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DEMPESEY-TUNNEY FIGHT MAY BE BANNED IN NEW YORK STATE

Big League Teams Rounding Into Home Stretch With Seven Weeks To Go

PHILADELPHIA BALTIMORE WANT CONTEST

Champion Probably Will Be
Refused License to Box
in New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The prospect of the Dempsey-Tunney fight being banned here today, loomed more strongly than at any time since the action of the State Athletic Commission in voting two to one in approval of the match. Although no official information could be obtained, it was reported from a source close to the authorities charged with administration of the boxing law here that the license committee, consisting of Colonel Phelan and D. Walker Wear, of Binghamton, will refuse to sanction the match by the simple expedient of refusing Dempsey's application for a license.

TUNNEY TO GET LICENSE
Tunney, it was reported, will obtain his license, the challenger having adjusted what differences existed between himself and the committee, but it was said that Colonel Phelan and Wear would decline to license Dempsey as a boxer in this state on the ground that in ignoring the challenge of Harry Wills, the commission's accepted challenger for a title, Dempsey violated a cardinal rule of the State Athletic Commission and exposed himself to disciplinary action.

In support of this contention it was pointed out that Colonel Phelan and Commissioner Wear are on record as opposed to a bout between Dempsey and Tunney before Dempsey first defended his title against Wills.

The idea that the license committee more or less automatically issue licenses on the recommendation of the State Athletic Commission, was declared to be erroneous. The license committee, being a separate and distinct body from the State Athletic Commission, is clothed with sole authority to decide when and to whom it will issue licenses, irrespective of the recommendations of the State Athletic Commission. This being the case, the vote of 2 to 1 by which the State Athletic Commission approved the Dempsey-Tunney bout will not influence favorable action from the license committee.

On the other hand, however, there is the assertion of Commissioner Brewer, lawyer-member of the board, that the license committee cannot arbitrarily deny a license to anyone and that it is obliged to issue a permit unless there is a very sound legal reason for not doing so.

NEW ORDER IN EFFECT
Another element which enters into the situation is the recent action of the commission in voting to entertain on a short time ago in question the action of the State Athletic Commission, this being the function of the license committee would hereafter be the State Athletic Commission. Evidence that the license board is adhering strictly to this plan, has been furnished recently in several cases where the license committee was refused permission to engage in bouts for which they had contracted on the assumption that the license applications would be approved.

OTHER SITES AVAILABLE
Promoter Tex Rickard will be forced to find another battleground for the fight if the license committee votes down the match. He has already secured a site in the event New York bans the match, and also has received invitations to go to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

82-YEAR-OLD MAN BEATS BOWLER OF 85
BUFFALO, Aug. 9.—Youth conquered age in an international lawn bowling tournament at Delaware Park here recently when G. W. McClure of Buffalo defeated Alex. Brown of Toronto, 15 to 13. McClure is 82 years old and Brown is 86.

In the semi-final round of the team matches for the Brier Trophy, Buffalo defeated Dunville, 10 to 8. In the other semi-final, the La Plante team of Toronto eliminated the Buffalo consistency team.

INTERMEDIATE GAME SHOWS TIE
The Canucks and St. Peter's fought five innings to a 0-0 tie score in an intermediate league fixture on the St. Peter's diamond last night. In the first of the sixth inning, the Canucks scored five runs but the game was called before the side was retired and the score reverted to that at the end of the fifth.

Kearns and McGovern formed the battery for the Canucks and Cronan and Damley represented the St. Peter's.

Buctouche Girl Wins French Diploma
MONCTON, Aug. 9.—Miss Marguerite Michaud, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Michaud, Buctouche, has arrived home. Miss Michaud, who has a splendid record at St. F. X. University, Antigonish, was the winner of a French government scholarship which enabled her to pursue her course at the University de Paris, where she succeeded in obtaining her diploma of "Professeur de Français."

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The Dempseys Arrive In New York



Smiling, confident, eager for battle, Jack Dempsey lands in New York to defend his heavyweight boxing title against Gene Tunney, next month. He will train at Saratoga Springs. His wife, Estelle Taylor came with him. Tex Rickard, left, promoter of the match, and Manager Gene Normie, right, were on hand to meet them.

Diamond Disputes Ended

WHEN it is proper to call "time," thereby suspending play, when some player is injured and unable to continue?

A proper interpretation of such a play always seems a trifle inhuman but to rule otherwise would invite constant camouflage.

When a player is injured in trying to make a play, the umpire should not call time, but the umpire should not call time, but the umpire should not call time.

Baseball

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Chicago 002000001—3 5 2
New York 11100000—4 10 0
Batteries—Kaufmann and Hartsfield; Greenfield and Snyder.

Pittsburgh 200025000—9 10 0
Brooklyn 1000002000—3 9 3
Batteries—Kramer and Smith; Petty, Ehrhardt and Hargreaves.

St. Louis 000000000—0 4 2
Boston 200021000—5 13 0
Batteries—Ken Rinehart, Haljahan and O'Farrell; Benton and Stenger.

First game R.H.E.
Philadelphia 001000000—1 12 4
Philadelphia 70000000—1 6 2
Batteries—Maya, Donohue and Hargrave; Wingo, Carlson and Wilson.

Second game R.H.E.
Cincinnati 000010400—10 16 0
Philadelphia 100010000—5 10 0
Batteries—Riley and Hargrave; Pierce, Knight, Ulrich and Henline.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Washington 110002010—8 14 0
Cleveland 00004000—7 9 1
Batteries—Johnson and Ruel; Smith, Miller and Sewell.

Philadelphia 020000000—2 10 0
Chicago 100010000—5 10 2
Batteries—Fahlgren and Cochran; Lyons and Grabowski.

New York 011100000—9 14 0
Detroit 210000100—6 10 0
Batteries—Jones, Braxton, Shawkey, Severide, Collins, Johns, Haljahan, Smith and Basler.

Boston 000000000—7 16 0
St. Louis 120001010—5 12 2
Batteries—Harris and Gaston; Falk, Wingard and Schang.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Syracuse 010210000—7 16 0
Newark 100010000—7 10 1
Batteries—Boyd, Schelberg and Morrow; Hankins, Zulbis and Wilson.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Minneapolis 3 5 0
Cleveland 1 5 0
Batteries—Dumont and Gowdy; Piggas and Hoffman.

Louisville 4 12 2
Milwaukee 4 12 2
Batteries—Tincup and Devermore; Robertson, Geavin and McMenemy.

Others not scheduled.
Frederickton 20025—8 10 2
Devon 10200—3 8 4
Batteries—McGinnis and Myhrall, Burs and H. Miles.

Devon, Maryvale and Frederickton each will play on the first farm laborers excursion leaving for the west Tuesday.

DRURY COVE BEATS EAST SAINT JOHN

Take Eight Out of Nine Events in Tennis Tournament on Saturday

On Saturday, the East Saint John Tennis Club players went down to defeat before those of the Drury Cove Tennis Club, the Drury Cove players taking eight out of the nine events.

MEN'S SINGLES
L. H. Sandall, D. C. won from W. Woodroffe, E. S. J., 6-0, 6-1.
A. C. Clarke, D. C. won from M. Reid, E. S. J., 6-0, 6-1.

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R. Harding and D. C. won from M. Stirling, E. S. J., 6-3, 6-0.

ST. JUDE'S DEFEAT ASSUMPTION TEAM
The St. Jude's softball team defeated the Assumption outfit by the score of 20 to 13 on the West Side diamond last night.

"Kid" Wilson Defeats Young Hackenschmidt
Off Saturday night's good six round bout was fought at Hatfield's Point between Jimmy "Kid" Wilson of Saint John, and Young Hackenschmidt of Woodstock, the "Kid" winning the decision by a thirty minute draw with Joe Brooks.

Jim Maloney of Boston Knocks Out Weirnt
NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 9.—Jimmy Maloney, of Boston, outwitted his opponent 20 pounds, tonight knocked out Charley Weirnt, of Newark, in the third round of a scheduled 12-round match.

Games Tonight
The Royals and St. John's Baptists play a South End League game on the South End grounds.

The Trojans and Saint John's are scheduled to play in the City League fixture on the North End grounds.

How To Swim
By LILLIAN CANNON
A VERY important point in the back stroke is the chest. The movement of the legs and arms should be simultaneous so that the maximum of headway can be attained.

It will take some practice to get the most out of the chest, but it is very necessary that one get into the habit of making his strokes and kicks vigorously and at the same time, and then straighten out the leg and arm should through the water until the impetus is gone.

Swimmers Are Midway In Channel Attempt
CAPE GRIS NEZ, France, Aug. 10.—Ishak Helmy, the Egyptian swimmer, and Georges Michel, the French natator, started together late last night in an endeavor to swim the English Channel. At 2 o'clock this morning they were nearly half way across the channel, both going strong, and acting as pacesetter for one another.

The weather conditions were ideal. They started off under the lee of the tug Alsace, which sheltered Gertrude Edle from the rough waves when she crossed the channel last Friday.

How They Stand

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Teams. Won. Lost. P. C.
Pittsburgh 60 44 577
St. Louis 59 45 566
Cincinnati 58 46 555
Chicago 57 47 544
New York 56 48 533
Detroit 55 49 522
Brooklyn 54 50 511
Boston 53 51 500
Philadelphia 52 52 489

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Teams. Won. Lost. P. C.
New York 51 38 561
Cleveland 49 40 549
Philadelphia 48 41 538
St. Louis 47 42 527
Chicago 46 43 516
Washington 45 44 505
Detroit 44 45 494
Boston 43 46 483

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Teams. Won. Lost. P. C.
Baltimore 73 45 619
Newark 74 46 610
New York 75 47 609
Buffalo 76 48 608
Rochester 77 49 607
Syracuse 78 50 606
Reading 79 51 605

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Young Montreal Loses To Tony Canzoneri
NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—Tony Canzoneri, of New York, outpointed Young Montreal of Providence, R. I., in the feature six-round bout of a benefit program tonight.

Outing Association Wins 8 Out of 11 Events—The Play
Ketepec tennis players won eight of the eleven events played in the tennis tournament played at Ketepec Saturday between representatives of the Outing Association Tennis Club and the Ketepec-Balmain-Morris Outing Association. Some very good playing was witnessed.

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