

TALKING IT OVER

WITH JOE WILLIAMS

FLORIDA BOUND, Feb. 28.—This train rumbling along through the South somehow suggests Mr. Thomas Heeneey, the Irish-Australian. It has the stolid ruggedness and evident quality of dependability that Mr. Heeneey has shown in all his fights and, like the heavyweight contender, is not as fast as it might be.

Heading for Miami you have the feeling the train will not break any speed records, that it merely will win on points, not by a knockout and again this suggests Mr. Heeneey, who arrives at his destination in much the same way.

Mr. Heeneey is a conspicuous figure in the headlines these days by reason of his fight Thursday night against Jack Delaney, the champion, one of those elimination developments which may or may not determine the identity of Gene Tunney's opponent in June.

The financial details of Mr. Heeneey's American activities make thrilling reading and furnish further proof that the quick way to opulence is through such academic and scientific channels as are to be found in bulging biceps and granite fists.

ABOUT a year ago, Mr. Heeneey landed in this grand and glorious country with two extra shirts, a pair of widening eyes and enough small change to get to Erie.

He wasn't adverse to doing a little fighting for Tex Rickard, maybe in a semi-windup or preliminary bout, but he had no visions of doing any serious fighting. Mr. Heeneey is extraordinary in that he has no tremendous regard for his ability. He had heard much of the superior abilities of American ringmen and he was content to be a sideline observer.

"I wanted to see New York, go to Frisco, and then take a steamer home," Mr. Heeneey confessed to me last week. "I wanted to have a fight or two, but I wasn't sure I could make the grade. I certainly never figured I would be in there mentioned as a contender for the world championship."

Rarer, indeed, than a day in June is a modern prize fighter who doubts his own greatness.

For fighting Delaney, Heeneey will get 25 per cent of the house. It is estimated the house, in this instance, will reach \$150,000, which means Mr. Heeneey will get \$35,000 for his end. And if this comes to pass, his total earnings for the year he has been here will reach the \$100,000 mark.

I would call this a fairly neat pickup for a young man who came here for no other important purpose than to send some picture postcards back to Aunt Emma and Uncle Alfred.

Mr. Heeneey is not exactly a young man, as the boys go in the basketballing business. He says he is 29. I suspect he is in the middle thirties, at least. He is graying at the temples and has those tell-tale webbing around the eyes that indicate a strenuous and extended period of habitation in an earthly world.

He has done more fighting in the past twelve months than in the past five years, a circumstance which explains the metamorphosis of the visitor from an ordinary European heavyweight—and most of them are very ordinary—into a ring performer who will pay a bigger income tax next March than the average captain of industry.

Starling against Charley Anderson, whom he dismissed with an airy gesture in nine rounds, Mr. Heeneey has sponsored an active program embracing nine battles in all and including as opponents Paolina, Maloney, Sharkey and Risko.

His has been what you might call a triumphantly steady, conscientious labor, rather than spectacular ability. In all his fights where a real issue was involved, he has been just good enough to win, or just good enough to look as if he should have won.

Up-to-Minute Big Ten Facts and Figures

STANDING					
	W.	L.	Pct.	TP.	OP.
Indiana	8	2	.800	411	275
Purdue	8	2	.800	369	270
Wisconsin	8	2	.800	357	265
Northwestern	6	3	.667	275	274
Michigan	6	3	.667	270	269
Chicago	4	6	.400	225	257
Iowa	4	6	.400	219	256
Ohio State	3	8	.273	210	269
Illinois	3	8	.269	216	268
Minnesota	2	9	.182	216	278

INDIVIDUAL SCORING				
	G.	T.	TP.	
Murphy, Purdue	41	22	104	
McCracken, Indiana	39	20	107	
Oosterbaan, Michigan	30	11	111	
Waller, Northwestern	30	15	77	
Foster, Wisconsin	31	15	77	
Wells, Indiana	28	20	79	
Van Hout, Ohio State	28	20	79	
Gist, Chicago	31	5	67	
Correll, Indiana	30	18	73	
Nordahl, Minnesota	21	21	63	
Stark, Minnesota	24	16	68	
Fisher, Northwestern	23	17	69	
Behr, Wisconsin	23	13	59	
How, Illinois	23	12	55	

GAMES THIS WEEK				
TONIGHT				
Chicago at Northwestern				
THURSDAY				
Illinois at Northwestern				
SATURDAY				
Chicago at Illinois				
Michigan at Indiana				
Iowa at Wisconsin				

MONDAY'S RESULTS				
Purdue, 45; Minnesota, 27 (at Lafayette).				
Indiana, 49; Iowa, 39 (at Iowa City).				
Michigan, 45; Ohio State, 39 (at Columbus).				

BELL TELEPHONE LEAGUE				
—Games Last Week—				
Chief Engineer, 27; Comptroller, 24.				
Plant Engineer, 27; Accounting, 22.				
Plant Maintenance, 18; Western Electric, 15.				

Team Standing					
	Won	Lost	Pct.	TP.	OP.
Plant Maintenance	8	0	1.000	183	
Western Electric	4	1	.800	183	
Commercial	4	1	.800	204	
Plant Engineer	3	3	.500	189	
Chief Engineer	3	3	.500	189	
Accounting	2	6	.250	135	

Michigan Looms as Barrier to Wisconsin and Indiana Fives

Noted Track Trio Ready for Feature

'Mile of the Century' Carded—Hahn, Conger, Peltzer Matched.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Dr. Otto Peltzer, Ray Conger and Lloyd Hahn tapered off their training today for "the mile of the century" in the K. of C. indoor track meet at Madison Square Garden Wednesday night.

The last obstacle in the way of Dr. Peltzer competing was removed when the foreign relations committee of the A. A. U. approved, by a vote of 5 to 1, the German champion's application to run in his third and final race in this country. Joseph B. McCabe of Boston, chairman of the committee, cast the dissenting vote.

Eastern track fans favor Hahn to win, but look forward to one of the closest races in history.

Hornsby Dons His New 'Unie'



From St. Louis to New York to Boston, that's the route taken by Rogers Hornsby, National League slugger and star second sacker. His is a strange case, but Boston, his most recent stop, is asking no questions while awaiting the appearance of Rogers in Beantown.

The picture shows Hornsby in the uniform of the Braves. He was snapped while at the St. Petersburg (Fla.) training camp.

Purdue Has Easy 'Ride' to End of Big Ten Race.

WOLVERINES STRONG

Capable of Wrecking Conference Title Hopes.

The impressive performances turned in by the University of Michigan basketball team in recent games has left Big Ten followers in a quandary and both Indiana and Wisconsin face what appears to be one of the stiffest barriers of their conference schedules.

Purdue's victory over Minnesota last night left the Boilermakers with two more games to play, one with Iowa and one more with the Gophers, a rather easy program and almost a "cinch" to finish with ten victories and two defeats.

Indiana's triumph over Iowa kept the Crimson right up with the Lafayette crew, but the Bloomington five has yet to oppose Michigan next Saturday night at Bloomington and Illinois at Urbana March 6.

Wisconsin meets Iowa at Madison next Saturday, Michigan at Ann Arbor the following Monday and Illinois at Urbana on March 9, a stiff program.

Should Michigan's rejuvenated outfit led by its brilliant Benny Oosterbaan, who is leading the Big Ten point getters, upset Wisconsin and Indiana, Purdue will have a clear claim to the title.

Boilermakers Romp

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Feb. 28.—Purdue captured a rather easy victory from a weak Minnesota team here Monday night, 45 to 27. The Boilermakers' accurate shooting and flashy floor work had the Gophers trailing from the opening whistle.

Summary:

Purdue	G	F	T	P	Minneapolis	G	F	T	P
Harmeson, f.	0	0	0	0	Chapman, f.	1	2	4	
Combs, f.	3	2	4	0	Hovde, f.	2	0	4	
Murphy, c.	3	10	10	0	Nelson, c.	3	2	6	
Shanley, f.	2	3	7	0	Tanner, f.	0	0	0	
Semler, f.	0	0	0	0	O'Brien, f.	1	2	2	
Wheeler, f.	1	1	3	0	Nash, f.	0	1	1	
Edert, f.	0	0	0	0	Williams, c.	0	0	1	
Wicks, c.	0	1	1	0	Stark, f.	3	0	6	
Totals.....	17	14	45		Totals.....	10	7	27	

Crimson Rap Hawks

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Feb. 28.—Indiana University basketball men won a Big Ten game here Monday night by dropping Iowa, 49 to 39, in a hard-fought battle. The Crimson led at the end of the first half, 22 to 15.

Summary:

Indiana	G	F	T	P	Iowa	G	F	T	P
Wells, f.	4	3	11	0	Troop, f.	2	1	5	
Strickland, f.	1	1	2	0	Finck, f.	1	1	4	
Star, c.	0	1	1	0	Lawson, f.	2	0	4	
McCracken, c.	4	16	16	0	Shanley, f.	0	0	0	
Scheid, c.	0	3	3	0	Kintner, f.	2	0	4	
Correll, c.	3	5	11	0	Lauer, f.	0	0	0	
					David, f.	0	0	0	
					Johnstone, c.	0	0	0	
Totals.....	16	17	49		Totals.....	13	13	39	

Wolverines Shine

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 28.—The University of Michigan basketball team displayed splendid form here Monday night and defeated a hard-fighting Ohio State outfit, 45 to 39.

Benny Oosterbaan led the Wolverines with twenty points, mounted up on ten field goals. Harrigan scored seven field goals.

Johnny Favored to Enter Final Round of Meet

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 28.—Entering the second round of the South Florida tennis tournament here today, Francis Hunter, Davis Cup doubles player, and John Hennessy of Indianapolis, Davis Cup hopeful, were favored to enter the finals.

Both won their first round matches easily, losing only one game between them.

Interest was centered in today's match between Victor A. Ponce De Leon, Yucatan tennis champion, who is trying for the Mexican Davis Cup team, and C. B. Grawn, of Detroit, chairman of the executive committee of the Western Association.

Monday Basketball

COLLEGES

Butler, 33; Marquette, 15.

Michigan, 49; Ohio State, 39.

Purdue, 45; Minnesota, 27.

Michigan, 45; Ohio State, 39.

Oakland City College, 45; Danville Normal, 44.

University of Detroit, 27; De Paul University, 19.

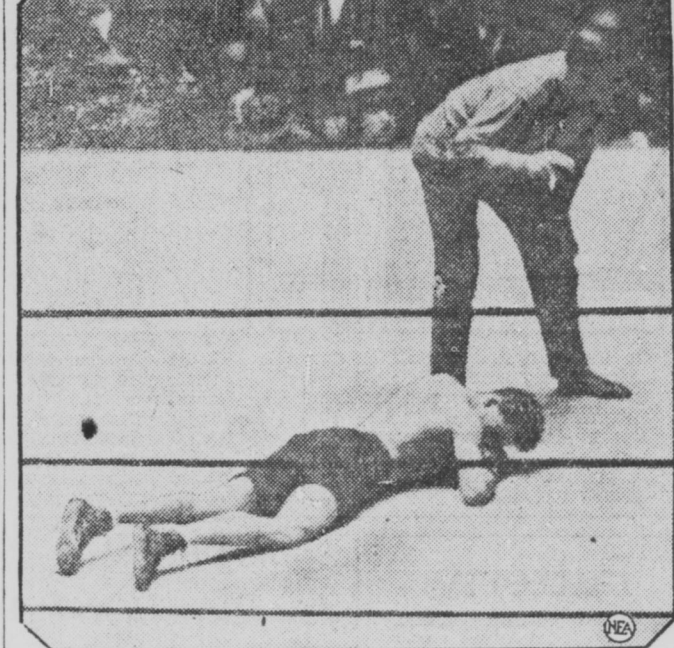
Kansas, 46; Oklahoma Aggies, 44.

Washington University, 38; Iowa State, 31.

Signs With Rochester.

OLIVET, Ill., Feb. 28.—Earl Miller, former varsity pitcher on the Olivet College baseball team, has signed a tryout with the Rochester team of the International League.

Two Punches and Out!



Jimmy McLarnin, Irish lightweight, made his New York debut by knocking over the pride of the Gotham Ghetto, Sid Terris. The betting was 8 to 5 with Terris the favorite. Sid was regarded highly as a contender for the crown in his division before McLarnin polished him off. The knockout happened in the first round. Jimmy hooked a left and then crashed a right to the jaw. The picture shows Terris flattened and the referee tolling the count.

More Swimming Records Topple in Chicago Meet

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Four world swimming records were broken in the Illinois Women's Athletic Club pool Monday night, three by Johnny Weissmuller and Walter Lauffer, and the fourth by Emma Shemaitis, who aided her I. W. A. C. mates in a 48 to 16 victory over the Women's Athletic Club of Detroit.

Lauffer, Lake Shore Athletic Club, competing against time, completed the 440-yard backstroke in 5:46.1-5, breaking the mark of 6:02.3-5 made by Perry McGillivray in 1919. Lauffer's time for the 400 yards of this same swim set another new record.

Weissmuller, Illinois Athletic Club, stroked the 120-yard free style in 1:05 flat, bettering another McGillivray mark by more than three seconds.

Miss Shemaitis, competing in the 300-yard medley, set a new record of 4:34.3-5.

Bouts Tonight on Armory Bill

AUSPICES AMERICAN LEGION

Jimmy Hackler, Los Angeles, vs. George Miller, Milwaukee, ten rounds.

Cherokee Kid, Tulsa, vs. Kid Woods, Indianapolis, eight rounds.

Larry Pruitt, Indianapolis, vs. Bud Swope, Dayton, Ohio, six rounds.

Heavy Spot, Indianapolis, vs. Chet Smallwood, Sullivan, six rounds.

Pistol, Memming, Lafayette, vs. Bob McDonald, Indianapolis, four rounds.

First bout at 8:15.

Gives Heavy Contenders Low Rating

McAuliffe Believes Loughran Worth More Than Big Men Seeking Title.

BY JACK MAULIFFE

Former Undeclared Lightweight Champion (Written for the United Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—It is harder to dope out the winners among the fighters who hope to meet Gene Tunney than it is to pick winners at winter race tracks. And when I speak of how hard that is, I know what I am talking about.

The heavyweight contenders today are not consistent. Jack Delaney, before he met Jimmy Maloney last year, looked as though he might be a real championship possibility. After losing to Maloney he was a flop. He is doing a little better now, but one can not trust him.

Tom Heeneey is a slow plodder and lacks the spark which makes a champion.

Jack Sharkey, in his fight with Dempsey, looked to me as though he could have whipped Gene Tunney any day in the week. Yet in his fight with Heeneey, Sharkey flopped.

They don't run true to form.

Tommy Loughran, light heavy champion, looks the best of the lot. Certainly he is the most consistent. But we must wait and see what happens in the Risko-Sharkey and Delaney-Heeneey fights.

GRID OFFICIALS NAMED

Referees and Others Chosen for Fall Intercollegiate Games.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Officials for New York University's two important intercollegiate football games here against Missouri University Nov. 17 and the Oregon Aggies Thanksgiving day have been named as follows:

Missouri Game: Referee, Edward W. Cochran; umpire, Warren C. Giles, W. and J. head linesman, M. J. Thompson, Georgetown.

Oregon Aggies Game: Referee, Frank Birch, Earlham College; umpire, John P. Egan, Duquesne University; head linesman, Walter Roberts; field judge, Wilbur G. Crowl, Swarthmore.

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