

Champion and Wills May Box in Philly—De Pauw and Wabash on Edge

PURDUE AT TOP OF BIG TEN AS RESULT OF WIN

Two Victories Give Boiler-makers Lead—Down Ohio State in Close One.

By Times Special
LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 9.—Purdue won its second western conference basketball game Tuesday night here by defeating Ohio State, 24 to 23.

Purdue, by its victory, is at the top of the Big Ten race with two games won and none lost. It is the only Conference team to have played two contests.

The contest was close all the way and the Buckeyes had a chance to the count in the last minute of play on two attempts from the foul line. Only one of the free throws was made, however.

Purdue trailed most of the first half, but just before the period ended went to the front and was leading 12 to 11 when the gun was fired.

The Boilermakers started with a rush in the second half and kept the advantage until the very last, although Ohio fought desperately in the final minutes to gain the lead.

Gullion's three baskets in the final period enabled the Purdue five to pull out with the victory. Spradling and Tavis each got two and Robbings one from the field. Spradling led the scoring with seven points, which included three free throws. He went out of the game on four personal fouls.

The Ohio State attack was good, with Cunningham, center, leading the way with four field goals. Shaw tossed in three. Miner, Ohio State star, was held scoreless from the field and his only contribution was one foul goal.

WAR VETS LEND AID TO PADDOCK

One Legion Post Demands Apology by A. A. U.

By United Press
CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—A resolution calling on war veterans to refrain from supporting the Olympic games until the Amateur Athletic Union apologizes to Charles Paddock, coast speed master, was adopted Tuesday night by Walter S. Pogue Post of the American Legion here.

NORMAL DEFEATS ROSE

Teachers Take Lead at Start and Are Never Headed.

By Times Special
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 9.—State Normal defeated Rose Poly here Tuesday night, 36 to 14. Rose was never dangerous except at the start of the second half, when they came within five points of tying the score. The first period ended 17 to 7 in favor of Normal.

Burris, Conover and Van Horn were best for the winners, while Schoonover and Skeeters were the Rose Poly stars. Numerous substitutes were used by both teams.

GEORGES IS RING WISE

Carp Says He Won't Accept Match With T. Gibbons.

By United Financial
PARIS, Jan. 9.—L'Auto, a Parisian sporting newspaper, Tuesday carried a story to the effect that Georges Carpenter has refused to consider an offer made by Promoter Tommy Walsh of Minneapolis for a bout between Carpenter and Tommy Gibbons.

Carpenter would like a bout with the winner of the Tunney-McTigue fight.

The Nut Cracker

THE NEBRASKA FOOTBALL COACH HAS SUFFERED A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN AND MR. ROCKNE OF NOTRE DAME HOPES IT IS NOTHING TRIVIAL.

The U. S. pistol team for the Olympics hardly can be considered representative. . . . Not a single member of the Hollywood film crowd is on it.

AN EXPERT INFORMS US THAT FRED FULTON WON HIS LAST TWO FIGHTS BY KNOCKOUTS. . . . BUT WE REFUSE TO WAX ENTHUSIASTIC UNTIL ASSURED HE REALLY WENT HIS LAST FIGHTS.

It is said Young Bob Fitzsimmons is getting to look more like his famous dad every day. . . . He must be losing his hair.

A WEEK AGO IT WAS TOO WARM FOR THE SKI JUMPERS. A FEW DAYS LATER IT WAS TOO COLD FOR THEM. . . . THE SKI JUMPERS, APPARENTLY, ARE AT THEIR BEST ONLY IN THE ROTOGRAVURE SECTIONS.

The ball players are getting ready to go south to bolt out. . . . It will be April, however, before the fans really get stampeded up.

Goldstein Beats Cohan
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Abe Goldstein, the New York commission's bantamweight "champion," won a ten-round decision from Wilbur Cohan, New York, here Tuesday.

Easy Life

By United Press
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—America's Olympic hockey team, six players and three substitutes, sailed today to compete in the Olympic winter games in France. Its final appearance in this country, the Olympic team defeated Minneapolis, 3 to 2, in Boston Tuesday night.

GOTHAM BELIEVES TOM TOO FRAIL

New Yorkers Think Jack Would Wreck Gibbons.

By United Financial

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The announcement made at St. Louis by Promoter James C. Mullin that Champion Jack Dempsey and Tom Gibbons would be matched again this summer offers one more example in proof of Barnum's contention.

Both Cleveland and Louisville, undeterred by the Shelby fiasco seven months ago, are reported to be anxious to land the bout.

Gibbons has shown nothing since his defensive battle on July 4 to convince the world he is a dangerous contender for Dempsey's title. Dempsey on the other hand, in his slashing Firpo engagement showed enough stuff to convince the ringlers he is capable of knocking Gibbons into the proverbial cocked hat.

Cut Eye Prevents Bout

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Billy Levine, New York bantamweight, scheduled to meet Eddie Shan here Monday, wired from New York he would not be able to appear because of an accident. Levine said he cut his eye while training.

BAN ON MIXED BOUTS IS LIFTED IN PENNSYLVANIA

Move to Match Jack and Harry in Keystone State Seen When Rickard Negotiates for Privileges.

By HENRY L. FARRELL

United Press Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Definite moves to stage the Dempsey-Wills fight in Philadelphia next summer are seen behind the negotiations in process to turn the control of the Philadelphia arena over to Tex Rickard. While it has not been confirmed here, it is known positively Rickard wants to get the arena, which is the "Madison Square Garden" of Philadelphia, and it is believed that he will be successful.

In moving toward Philadelphia, Rickard is either seeking a place of refuge or he is acting upon a desire to extend his field of operations.

If the politicians in New York carry out their threat to oust Rickard or repeal the boxing law, he would have an ideal spot in Philadelphia because it is the greatest fight town in the country. If the campaign against him fails he would have a fine field in which to extend his activities.

The intention to stage the Dempsey-Wills fight in Philadelphia is almost obvious. The Attorney General of Pennsylvania ruled Tuesday that the ban which the State boxing commission placed upon "mixed bouts" was not constitutional and that it would have to be rescinded.

This means that no legal barriers can be placed in the way of a Dempsey-Wills fight in Pennsylvania. Conditions are such in New York that the bout cannot be held here for some time, if ever.

A \$7,000 GOLF PURSE

What promises to be the richest monetary golf prize in the history of the game in this country will be hung up by the Santa Monica Club, near Los Angeles, late this month. Prizes amounting to \$7,000 will be given to the leading professionals. To the victor will go \$2,500.

The Army Recruiting Office in the Federal building was the mecca today for boxing fans anxious to secure choice seats.

No matter how good the preliminaries may be the crowd that will turn out Jan. 21, will be all attention when the big boy from Macon, Ga., steps into the ring. Stirling is just 19 and tips the beam at 165. He is growing like a weed and in a few years should be a well-developed heavyweight.

Forty-two rounds in all will be offered the fans Jan. 21.

ANOTHER ONE-POINT WIN FOR CATHEDRAL SQUAD

Defeat Zionsville, 23 to 22—Kelly Stars for Winners.

By Times Special
ZIONSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 9.—Cathedral High School of Indianapolis defeated the local five here Tuesday night, 23 to 22. Mullin tipped in the winning goal just before the game ended.

The score at the half was: Cathedral, 13; Zionsville, 11. Kelly starred for the winners with seven from the field. Muston tossed in six field goals for Zionsville.

Smith Sr. will return to Indianapolis the end of this week or the first of next. He is at his home in New York.

CUE LEAGUE MATCHES

Indianapolis Representatives to Meet Champaign (Ill.) Entry.

Two matches were on the schedule today in the Indiana-Illinois Three-Cushion Billiard League between Indianapolis representatives and the Champaign (Ill.) entry.

This afternoon Harry Cooley was to meet the Illinois player and at night, Lewis Vogler will play. Indianapolis is first in the standing with Champaign second. The matches were to be played at the Cooler No. 1 parlor.

PLAY NO. 7

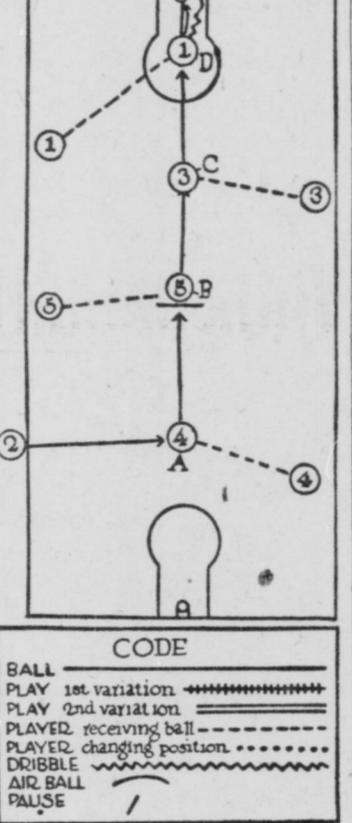
Out of Bounds

The left guard passed in to right guard A, who passed to center B, who passes to right forward C, who passes to left forward D, who shoots or dribbles.

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Point Makers IN Basketball

By ERNEST A. BLOOD



SMITH GOES TO PICK TRIBE CAMP

Plant City, Fla., Now in Running With Deland.

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By NEA Service
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A difference in the matter of salary was the reason for Rigler's failure to start the 1923 season.

Shortly after the campaign opened Rigler entered into a business deal that promised better returns than the salary he asked the umpire. Early in the spring the National League decided to meet Rigler's terms, but the arbitrator said nothing doing.

It is understood a number of club owners regretted the departure of Rigler and they have instructed President Heyder to go to the limit in an effort to get him to return to the game.

MANUAL AND SOUTHPORT

Locals Take on County Rivals Tonight at University Heights.

Manual Training High School basketball team will meet a strong county rival tonight in Southport at the Indiana Central College gymnasium at University Heights. The opponents of Manual are rated among the strong fives of Marion County and a hard battle is expected.

Manual plays at Columbus Friday night.

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