

O'BRIEN PUNISHED BY DOUBLE DOSE

Arranged to Win Fake Fight and Was Given Double Cross by Burns.

WHIPPED FOR HIS PAINS

Burns Says He Apparently Entered Into Agreement, but Warned McCarey and Then He Fought to Win.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 9.—Tommy Burns, winner of the Burns-O'Brien fight before the Pacific Athletic Club last night, declared today that in order to get O'Brien to agree to enter the arena he promised to "let him down" and let him win the fight. He did this only as a ruse, he says, and resolved to go in and win as soon as the gong sounded the first round.

"This I did, and the result was apparent. O'Brien was taken off his feet and was scared to death. He knew all that and that he was due for a beating.

"As for the bets being called off, I was instrumental in having that done for the protection of the public. I wanted to make this explanation afterwards, and I did not want to see the public tricked into losing any of its money. The calling off of the bets cost me \$300, for I stood to win that amount myself."

McCarey Exposes the Fake.

Manager McCarey, of the Pacific Athletic club, today confirmed Burns' statement in every detail, and made the following statement of the fake fight arrangement:

The statement of Tommy Burns regarding the method of getting Jack O'Brien into the ring last night is true in every particular. O'Brien came to Los Angeles declaring that he was ready to go on with the fight. Then he approached Burns and after he had got me in deeply on the expense he suggested that Burns enter into a fake fight with him and allow him to beat Burns in the ring and get the money.

O'Brien said that under no other circumstances would he enter the ring with Burns. Tommy consented to the fake, O'Brien was to bet on himself and he and Burns were to divide the money, taking the 100 to 1 odds to me with the story, declaring that this was the only way by which O'Brien could be got into the ring. I suggested that he pretend to carry out the agreement. This looked to be the best thing to do and I agreed to the condition, taking the 100 to 1 of the two fighters for \$15,000 apiece in order to protect myself. I looked to me to be the only way to get O'Brien to fight, and not wanting to disappoint the public, I went on with the arrangements.

O'Brien, all this time, according to his statement, was placing all the money at his command on himself to win and the odds went down to 10 to 1 yesterday afternoon. O'Brien had no intention that Burns was going to "double-cross" him until the referee started the fight. After I found that O'Brien had made this arrangement with Burns, I changed the conditions of the match and the three of us met and agreed that Burns was to receive half of the purse and that O'Brien was to get 50 percent of the receipts. This was fortunate for me, for the receipts fell down to \$22,000, so I am not a very great loser on the event.

O'Brien Says Fake All Through.

Late tonight after being secluded in his hotel all day, Jack O'Brien issued a statement in which he declared that all arrangements for last night's fight were tinged with crookedness. He alleged that Burns and Manager McCarey, of the Pacific Athletic Club, were parties to the unfair deal; that Nolan, O'Brien's manager, knew of the preparations and enforced a new agreement with Burns and McCarey; that on one occasion McCarey proposed that a coin be flipped to decide which man should pretend to be knocked out, and that there was never any intention of offering a \$20,000 purse.

Later Nolan was seen at Mr. McCarey's office. When informed that the story was out he said he was glad of it and hoped all the facts would be printed. He himself knew nothing about it, he said, and had no part in any fake arrangements.

Referee Had Suspicions.

Referee Charles Epton said today with reference to the fight: "Burns' statement today is the first intimation I had about any agreement between the men; I am not surprised, however, at the revelations, as there were plenty of suspicious circumstances. I called off the bets last night after a conference with Manager McCarey. We found many suspicious circumstances connected with the betting and agreed that it would be an injustice to the public to allow the bets to stand. I am glad personally that the exposure has been made, for it will help to shut some of those out of the boxing game who are in it for dishonest purposes."

NORTHWEST LEAGUE.

Seattle 4; Vancouver 3.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 9.—For the third consecutive time Seattle won Vancouver out in a close and well-played game. The score: R. H. E. Seattle 14 0 0 0 1 0 3 4 7 1 Vancouver 9 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 3 7 1 Batteries—Rush and Stanley; Finney and Spencer. Umpire—Mahaffey.

Tacoma 5; Butte 2.

TACOMA, Wash., May 9.—Tacoma negotiated ten hits off Killiey's delivery today and won the third game of the Butte series by a score of 5 to 2. The score: R. H. E. Tacoma 0 0 1 3 0 0 2 0 5 19 2 Butte 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 3 5 2 Batteries—Doyle and Shea; Killiey and Meyers. Umpire—Uhrst.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago 6; Philadelphia 0.

CHICAGO, May 9.—Chicago easily defeated Philadelphia today in the opening game of the West series. Score: R. H. E. Chicago 5 5 2 Philadelphia 0 0 2 1 Batteries—Patterson and Sullivan; Plank, Dygert and Poers.

Washington 9; St. Louis 4.

ST. LOUIS, May 9.—Washington won today the first game of the series from

St. Louis. Home runs by Schlafley and Hughes were features. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 9 2 2 Washington 2 14 2 Batteries—Howell, Morgan and Bielow; Graham, Hughes and Wagner.

Cleveland 5; New York 2.

CLEVELAND, O., May 9.—Cleveland defeated New York today. Flick's batting and fielding were the features. Score: Cleveland 5 7 1 New York 2 4 1 Batteries—Joss, Hess and Clark; Orth, Keefe and Kleinow.

Boston 3; Detroit 2.

DETROIT, Mich., May 9.—Misplays by Detroit gave the game to Boston today. Score: Detroit 2 7 2 Boston 3 10 1 Batteries—Mullen and Schmidt; Young and Criger.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	17	2	.892
New York	11	7	.611
Philadelphia	11	7	.611
Pittsburg	8	9	.471
Cincinnati	7	13	.350
St. Louis	5	13	.279
Brooklyn	2	17	.106

Boston 4; Cincinnati 3.

BOSTON, May 9.—Kane's wild throw bounded into the first base bleachers today and according to the ground rules all the runners scored, enabling the local men to win. Score: Boston 4 10 3 Cincinnati 3 19 3 Batteries—Dorner and Brown; Ewing, Coakley, McLean and Schiel.

Three Games Postponed.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Chicago-Brooklyn game postponed, wet grounds.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—St. Louis-Philadelphia postponed, rain.

NEW YORK, May 9.—New York-Pittsburg game postponed, wet grounds.

GLOUFIER WADES TO VICTORY

Wins \$10,000 Metropolitan Handicap, Splashing Through Mud.

NEW YORK, May 9.—The Metropolitan handicap, the feature of the opening of Belmont Park today, was won by J. H. McCormick's Glorifier, at 20 to 1. Okenite, an added starter, finished a close second and Roseben, the favorite, was third. The time was 1:40 4-5 over a mile course deep with mud. Okenite held steady around 10 to 1, while Roseben's price was forced down from 11 to 5 to 3 to 5 at post time. Probably 25,000 saw the 15 thoroughbreds splash through a mile of mud for the \$10,000 Metropolitan prize. Results: Six furlongs—Oraculum won, Jack Atkins second, Athlete third; time, 1:11 4-5. Four and a half furlongs—Sanguine won, Goodwill second, Master Robert third; time 0:54 2-5.

One mile—Glorifier, 119 (Garner), 20 to 1, won; Okenite, 99 (Brussel), 10 to 1, second; Roseben, 124 (Martin), 8 to 1, third; time 1:40 4-5. Nealon, Dandelion, W. H. Carey, Deshabie, Tokalon, Bandy, Sewell, Superman, J. O. Gore, Bat Masterson, Go-Between and First Premium also ran. Okenite was an added starter.

Steeplechase, about two miles—Grandpa won, Santos second, Mr. Cann third; time 4:28. Seven furlongs—Pontoon won, Pins and Needles second, Ambush third; time 1:28 4-5. Seven furlongs—Kestor won, Goldenwest second, Star Cat third; time 1:29.

Handball Finals Tonight.

The finals in the Multnomah Club handicap handball tournament will be played tonight in the club alleys. Gleason and Boland will play R. Jones and Mooreland. The Cleveland cup will be awarded to the winning team, and a handsome gold medal to each of the two men. There is a great deal of interest taken in the tournament, and tonight's game will be the fastest of the series.

The finals in the pool tournament will be played tomorrow night with games in the first, second and third classes. Arthur Morris will play in the first class, H. Moore in the second, and Cliff Nickols in the third.

Guardmen to Hold Meet.

The final track meet of the series between the O. N. G., and First Battery Field Artillery, will be held in the Armory Thursday night, May 16. A large number of entries have been received, and it looks as if the meet would be the most successful of the season. The events will be a 50-yard dash, high jump, half-mile relay, 440-yard run, bayonette race, tent-pitching contest and wall-scaling. Several other events may be added to the list, but at present it is not known what they will be.

NOTICE.

All Republican voters of the First Ward are hereby cordially invited to be present at a meeting to be held this evening at 8 o'clock at No. 70 Thurman street, for the purpose of organizing a Republican Club, and to outline a plan to conduct our city campaign of the First Ward. J. H. BUSH, Chairman Central Committeemen First Ward.

LOSE IN THE NINTH

Beavers Almost Have Victory Within Their Grasp.

OAKLAND'S TIMELY HITS

Groom Put in Box in Place of Schimpff, but He Is Quickly Found for Two Safe Hits and Oakland Wins.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Oakland 5; Portland 4.
San Francisco 4; Los Angeles 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

Team	Won	Lost	Per Cent.
Los Angeles	19	10	.655
Oakland	17	14	.548
San Francisco	15	12	.556
Portland	9	24	.273

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—(Special.)

The Beavers had the game slowed away and ready to be delivered up to the ninth inning this afternoon, but just then the Commuters pulled off a batting rally and when it was over the complexion of the game had changed slightly. Portland was leading by two runs when Oakland came up for its final wallop at the ball in the ninth. Helmsmiller was disposed of without much trouble. Trunk Egan swung on the next one and sent it soaring over the right field fence. Right after him came Haley with a single to right. At this juncture Cap McCredie pulled Schimpff out of the box and substituted Groom. But the latter had no terrors for Brick Devereaux, who lined out a double to center. He rested there but an instant, when Randolph took a safe punch at the ball and then it was all over for the day. The score: PORTLAND, A. R. H. P. O. A. E. Shinn, cf 4 0 0 1 0 0 0 Lovett, cf 4 0 0 1 0 0 0 Casey, 2b 3 1 1 1 0 0 0 McCredie, 1b 3 1 2 1 1 0 0 Dunleavy, 3b 3 1 2 2 1 0 0 Donaldson, ss 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 Croll, if 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 Carson, 1b 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 Schimpff, p 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 Groom, p 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Totals 30 4 4 26 18 1 8

OAKLAND.

Team	A. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Smith, if	4 0 0 2 0 0 1
Van Halren, cf	4 0 0 2 0 0 0
Helmsmiller, cf	4 0 0 1 0 0 0
Egan, ss	4 1 2 2 3 1 0
Riley, c	4 2 3 0 0 0 1
Haley, 2b	4 0 2 14 0 0 0
Bigbee, 1b	4 0 2 14 0 0 0
Devereaux, 3b	4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Randolph, p	3 0 1 0 0 3 0
Totals	34 5 10 27 18 8 8

Runs and hits by innings:

Team	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Portland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
Hits	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
Oakland	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	3
Hits	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	3

SUMMARY.

Home run—Egan. Three-base hit—Rigbee. Two-base hit—Carson. Haley, Devereaux, Schimpff, E. of Randolph, E. Struck out—By Randolph, 2. Double play—Schimpff to Casey to Carson. Hits—Of Groom, 2. Time—1:40. Umpire—Perrine.

GOOSE EGGS FOR THE ANGELS

Not a Man Gets Across Plate in the Game With San Francisco.

LOS ANGELES, May 9.—Los Angeles was unable to send a man across the plate and San Francisco clinched a victory in the second inning, when Street drove a two-bagger to the left field fence, scoring two. A big crowd witnessed the game. Score: R. H. E. San Francisco 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 4 5 3 Los Angeles 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 Batteries—Henley and Street; Bergeman and Hogman. Umpire—Derrick.

Oregon Yacht Club to Hold Contest.

The competition season of the Oregon Yacht Club will begin Decoration Day and the contests will continue at intervals of two weeks for the whole summer. One of the most important events planned by the club will be a yacht race from Astoria to Portland, which will be held some time in the latter part of August. A racing committee composed of F. D'Arcy, A. J. Cormack and Edward C. Pope announced the following dates for handicap and class races: May 30—Opening regatta; Handicap yacht race, 2:30 P. M.; canoe race, 3 P. M. June 15—Class race, 2:30 P. M. July 4—Handicap yacht race, 2:30 P. M. Jewell challenge cup, presented by Ira F. Powers, canoe race, 3 P. M. July 26—Class race, 2:30 P. M.; canoe race, 3 P. M.

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