

2 More Gridiron Leagues Decide To Give Up Play

Chicago, June 5 (AP)—Two more professional football leagues were buried in the "gridiron graveyard" today as promoters scurried to get out of the game while the getting is good.

Abandoning million-dollar post-war plans, the Trans-America circuit and the United States Football league officially called it quits, joining the American league and other pro groups which have failed to crack the National Football league's grid monopoly.

Postwar gridirons were scheduled to be jampacked on the basis of plans a month ago, with the All-America conference, the U. S. league and the Trans-America prepared to compete with the 25-year-old National league. Even the American league was considering a revival on the west coast. Now only the All-America is left.

Their fate was decided during the N.F.L. met in New York during the week-end and announced that its Brooklyn Tigers would make Yankee stadium their home park in 1946.

That action left the New York Giants of the N.F.L. in the Polo grounds, put the Tigers in the only other good Manhattan site and sounded the death knell to all but one of its potential rivals. Major league promoters feel they must have a team in New York to make a go of it.

And from the west coast comes the report that the American league, which folded in mid-season last year, has given up hope of re-organizing. There still is a possibility, however, that the American may try to hook up with the old Pacific Coast league, another professional grid group which went broke.

With three leagues out, only one challenger remains to face the National league—the All-America conference. The A-A took a blow to the chin when the Tigers were awarded Yankee stadium for its own league and thereby obtaining a tailor-made team and playing site in New York.

The All-America already has sunk about \$3,000,000 in players, coaches and franchises and it intends to keep going. A double-A official said the New York team in his conference would use the 30,000-capacity Triboro Municipal stadium in its bid for New York fans—which is taking second best.

Out Our Way



THE 'COMEBACKS'

By J. R. Williams

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THAT'S TH' ONLY WAY SUGAR WOULD EVER LET STIFFY THINK HE KNEW MORE THAN HE DID ABOUT ANYTHING!

Today's Sport Parade

By Jack Cuddy
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, June 5 (AP)—Possibilities of the first super-duper outdoor boxing show since Pearl Harbor rest squarely upon the broad shoulders of Ike Williams, the 21-year-old negro from Trenton, N. J., who is recognized as lightweight champion throughout National Boxing association territory.

To pave the way for this outdoor extravaganza, Young Williams must beat Willie Joyce and his darting left jab at Madison Square garden Friday night. Such a triumph would indicate the superiority of "Champion" Williams over challenging Joyce and pave the way for a title-deciding bout between Williams—the N.B.A. champ—and Cpl. Bob Montgomery of Luke field, Ariz.—who is recognized as champ in New York and affiliated states.

Promoter Mike Jacobs believes that a bout to settle the title dispute could be arranged between Williams and Montgomery for a big outdoor show if Williams

Gresham Races To Open Tonight

Gresham, Ore., June 5 (AP)—Purses totaling \$1900 were posted for tonight's opening of the Northwest Jockey club 11-night horse racing program at the Multnomah county fairgrounds here.

Feature events will be the inaugural, with \$400 in prizes, and the last race on the eight-event program will carry a \$300 purse, with \$200 in prizes for each of six other events. The final event will be six furlongs, with the others scheduled for five.

Most of the horses entered are now to Oregon tracks. Post time for the first race each night is 8:15 p. m.

Six Teams Open Softball Season

Six teams signed up for play in the newly organized Senior softball league swung into action last night in abbreviated games on the Harmon diamond, after Mayor A. T. Nierberg pitched the first ball to "Skip" Wallen, American Legion pitcher. Present for the twilight jamboree, marking the opening of the 1945 season, was a large crowd.

Games started by the six teams last night will be finished later in the week. Here are the results of the jamboree openers:

Camp Abbot All-Stars won from the American Legion team, 7 to 1, with the Navy men collecting 7 hits to three by the Legionnaires.

The Camp Abbot Navy Renegades won from the Ordnance Shops 1 to 0, with the navy boys getting only one hit. The Ordnance men got a pair of hits.

The Jaycees won from the Elks 9 to 6, with the junior chambermen collecting five hits to six for the Elks.

Fight Results

Battling Nelson in 63rd Round

Baltimore — George Kochan, 368, Akron, O., knocked out Reddy Evans, 169½, Hackensack, N. J., (8).

Philadelphia—Wesley Mounzon, 137, Philadelphia, stopped Jimmy Joyce, 134, Gary, Ind., (6).

Providence, R. I.—Pete De Ruzza, 158, New York, stopped Ralph Zannelli, 150, Providence, R. I., (4).

Holyoke, Mass.—Marion Ochoa, 164, Havana, drew with Joe Reddick, 165, Paterson, N. J., (10).

Miami, Fla.—Billy Lima, 116, Havana, Cuba, knocked out Jackie Blount, 124, Jacksonville, Fla., (3).

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League Standings

(By United Press)

American league and National league, both unchanged from yesterday.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
Portland	39	24	.619
Seattle	36	26	.581
Oakland	34	31	.523
San Francisco	31	32	.492
San Diego	32	34	.485
Sacramento	31	33	.484
Los Angeles	31	33	.484
Hollywood	21	42	.333

Explosions Hit Allied Building

Paris, June 5 (AP)—Rescue workers dug for bodies in the rubble of Bremen's American military government building, where two mysterious explosions yesterday killed at least 15 and injured 80 other Americans and Germans.

A number of Germans still were believed buried in the debris.

The military government office, until recently headquarters for German SS detachments, were wrecked.

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ALLEY OOP

Seattle, Portland Battle for Lead

(By United Press)

With slightly more than one-third of the schedule completed, the Pacific Coast league pennant chase has developed into a Portland-Seattle battle for first place—but that isn't keeping fans away from the ball parks.

The four Sunday games pulled in 47,842 paying customers, with San Francisco, as usual, drawing the largest crowd—15,042—at Seals stadium. The fourth-place men of Lefty O'Doul should do very well financially again this week when they entertain the second-spot Seattle Rainiers.

The Portland Beavers risk their two and one-half margin when they invade the lair of the improving Los Angeles club. The series won't start until tomorrow night because of travel conditions.

The Oakland Aacorns, still in third place six games from the top, visit Sacramento, while San Diego gets a chance to "entertain" the tailend Hollywood Stars.

Red Cross Drive Figures Are Given

Deschutes county exceeded its total Red Cross quota by over \$2,000, according to Bruno Rath, chairman of the county chapter, who reported that a total of \$25,028.29 was subscribed throughout the county, with \$14,591.49 to be retained for use locally. The remaining \$10,436.80 has been sent to area headquarters.

The grants in the county contributed materially to the fund. Their donations follow: Redmond grange, \$175.80; Plainview-Cloverdale, \$143.28; Tumalo, \$102.02; Alfalfa, \$67; Eastern Star, \$50; Pine Forest, \$39 and Terrebonne, \$35.

Auto Repair Men To Meet June 6

A meeting of all Bend automotive repair service men has been called for tomorrow night in the war price and ration offices in the library building, to hear James Sager of the district OPA headquarters in Portland, explain new regulations to become effective soon. The meeting was set for 8 o'clock.

According to OPA officials here, new regulations governing the jobs and amount of time to be spent on all passenger cars, become effective June 14. Sager is scheduled to clarify these.

LIQUOR CHARGE FACED

Ernest Davidson, 67, a sheep herder from Shaniko, today obtained his freedom from the city jail on \$15 bail, following his arrest last night on a drunk charge. Davidson was found in an asserted intoxicated condition in the alley between Bond street and Lava road, police said.

Set Your Own 7th War Loan Employee Quota

From This Table

Col. 1	Col. 2	Col. 3	Col. 4
Average Wage Per Month	Average Subscription Needed (Cash Value)	Average Weekly Allotment *	Maturity Value of Bonds Bought 7th War Loan
\$250 & up	\$187.50	\$15.63	\$250
225-250	150.00	12.50	200
210-225	131.25	10.94	175
200-210	112.50	9.38	150
190-200	93.75	7.82	125
140-190	75.00	6.25	100
100-140	37.50	3.13	50
Under \$100	18.75	1.57	25

*This would include present allotment plus extra special 7th War Loan allotments and extra cash purchases—for 12-week period in April, May, and June.

FORMULA

(A) Ascertain average wage scale of company and number of employees.
(B) Multiply number of employees by figure in Column 1.
(C) To ascertain NET amount to be raised, deduct expected allotments from April, May, and June from total gross quota.

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- 5:00—Sam Hayes
 - 5:15—Superman
 - 5:30—Tom Mix
 - 5:45—Night News Wire
 - 6:00—Gabriel Heatter
 - 6:15—Jimmy Fidler
 - 6:30—American Forum of Air
 - 7:15—News
 - 7:30—Red Ryder
 - 8:15—Al Trace's Orchestra
 - 8:30—Dave Elman's Auction Gallery
 - 9:00—Glenn Hardy News
 - 9:15—Rex Miller
 - 9:30—Chaplain Jim
 - 10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
 - 10:15—Russ Morgan's Orchestra

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1945

- 7:00—News
- 7:15—Smile Time
- 7:30—Spotlight on Rhythm
- 7:45—Morning Melodies
- 7:55—News
- 8:00—John Kirby's Orchestra
- 8:15—News
- 8:30—Take It Easy Time
- 8:45—Today's Bulletin Board
- 9:15—Sing for the Seventh
- 9:30—Lanny and Ginger
- 9:45—William Lang and the News
- 9:55—Morton Downey
- 10:00—Rationing News
- 10:15—Old Family Almanac
- 10:30—Glenn Hardy News
- 10:45—Something to Talk About
- 11:00—Music and Lyrics
- 11:15—News of Prineville
- 11:30—Lady About Town
- 11:45—News
- 12:00—Traffic Safety
- 12:05—Walter Preston
- 12:10—Today's Classifieds
- 12:15—Sport Yarns
- 12:20—Grand Piano Twins
- 12:30—News
- 12:45—Farmer's Hour
- 1:00—County Agent
- 1:15—Elsa Maxwell's Party Line
- 1:30—Never Too Old
- 2:00—News
- 2:15—Anapolis Graduation
- 2:45—OPA Talk
- 3:00—Griffin Reporting

Lane Appeal Case Heard in Salem

Salem, Ore., June 5 (AP)—The case of Fullerton vs. the Deschutes Lumber company, an appeal from the Lane county circuit court, was to be heard by the state supreme court today.

The case challenges the constitutionality of a state law which sets a six months limitation upon certain kinds of cases brought under the federal fair labor standards act.

The suit was dismissed in Lane county because the court ruled Fullerton had not started action within the statutory time limit.

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The prize will be paid on a basis of weight but in case of a tie we will pay the prize for the longest of the two.

Floyd Umbarger, our engine overhaul foreman, started the procession with a 5 lb. 9 oz. German Brown measuring 25½" long. He is our candidate for the champ fisherman.

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9:15—Cedl Brown
9:30—Northwest Neighbors
10:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:15—Claude Thornhill's Orch.