

COULON "CHAMP": CONLEY IS BEATEN

Bantamweight Title Stays With Holder in 20-Round Go at New Orleans.

CONLEY SPRAINS WRIST

In Fifteenth Round Wisconsin Lad Suffers Injury and Chicago Boy Has Great Advantage Receiving Decision.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 24.—Johnny Coulon's title as the bantamweight champion of the world was formally established today when he won a clear decision over Frankie Conley, champion of the same and 20-round bout at the West Side Athletic Club.

Conley was outclassed and only in two rounds did he have a shade the better of the contest. The men weighed in at 114 pounds, three and a half hours before the fight. Six thousand people witnessed the contest. Tommy Walsh, of New Orleans, was the referee.

Body Blows Fatal. In the frequent clinches Coulon was the superior and his short body blows told on the Kenosha lad. In the 15th round Coulon sprained his left wrist and after that the Chicago boy had little trouble in landing telling blows.

Conley Strong in Fifth. In the fifth Conley put three rights to the ribs in quick succession and took a right to the face in return. Conley's right was even with no damage.

Uppercuts Come Back. In the tenth Conley's right to the face and glancing body blows were repaid by two uppercuts to the chin and a hard stomach punch.

Fierce Fighting Seen. The 14th was Conley's, but the round closed with both men fighting fiercely. It was in this round that Conley sprained his wrist.

Conley Chases Conlon. A hard right to the stomach in the 13th brought a frown to Conley's face, but he was soon chasing Coulon around the ring. He put a hard left to the body, received a right and left to the wind and then shot two left slants to the ribs.

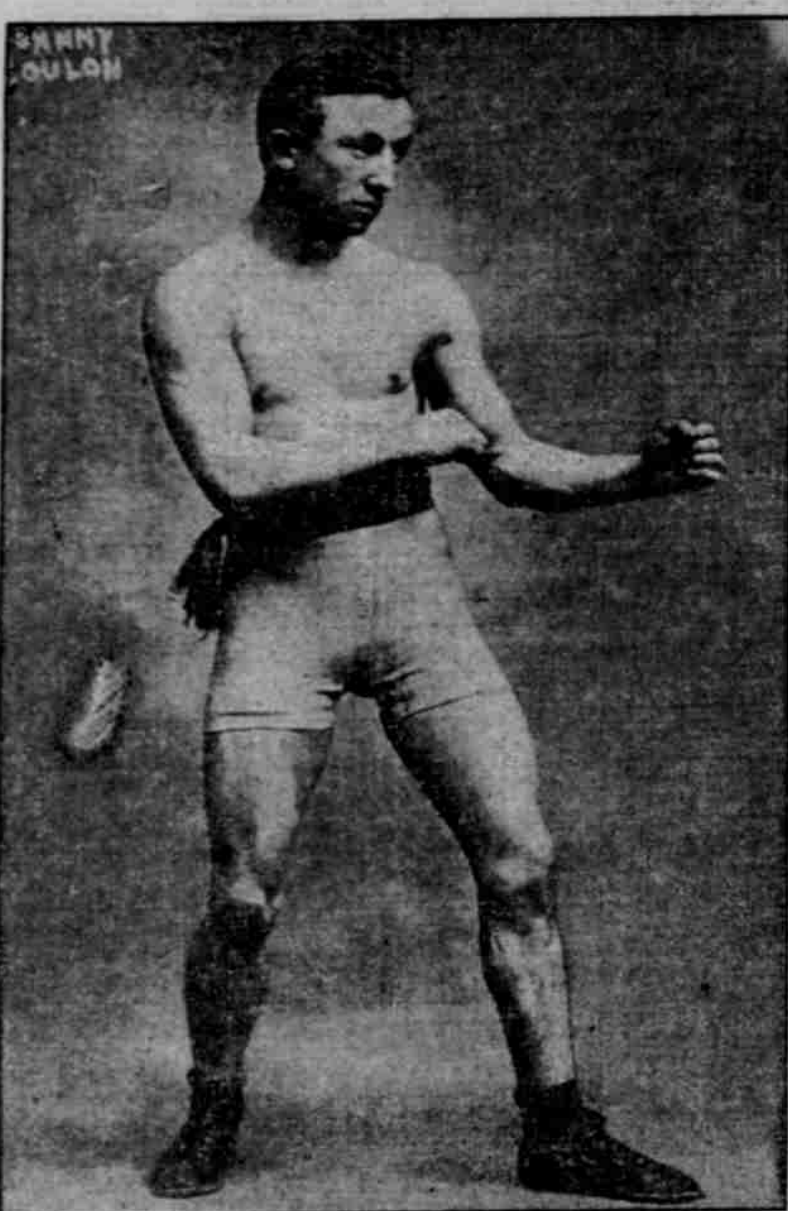
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WIND SPOILS GAME

Columbias Win From Beavers by 4-to-3 Score.

ERRORS ARE FREQUENT

Fair-Sized Crowd of Soccer Fans See Contest Played on Columbus Club Grounds—Field in Good Condition.

A strong wind and light ball made yesterday's soccer game between the Columbia and Beavers farcical, the play being of a poor character and the game slow.

With the exception of the wind the conditions were ideal for football, the field being firm and dry.

When the ball was in play the fighting was spirited and some pretty individual play was given. The shooting was decidedly off color, the Columbias forwards missing several easy chances during the second half with the wind at their backs.

When the Columbia team had the wind in its favor it began to pound the goal with shots from the right line, strung in front of the penalty area and shot into the lower right-hand corner for the Beavers' last goal.

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EUGENE GUN CLUB HOST SOON

Annual Shoot Purposes Aggregate \$1500 Mark.

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Following the shoot, which will last three days, it is the plan to take the visitors to the McKenzie River for an outing and a fishing trip, after which the winners will leave for Chicago, where they will take part in the Grand American Handicap shoot.

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Corner Store 50x50 Feet

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The JONES DRUG STORE

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POLO TO BE PLAYED

Game to Be Introduced in Portland Thursday.

TEAMS ARE IN TRAINING

Oregon and Freebooters to Meet in Preliminaries—Benefit for Humane Society to Be Given Thursday.

POLO TO BE PLAYED IN PORTLAND. The first time polo will be played in Portland on Thursday night, the occasion being the benefit performance of the Humane Society.

ARMY OFFICERS TO BE REFEREES. Lieutenant Upham, in charge of the United States Recruiting Office in Portland, and Lieutenant Scofield of Vancouver Barracks, both expert polo players, will be referees Thursday.

PORTLAND LEADS IN HORSEBACK SPORTS. Portland has long been recognized as one of the best cities in the United States for polo.

PARS AGOG OVER RAINUM!

THE NEWS COLUMNS OF ALL GREAT NEWSPAPERS ARE ALIVE WITH THE RESULTS OF EXPERIMENTS WITH THIS WONDERFUL MINERAL.

RADIUM IS THE REAL ELIXIR OF LIFE

PARIS, Feb. 24.—That radium is the real elixir of life is what is being announced here today by Professor Gabriel Petit of the Veterinary School at Alfort, near Paris. Petit recently injected two doses of radium of two milligrammes each into the jugular vein of a horse, and now, to all appearances, the animal is young and vigorous.

DR. W. E. MALLORY, RADIUM SPECIALIST