

# Soldier vs Sailor Encounter Ends Without Victory

## GORDON GOES TEN ROUNDS WITH KEWPIE

The feud between the army and the navy still remains in an unsettled condition, at least insofar as the part played by Kewpie Riley of Vancouver and Sailor Willie Gordon are concerned. The two went 10 rounds to a draw Thursday night before an exceptionally small crowd.

Riley, with his rangy build and longer reach was a difficult target for the sailor, but at that Willie kept prodding away and stood up and mixed things whenever the soldier felt so inclined to stir matters up.

The first couple of rounds were mild affairs, both boys evidently being cold and willing to feel each other out. Each one of the remaining eight rounds with the possible exception of the 10th were about as similar as rounds could be. The boys would rush to an excellent ring, spar about for a minute and then mix it furiously for a while, then dance about some more. Once during the latter part of the fourth when the sailor evidently got a bit riled up he sailed into Kewpie and the pair flailed viciously at each other, with the sailor falling on shoulders and kidneys.

The final round brought the fans up howling as the two fighters forgot their sparring tactics and pounded each other with both fists. However the blows were mostly of the side swing variety and fell on the shoulders where they did little harm.

Gordon was careful throughout the fight to not land anywhere near the foul line and this carefulness probably cramped his style to a certain extent. Riley is an excellent boxer and would make a vicious opponent for anyone in his class if he really cared to extend himself.

Jack Peterson, a substitute for Red Hayes, who was unable to fight because of an attack of influenza, and Terry Killen of Independence staged an old fashioned slugfest when they weren't embracing each other in one of their numerous clinches. Killen kept jabbing the Portlander with a left to the head which did little damage while Jack ribbed in several body punches that must have hurt.

Peterson was awarded a decision. Killen said he fought the last two rounds with a broken right hand.

Jimmy Woods of Amity landed one of his infrequent swings to Del Russell's jaw in the latter part of the fourth and the Salem boy went down for the count. Woods appeared a trifle muscle bound but was elusive and hard to hit with a solid punch.

Jack Wattenberger and Guy Hickman fought one of the fastest bouts of the entire card, with Jackie taking the decision. Hickman took a count of nine in the second but came back in the third and put Wattenberger down for a short count. The Independence lad was the strongest and had the most stamina and kept boring in constantly.

The affair between Jack Nelson and Bernard Kuhn, the curtain raiser was called a draw.

## NEW YORK SENDS GOLF STARS WEST

New York (AP)—The metropolitan district is sending two more stars into the winter golfing wars. Bobby Cruickshank, pro at the Progress club, left for the Pacific coast Thursday to join his massive and riblick brethren who already have been in that sector for weeks. George Voigt, one of the country's leading amateurs, announced he had filed entry in the Miami and Miami Beach open championships.

Cruickshank plans to return to New York in February when he will sail for Europe to take part in the British open.

CHOCOLATE MEETS PANCHO  
New York (AP)—Kid Chocolate, Cuban negro bantamweight who has never lost a match since he came to this country, will make one more appearance before he returns to Cuba for the Christmas holidays. He will meet Pancho Deculo in a ten round bout at the Olympic A. C. Saturday night.

New York (AP)—Paavo Nurmi is training earnestly for his attack on distance records in the indoor meet this winter. He worked out twice Thursday in secret at the Kingsbridge Army. The Finnish running star practiced everything from a 50 yard sprint to a two mile jog around a small armory track.

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## WILCE MAY COACH CORNHUSKERS



Resignation of Coach Ernest Bear (right) of Nebraska gave rise to reports in football circles that Dr. Jack Wilce (left) is seriously considering an offer to become head coach at Nebraska. Wilce, who resigned as coach at Ohio State, neither denied nor confirmed reports of the offer.

## BEARCATS WIN OVER GASSERS

The Willamette university basketball team showed some real class Thursday night at the local gym and easily defeated the much touted Shell Oil five of Portland, 42 to 29.

The Bearcats were without the services of their strong pivot man, Cardinal, but Steelhammer, who substituted for part of the season, played a whole of a game on the defense. He didn't break into the scoring column but showed the most stuff he has ever displayed.

Scales again was the high scorer man of the evening with 22 markers. During the first half he scored all but two of his attempts and some of them were from difficult angles. Hawk should change his name to Hawk, for he certainly was on the ball at all times, playing at top speed. He may be a bit inclined to rough things up a bit but as the season progresses should be able to hold his own with anything in the conference. Adams and Litchfield played their usual classy game.

A team representing the Northwest Canning company was defeated by the Willamette freshmen 13 to 6 in a preliminary contest.

RUTH TO TALK  
New York (AP)—Babe Ruth, greatest of baseball's many idols, will speak to the boys of the United States Sunday night over station WJZ of the National Broadcasting company and connected stations. The talk will start at 8:15 p. m. and Ruth is expected to discuss baseball matters especially interesting to boys.

## MT. ANGEL WINS AT VOLLEY BALL

Mt. Angel proved the class of the district volleyball tournament at the Y. M. C. A. gym Thursday night and won out over its three opponents by taking three straight games. Kimball college of theology placed second with 2 out of 3, Independence won one out of 3, and the Married Men's Athletic club, brought up the rear with no wins.

Wachter, Mt. Angel, a big six-footer was the class of the tournament, bolstering the winning team in line shape. Trachsel, Kimball, played a fine game for the preachers. The game between the Methodists and the Catholics was a hot affair, the games running 13-15 and 13-15.

This is the second win for Mt. Angel, they having won the tournament last year. A return engagement will be played here the week of January 15-20, the winner of which will go to Portland to participate in the tournament there.

New York (AP)—Al Lassman, New York university football captain, was reported as "further improved" at the French hospital Friday. He was injured in the N. Y. U.-Carnegie Tech game at Pittsburgh, November 24 and brought here last Friday.

Los Angeles (AP)—Joe Levy, matchmaker of the Portland boxing commission, announced here Thursday that he had signed Johnny Lamar of Los Angeles and Wildcat Carter, sensational Seattle negro boxer for the 10 round main event bout on the New Year's afternoon program in Portland.

## FISTIC SKED ARRANGED AT FRIDAY MEET

New York (AP)—Something got to be done about the heavyweights to get them eliminated and Tex Rickard gathered four wise and wary men around a luncheon table Friday for that very purpose.

It was the first meeting of members of the Tunney-Muldoon trophy committee members and Tex Rickard and asked them to make a rule forcing all the contenders to enter an elimination tournament and fight it out for the vacated heavyweight title.

Besides Rickard, the committee is composed of John M. Bowman, hotel owner; Judge Jeremiah T. Mahoney; Bernard Gimbel, merchant millionaire, and close friend of Gene Tunney, and Herbert Bayard Swope, editor of the New York World.

When a fellow like Jim Maloney is back knocking at the door of the heavyweight elimination tournament, the situation could hardly be what one would describe as ideal. Maloney, knocked out by Jack Sharkey, George Godfrey and Tom Heeney, less than two years ago, fights Con O'Kelly, Irish importation, in a ten round bout at Madison Square Garden tonight. And if he wins, who can deny him a place in the tournament?

Sharkey knocked out Maloney in five rounds in his climb to a match with Dempsey and every one wrote Maloney out of the heavyweight picture.

Maloney is an 8 to 5 favorite, but many shrewd boxing men who have watched O'Kelly closely in the only two bouts he's had in this country, believe the latter has what it takes to beat Maloney out of the way.

## DONNELLY SHOOTS 220 FOR PRINTERS

Despite the fact that Ed. Donnelly, star driver for the New Statesman five, scored 220 in his second game last evening, the printers went down to defeat two out of three to the Montgomery Ward bowlers Thursday evening at the Winter Garden. The store men took the first and last games by scores of 797-771 and 698-645, but lost the second canto 813-882.

The Roth Grocery team, leaders of the Business Men's league, were upset by the Sanitary Milk company quintet two out of three. The first game went to the milkers, 777 to 718, dropped the next one, 691 to 731, and grabbed the deciding frame, 775 to 715.

## Harry Wills on Way to Trinidad To Fight Firpo

St. Thomas, Virgin Islands (AP)—Harry Wills, the pugilist, and his manager, Morris, passed through here Thursday en route to Trinidad to fight Luis Firpo. The news like a voice out of the past that Harry Wills has bobbed up in the Virgin Islands on his way to a battle with the one-time "wild bull of the pampas," caused considerable surprise among boxing followers, who have come to look upon the pair of top-notchers of a few years ago as definitely out of the heavyweight picture.

## OLD GRADS TO PLAY SALEM HI

Whether the alumni of the local high school can make it three straight will be determined Friday evening when the red and black take on the former stars in what will be the first workout for the squad which will uphold the basketball honors for the local school during the coming hoop season.

Boys who have taken prominent parts in state tournaments here for the past few years are expected to make up the personnel of the alumni. Duffy, a wizard at striking baskets from all angles, John Drager, former all-state center; Bob Drager, hard working guard, who are attending school at Oregon State; Harold Olinger, a student at Oregon; Bob Ashby, one of the best guards Salem high ever turned out, Ellis and Fallin are among the old grads who are expected to show the youngsters how they won championships in former years.

Coach Anderson has been working a large crew daily and the majority of them will have a chance at flinging the ball some time or other during the evening. A particularly large bunch of promising sophomores are identified with this year's squad.

The contest will be a feature of "fusers" night at the high school.

## METROPOLITAN BALL TEAM DRAW CROWDS

New York (AP)—New York's three baseball teams, the Yankees, Giants and Brooklyn Robins, played to 5,221,000 persons during the 1928 baseball season according to figures compiled here.

The Yankees with an aggregate attendance of 1,261,000 proved the biggest drawing card at home of either major league.

## HOPPE AGAIN TO PLAY BALK LINE CUE GAME

Chicago (AP)—Willie Hoppe, the boy wonder of other days, is ready to forsake his dream of winning a three-cushion billiard title and will once again take up balk-line—the game at which he won international fame as 15 times national champion in 17 years.

Hoppe, whose name is synonymous with billiards, deserted the 18.2 ranks a year ago in quest of a championship in the angle game. His playing was the sensation of the American three-cushion billiard league but each of two attempts to acquire a national or world's title he found Johnny Layton, the Missouri fisherman and carpenter, barring his path.

Although he has seen his supremacy in the balk line game pass to another and failed in his quest of a three-cushion crown, Hoppe declares he is not through.

"I am only 41 years old and have plenty of good billiards left in my system," said Hoppe after Layton crushed all hopes Hoppe had of acquiring the only major billiard title he has never held, by defeating him in the tournament here.

"The game is a lot tougher than when I won my first 18.2 championship in 1910," said Hoppe. "Especially is this true in the three-cushion game where anyone of the four players competing in the world's tournament is of championship calibre."

"Three-cushion has not ruined my stroke for balkline," said Hoppe. "With a few weeks practice I will be back again fighting as hard as ever to win in the game which I know best."

## MILL CITY DEFEATS GATES TEAM 26-18

Mill City—Mill City high school added another victory Wednesday evening when they defeated the Gates basketball team by a good margin.

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## STAGG'S PUPILS TO PLAY MENTOR

Chicago (AP)—Three former pupils bring teams to Stagg Field next fall in an attempt to teach their old teacher a football lesson.

Beloit college, coached by Campbell Dickson, Indiana State college, coached by Wallie Marks and Indiana university, coached by Pat Page, are on Chicago's home schedule. All are former Chicago stars and pupils of Stagg.

The 1929 schedule, which calls for games with Purdue, Princeton, Wisconsin, Illinois and the University of Washington, was announced Friday.

## BOWLING CHAMPS PLAY TEN GAMES

A ten game bowling match between Wayne Kantola, high scoring man of the City league and Sam Steinbock, for a urse of \$30 will be run off on the Winter Garden drives Friday evening beginning at 7 o'clock. Kantola recently defeated Harold McKinney, smart hardwood man of the navy in a ten round match by a close score. McKinney has challenged the winner of Friday night's contest for a match on December 28.

COCHRAN LEADS  
New York (AP)—Welker Cochran held a lead of 2800 to 2539 over Jake Schaefer in their special 4800 point 18.2 balk line billiard match when play was resumed in the eighth block Friday. Cochran won the seventh Thursday 342 to 339.

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