judge Moneck won. Caprice second, Winning Widow third. Time, 0:54 3-5. Fourth race, mile and one-sixteenth—Fayette won, King James second, Far West third. Time, 1:41 4-5. Fifth race, mile—Bad News won, Hart Pang second, George Field third. Time, 1:42. Sixth race, 4 1/2 furlongs—Shackleton won. Helene second, Old Boy third. Time, 0:54 1-5.

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OAKLAND, May 10.—Coppertown, heavily puffed, won the feature event at Emeryville today from some clever sprinters. Napa Nick, the favorite, stopped after a mile from Lismore interfered with him in the last quarter. Pearl Bass, a long chance, proved an easy winner of the two-year-old race. Results: First race, 4 furlongs, selling—Pearl Bass, 101 (Van Dusen), won; Abe Slupsky, 112 (McBride), second; Ritta, 112 (Callaghan), third. Time, 0:48 3-5. Robert Hurst, Stansley S. Daels, Emory K., Mamie Woods, Lizard, Dollie V. E., Kinkofas and Soak also ran. Second race, futurity course, selling—Burning Bush, 115 (Callaghan), won; Gramercy, 98 (Cotton), second; Father Stafford, 113 (Belton), third. Time, 1:00 4-5. Combury, St. Francis, Hannibal Bay, The Slicker and Sir Barry also ran. Third race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Redwood, 91 (Callaghan), won; Round and Round, 106 (Bevan), second; Edwin T. Fryer, 107 (Van Dusen), third. Time, 1:44. Miss O'Connell also ran. Fourth race, 5 furlongs, purse—Coppertown, 109 (Coburn), won; Barlona, 107 (Callaghan), second; Pride of Lismore, 109 (Belton), third. Time, 0:54 4-5. Daddy GIP, Napa Nick, Binocular, Miles and La Dextra also ran. Fifth race, mile and a quarter, selling—Merlingo, 107 (Rooney), won; Aka-Ar-Ben, 110 (Garrett), second; J. C. Clem, 110 (Condon), third. Time, 1:40 4-5. Wairville, Goldway, Colbert, St. Albans and Mike Jordan also ran. Sixth race, futurity course, selling—Titus 119 (Jahsen), won; Woodlander, 113 (Mentry), second; Sileus, 106 (Buxton), third. Time, 1:40 4-5. Father Downey, Alice Ward, Sarabessa, Jillett, Ampedo, Good Intent and Dr. Downey also ran.

JEFFRIES ROUGHS IT IN TRAINING

Gives Choynski and Armstrong Severe Maulings in Afternoon Boxing Bout

APPLAUDED BY MRS. JEFF Shows All His Old Time Speed and Punching Ability in Live Sessions

(Associated Press) BEN LOMOND, May 10.—With Mrs. Jeffries applauding Jeffries roughed it for six rounds with Joe Choynski and Bob Armstrong in his gymnasium today. With his eye still blackened from the rap which he received Monday he seemed anxious to give a good account of himself, and his two sparring partners seemed glad when the bout was over. He was faster than at any time since beginning training, and after three miles of short sprints on his road course announced that he has taken off about 25 pounds since beginning training, now tipping the scales at 225. Nothing was done during the early hours of the afternoon, but shortly before evening the fighter indulged in a little fast baseball practice.

Jeffries' workout in the morning was decidedly reassuring after his lumbering exhibition yesterday afternoon. He romped through the two boxing matches as if he enjoyed it and in one of the mixups playfully set Armstrong on his back as if he were a small boy. Today's experiment will be repeated in his road workouts for the next three weeks, splitting up the distance into 100-yard sprints, instead of the usual ten-mile drill.

JOHNSON WEIGHS IN AT 220 POUNDS AFTER ROAD WORK

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—Declaring that his first day on the road did not stiffen up his muscles in the least, Jack Johnson was out on the road again this morning for another twelve-mile haul. He was accompanied by his camp followers over the roads in Golden Gate park at a faster clip than on the previous day and he felt so good that he took a little extra mile which he will take before he takes his rubdown. Johnson's trainers declare themselves highly pleased with the condition of the fighter and say that the easy way he has fallen into the preliminary training work is the best proof of Johnson's condition at the outset. They also announced that the day at Johnson's camp was the weighing of the colored fighter. Jack has not been on the scales since he arrived in California and his weight surprised on his part, as well as his trainers, when the beam tilted at 220 pounds.

"I must have been way off in my calculations," declared Johnson, who had previously estimated that he would strip at 225. "But I guess the two days on the road have taken off some of the weight. If anything, I feel now that the weight is not bothering me. All I want is to be right for this fight and any extra weight that Jeffries may have is welcome. I will not let that important phase of the day at Johnson's camp was the weighing of the colored fighter. Jack has not been on the scales since he arrived in California and his weight surprised on his part, as well as his trainers, when the beam tilted at 220 pounds.

PAPKE-THOMAS BOUT MAY GO TO FRISCO

(Special to The Herald) SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—There is a strong possibility that the 25-round battle between Billy Papke and Joe Thomas, scheduled to take place next Saturday afternoon at Croffroth's Colma arena, will have to be transferred to San Francisco and take place the following week. In such an event the date will be decided upon later by the principals and the bout will be reduced to a 10-round affair. District Attorney Joseph Bullock of San Mateo county is out with a statement that his previous announcement that no more fighting will be allowed in San Mateo county "holds good for this coming Saturday." Croffroth will hold a conference with the district attorney today to ascertain just what he proposes to do and in the event that the district attorney stands to his guns there will be no fight. Inasmuch as Croffroth has a fight permit for San Francisco which has not been used he can make the transfer without loss.

WISCONSIN STATE FAIR GIVES \$20,000 IN PURSES

MADISON, Wis., May 10.—Purses aggregating \$20,000 will be hung up for harness races at the Wisconsin state fair, to be held in Milwaukee September 12-16 inclusive. The total amount offered is \$10,000 less than last year, but is in accordance with a rule adopted at a meeting of the Association of Fairs and Expositions. Last year the fair lost money on its races because of the small number of entries in the big purse events. This year eleven pacing and nine trotting races will be held, the biggest purses being those in the 2:13 pace and 2:15 trot, \$2000 each.