

Byrne-Baker Battle at Armory Tonight Stirs Interest of Fans

SLASHING FIGHT EXPECTED WHEN BIG BOYS MEET

Extra Seats Installed to Care for Huge Crowd — Both Gladiators Receive Warning Against Foul Tactics

Fearing that some of the out-of-town visitors who are coming to Medford to see the big fight at the Armory tonight may be forced to stand up for want of seats, Promoter Mack Lillard was busy this morning scouring the town for more seats to accommodate the last minute rush for the ring.

The heavyweight fight between Jimmy Byrne, yclept "The Myrtle Point Killer," and George Baker, called the "Seattle Bearcat," promises to bring out some fast fighting. Both boys are top-notchers in Pacific coast fistic circles and are deadly punchers. Anything can happen and a knockout is expected long before the 10-round limit of fighting is reached.

Betting Brisk.
Betting on the outcome of tonight's affair is more brisk than on any fight promoted here in recent years, according to Lillard.

Referee Les Weiss, in conference with the two heavies yesterday, explained in detail just what he will, and will not, stand for in tonight's brawl. Byrne has been criticized for his past action in the ring, especially when meeting a colored man.

Hitting after the bell ending a round, hitting an opponent, not breaking clean at the orders of the referee and numerous other infractions of the rules were explained to forestall any action on the part of either fighter, which might mar the evening's program.

Byrne Feels Tempted.
Byrne asked Referee Les Weiss if he would be warned for any foul tactics, before awarding the fight to the fouled fighter. Byrne explained that in the heat of battle he sometimes took every advantage, but if warned then and there he hardly ever forgot it.

It is not likely that the referee will stop the fight unless one or the other of the fighters persists in unnecessary roughness.

REVAMP ANGELS TO HALT SLUMP
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 1.—(AP)—A reorganization of the Los Angeles baseball club was under way today with announcement of the unconditional release of four veterans of the team.

Those released were: Fred Haney, third baseman and captain since 1928.

Malcolm Moss, southpaw hurler obtained from the Chicago Cubs two years ago.

Homer Summa, outfielder obtained from the Missions in 1931.

George Carter, righthanded pitcher formerly with the Missions.

Gene Lillard, who was recalled from Wichita, will take Haney's place. Byron Blackburn, a rookie from the Phoenix, Ariz. sandlots, will supplant Summa.

Wins Marathon Swim



For the third time, Margaret Ravior of Philadelphia won the women's 10 mile professional marathon swim in Lake Ontario at Toronto, Time 5 hrs., 22 min., 15 sec. (Associated Press Photo)

HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press.)

Coast.	W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	90	68	.568
San Francisco	84	67	.555
Los Angeles	84	69	.549
Hollywood	84	69	.549
Sacramento	75	78	.490
Seattle	71	79	.473
Oakland	64	87	.424
Missions	56	98	.365

National.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	75	51	.595
Pittsburgh	69	60	.535
Brooklyn	69	63	.523
St. Louis	64	64	.500
Philadelphia	63	69	.479
Boston	63	69	.479
New York	59	70	.457
Cincinnati	55	77	.417

American.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	91	38	.705
Philadelphia	80	51	.611
Washington	74	54	.578
Cleveland	72	58	.554
Detroit	66	61	.520
St. Louis	55	71	.437
Chicago	39	87	.310
Boston	36	93	.279

BASEBALL YESTERDAY

Coast.	R.	H.	E.
Portland	4	8	1
Missions	1	10	1

R.	H.	E.	
Hollywood	6	14	0
Oakland	1	7	3

R.	H.	E.	
Sheehan and Basler	6	8	1
Phobus and Raimondi	2	6	2

R.	H.	E.	
Seattle	5	14	1
Los Angeles	3	7	0

R.	H.	E.	
San Francisco	2	6	2
Sacramento	10	10	0

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PIRATES WIN 5TH IN ROW TO KEEP PACE WITH CUBS

(By the Associated Press.)
The Pittsburgh Pirates, fighting to hold their number-one position in the National league pennant race, are away on an other winning streak. They accounted for their fifth consecutive victory Wednesday when Captain Pie Traynor parked a home-run in the bleachers with Comorosky aboard, to defeat the Braves, 2 to 1.

The Chicago Cubs ran their winning record to 12 consecutive games in a weird 10 to 9 decision over the New York Giants. The Giants chased Lon Warneke, the league's leading hurler, to the showers in the first inning, only to have the Cubs tie the count on the ninth. The Giants came back with four runs, but Mark Koenig and Cuyler teamed to give the league leaders five in their half of the frame.

The Dodgers took two from the Reds, winning the opener, 7 to 1, behind the four-hit pitching of Bill Clark, and the nightcap, 11-10.

In the American league the Tigers broke Tony Fretz's winning streak at 10 straight, when Elton Foye hit two homers and Gehring one, to defeat the Athletics, 5 to 4.

The Washington Senators completed their sweep of a three-game series with the Browns, winning, 7 to 6, with the aid of hard and timely hitting and six St. Louis errors.

All other teams were idle.

ROAD SURFACING CONTRACTS SOON AT CRATER LAKE

CRATER LAKE NATIONAL PARK. (Sp.)—Contracts are to be let in a short time for the surfacing of two lengths of road within the park as a part of the continued Crater Lake road improvement program. One unit extends from the north park boundary to the lodge, a distance of slightly over 14 miles, and the other is part of the rim road on the east side near Lost Creek.

The surfacing of the first unit has direct bearing on rapid transportation to Diamond Lake, just outside the park, and together with present construction of new road to the boundary, the distance from Crater Lake to Diamond Lake the distance is decreased from 25 to 21 miles. This figure is inclusive of the distance from the north boundary to Diamond Lake itself.

Within the next two weeks, reports John P. Sargent, federal bureau of public roads resident engineer, stationed at Crater Lake, it is probable an important road grading contract will be let for 18 miles south from Diamond Lake toward Union creek to reach the end of a five-mile unit completed last June north from the latter place.

This will cut the distance from Union Creek to the lake from 28 to 23 miles and facilitate a loop trip to Crater Lake over highways comparable to city boulevards.

In the construction of the 18 miles only local labor will be employed, men to be selected from the unemployment register. There will be strict rules governing minimum wage scales and maximum charges for quarters and meals.

IDAHO BANKS LIMIT DEPOSIT DRAWINGS

TWIN FALLS, Ida., Sept. 1.—(AP)—All banks of Twin Falls county, including those here and at Buhl, Piler and Kimberly, today announced a moratorium, restricting withdrawal of funds except for ordinary business and living expenses, to a maximum of five per cent per month of yesterday's balances.

The purpose was declared to be the restriction of hoarding and the protection of all depositors. Coupled with the announcement was an expression of endorsement by various business houses, organizations and individuals.

BAER LAYS SCHAAF COLD AS BELL CLOSES BATTLE

(Associated Press Sports Writer)

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Max Baer, California's contender for the heavyweight championship of the world, today had a knockout over Ernie Schaaf of Boston—but it will never find its way into the record books.

After one of the most astonishing finishes seen in any ring, Schaaf, the protégé of Jack Sharkey, world heavyweight titleholder, was stretched out cold in the Chicago stadium last night just as the bell sounded ending their 10-round contest. From the battle Baer salvaged a mere decision victory over the man who had been regarded as the better of the younger contenders.

From the second to the ninth round it had not been so much of a fight. Both boxers, big, powerful fellows, had done their work with such deliberation and study that Referee Tommy Thomas warned them to put more spirit into their efforts. Then, as the ninth round started and just after the second warning, Baer piled

into Schaaf with a withering assault to the head.

Schaaf had fought his way out of a few similar flurries earlier in the bout, but this time Baer kept firing, smothering the Boston blond's efforts to fight free. Schaaf was a tired, bewildered fighter when the round ended.

Two more bruising rights landed on Schaaf's unprotected jaw and down he went just as the final bell sounded.

Nearly five minutes of frantic work by his handlers was required to bring him to and get him to his corner.

Schaaf, with a nine and one-half pound pull in weight, scaling 209 1/2 to 200 for Baer, made the fight most of the way, thumping Baer with both

hands to head and body. The Californian, however, took everything and even laughed about it.

It was their second meeting, Schaaf having won a decision victory in New York nearly two years ago.

Lee C. Garlock, local representative of the American Automobile association and the Oregon Automobile association, has received announcement from the California association that Oregon motorists who were forced to buy California license in July, may obtain a refund by sending claims to the motor vehicle de-

partment at Sacramento. When the Oregon moratorium on 1933 license was on a number of local motorists were forced to purchase California plates when motoring in that state.

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GOODYEAR

HOOD RIVER STAR TO ENTER GOLF TOURNEY

Johnny Boyd, an 18-year-old Hood River golfer, who has made some sensational scores lately, will enter the Southern Oregon golf tournament this week. Boyd is an exceptionally strong player for his years. He is visiting Robert Naumes of this city. The pair last winter took a jaunt around the country. Last Sunday the Portland Oregonian printed an account of young Boyd's prowess with the golf sticks.

Referee Knocks Wrestler Cold

COLUMBUS, O.—Robin Reed, 146, Reedsport, Ore., won from Bulldog Jackson, 154, Alaska, when Referee Ed Beardsley of Columbus knocked out the Alaskan to stop his elbow-attack on Reed.

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