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AFFAIR CALLED "RUNOUT"

Excuse Offered by Oakland Boy Called Thin—Boy Boxers Face Commission's Ire.

BY RICHARD R. SHARP. The boxing card slated for the Milwaukee boxing arena under the auspices of the Milwaukee boxing commission tomorrow night was called off last night and postponed indefinitely.

Matchmaker Frank Kendall received a telegram from Frankie Malone, the Oakland featherweight who was to have faced Earl Baird, the Seattle ringster, in the main event, last night that he would be unable to meet Baird, having previously signed a match with a boxer named Johnny Weber in San Francisco for Friday night.

Matchmaker Kendall came to the final decision to call the show off altogether. At first they planned to go through with the show despite Malone's eleventh-hour refusal to keep his agreement, by putting on another match and making the Summers-Gillum a ten-round bout.

Matchmaker Kendall telegraphed Malone to meet Baird here tomorrow night, January 23. Malone telegraphed back the same day, but in the terms were O. K. and to send tickets. Yesterday he came through with the "all right" and to send tickets. Yesterday he came through with the "all right" and to send tickets.

That Malone should have discovered his mistake so late looks very fishy. Also the fact that he is not fighting a main event in San Francisco and could hardly be getting more than \$150 or so for his bout, while in Milwaukee his bit would be a number of times that amount.

Boxers who will appear at the Portland commission show at the Hellig theater January 14 are beginning to vend their way here. Jimmy Dundee left Oakland yesterday for the northwest, along with Frankie Denny and Pete Nolan, who is handling both boxers.

Johnny McCarthy will tangle six rounds with Morris Lux in the main event of tonight's show at the Tacoma. Bud Ridley is down to meet Charley Moy in San Francisco tomorrow night.

Jock Malone, the St. Paul welterweight, who has been on the inactive list for several months, is training in Milwaukee for several bouts he has in prospect. Jack Britton, the welterweight champion, is expected to meet Malone here in a ten-round bout.

Al Lippe of Philadelphia has decided to cart his entire stable to Europe. Al has it doped out that Tombling and his stable, which has quashed all claim to the pugilistic Kellerman title when he permitted Apollo Al Roth to challenge him in Jersey City the other evening, is the local English champ, now that Joe Beckett's bubble has gone plumb bust.

A. A. U. ANNOUNCES EVENTS

Partial List of Championships Covers Dozen or More Contests.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Definite dates for several of the championships for 1920 have been officially announced by the Amateur Athletic Union as follows:

- Boxing—Boston, April 5 and 6. Basketball—Atlanta, Ga., week beginning March 1. Wrestling—Birmingham, Ala., April 12 and 13. Race of war—New York, March 13. Swimming—Junior events: 200 yards—Cleveland Y. M. C. A., April 10. 300 yards—Minneapolis Athletic club, March 10. Fancy diving—Chicago Athletic association, March 21. Women's 400-yard relay—Illinois Athletic club, Chicago, April 1. Women's 100-yard relay—Cleveland Athletic club, February 20, and women's junior 100-yard back stroke—Greensboro, Pa., February 18. Men's indoor senior 50 yards—Chicago Athletic association, March 10. 100 yards—Brookline, Mass., March 13. 100 yards—Great Lakes naval training station, March 2. 200-yard back stroke—Illinois Athletic club, Chicago, April 1.

APACHE TOSSEYS WIN

The Apaches defeated the Philo Christian of the First Christian church basketball team at the M. C. A. floor last night by the score of 17 to 10. Captain Payne of the Philo was the individual star in the contest, scoring all ten of his team's points.

SALEM TO PLAY McMINNILLE

SALEM, Or., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The Salem high school basketball team will meet the McMinnville high team here Friday night. The squads are said to be well matched and local basketball fans expect a fast and interesting contest.

OREGON FOOTBALL MENTOR PHOTOGRAPHED AT PASADENA WITH MOVIE STAR



LEFT—DOUG FAIRBANKS, RIGHT—"SHY" HUNTINGTON.

REED HOOPERS ON JUMP

JUNIORS AND SOPHOMORES LOSE BASKET COMBATS.

Freshmen Prove Too Much for Second Year Men by 18-10-16 Score; Seniors Win Easily.

Freshmen and seniors triumphed over juniors and sophomores in two fast inter-class games at Reed college yesterday afternoon before a gallery of wildly rooting fans.

The best game seen for some time in the Reed gymnasium occurred when the freshmen took the sophomores into camp, 18 to 16. The final issue was ever in doubt until the last whistle.

The upper-classes came back strong and took the lead in the second half, but a pretty toss by Rockey in the last minute of play lost them their chance.

CADETS BEAT DENTAL FIVE

Hill Squad Makes Good Showing With Little Practice.

The Hill Military academy five were defeated by the North Pacific Dental college quintet in a practice game last night, 20 to 17. The Cadets made a good showing against the dental college hoopers despite the fact that it was the first time this season members of the Hill team have played together.

PENINSULA BEATS FRANKLIN

Score of 54 to 36 Registered in Basketball Contest.

Peninsula park defeated the Franklin high school basketball five on the floor Tuesday night by the score of 54 to 36. Fraender led the park team in scoring, with 12 field goals. Thomas and King were high-point men for the high school five.

THEY ALWAYS WONDER HOW'D HE GET THAT WAY.



THE FELLOW THAT SPREADS HIS NEWSPAPER ALL OVER THE TABLE AND CHAIRS IN PREPARATION TO BEING SERVED.

TUCK WAS PLACE ON J. S. PREP TEAM

Redmond Boy Nominated as Best Javelin Thrower.

A. A. U. MAKES SELECTION

Ruling Body of Amateur Athletics Mentions Murphy of Winged M as High Jumper.

It develops that Johnny Murphy, Multnomah Amateur Athletic club high jumper, and American record holder, is not the only Oregon athlete to be represented on an all-America track and field team, although Murphy's honor remains greatest.

Frederick W. Rubien, secretary treasurer of the American Athletic union, picked three all-America squads last week, an all-America athletic team, an all-America college team, and an all-America scholastic team.

While on a furlough. Last season he was a star in the field and at bat. Corrective Work Substituted for School Mat Practice.

Beginning with the new school term in the Portland high schools the latter part of January wrestling will be dropped from the gymnasium routine and corrective gymnastic work taken up in its place.

The announcement that a corrective physical work course would be substituted on the one day devoted to wrestling was made yesterday by Robert Krohn, physical director of the public schools.

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COFFROTH WANTS PROMOTER'S AGENT CABLES FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS

QUICK ACTION ORDERED

Message From Descamps Accepting Terms Not Yet Received by Tijuana Sportsman.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 7.—James Coffroth, whose offer of \$400,000 for the Dempsey-Dempsey match has been accepted by Carpenter's manager, Descamps, according to dispatches from Paris, received a cablegram tonight from Charles W. Keenan, former promoter of the fight, who has been commissioned by Coffroth to represent him in negotiations with Carpenter.

HERMANN MUM ON JOB

NATIONAL BASEBALL CHAIRMAN FOLLOWS OLD POLICY.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 7.—August Hermann, chairman of the national baseball commission, would not say tonight whether he would resign at tomorrow's meeting of the commission.

BRITISHER CLAIMS BIG BOUT

Londoner Positive Coffroth Can't Stage Tijuana Match.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—That Jack Coffroth did not meet Carpenter at Tijuana, Mexico, July 4, was the statement made today by Charles B. Cochran, London promoter, who said that Carpenter was already under contract to Cochran.

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SCHOLASTIC LEAGUE APPROVES SCHEDULE

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HILL-JOHN FIRST CLASH

Illness of Jefferson Coach Causes Principals to Postpone Opening Date One Week.

CORVALLIS SQUAD TRAINS

BASKETBALL PLAYERS TRY FOR PLACES ON TEAM.

Contest With Multnomah Club Saturday to Give Coach Hargiss Chance to Choose Five.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The Oregon Agricultural college basketball squad is down to real work again, after taking it easy for the last three weeks and a half.

Several O. A. C. alumni are scheduled to be in the club lineup when the team journeys to Corvallis this week-end. "Ad" Dewey, who is coming from the Multnomah club, will play and Mix and Burns, former Aggie stars, also will make the team.

Whitman college will meet O. A. C. in the first college game on the local floor January 18. From this on week will play two games a week. If a second game is scheduled with Multnomah club, this will make 22 games in all.

PARKWAY DEFEATS SILENT FIVE

Score of 52 to 8 Registered in Basketball Contest.

The South Parkway basketball team started its season with a rush last night by trimming the Silent Five, 52 to 8, in the B'nai B'rith floor. It was ten minutes before the Winged Five could get started, but when the players got their shooting eye they scored till the end of the game.

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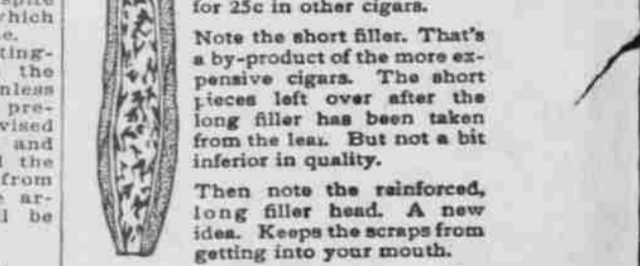
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