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BOXING AND OTHER SPORTS UNDER BAN FOR CHEER-UP WEEK

Doctor Mott Says Special Pugilistic Shows Will Not Be Recognized and Philadelphia Is Barred in Athletics Because of War Chest

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL

THE elaborate athletic program arranged by Samuel J. Dallas for "Cheer-up Week," under the auspices of the United War Work Campaign, has been called off by John R. Mott, director general, and the national committee. This information was contained in a letter sent to H. L. Whittmore, publicity agent of the campaign, by Frederic B. Shipps, campaign director of the State of Pennsylvania. This means Philadelphia will not be allowed to do its bit in athletics to help raise the \$170,500,000 for war charities during the week of November 11 to 18.

Furthermore, all special boxing shows scheduled to be held in the principal cities of the United States are, according to the letter, erased from the map. Football games in Pennsylvania will not be recognized by the United War Work Committee, and if they are held some local charity must benefit. The entire complexion of the "Cheer-up Week" campaign has been changed and all of the work done by Chairman Dallas has gone for naught.

Here is the letter sent by Frederic B. Shipps:

"My Dear Mr. Whittmore—Our chairman, Mr. Edward W. Bok, is just in receipt of a message from Dr. John R. Mott, of New York, director general of the United War Work Campaign, in which he advises that a few days ago a meeting of the officers of our campaign was held in New York with the national committee in general charge of the sports events for the benefit of this campaign. At this meeting Doctor Mott says that a clear understanding was reached on the following three points:

"First, That there was to be no Sunday sports of any description for the benefit of the campaign fund.

"Second, That no sparring (boxing) events would be arranged for excepting in the army cantonments, where such events would be under the supervision of the military authorities.

"Third, That no sporting or athletic events of any kind for the benefit of the campaign fund, in connection with which there would be admission fees or voluntary offerings, would be scheduled in any communities having war chests.

"Doctor Mott's message further states that athletic events scheduled in Pennsylvania in violation of the above-mentioned agreement are entirely unauthorized.

"Will you kindly convey the foregoing information to Mr. Samuel J. Dallas, who, I understand, under instructions from the national office of his organization in New York, is in the territory covered by the Philadelphia War Chest, arranging a schedule of athletic events for the benefit of the United War Work fund?"

There is Nothing Doing

In other words, Pennsylvania must raise its quota of \$20,000,000 without the aid of the sporting public. For I understand War Chest donations have been taken all over the State. The athletic support has been politely declined, for it would be impossible to raise money "without admission fees or voluntary offerings."

An elaborate program has been wrecked and thousands of dollars will be lost by the fund. In Philadelphia, too, football games, many soccer contests, a swimming meet, billiard match, boxing show, golf tournament, trotting races and a special theatrical performance had been arranged, and other cities in the State had similar affairs.

There is one event, however, which has been sanctioned by the sports committee and should not be canceled. It is the football game between the University of Pittsburgh and Georgia Tech in Pittsburgh on November 23 for the championship of the United States. At least \$40,000 will be taken in at the gate and this amount of money will help considerably. Perhaps special dispensation will be made by the powers that be, and if not, the receipts either will be divided between the contending colleges or given to some local charity.

RACING AT NEW ORLEANS

Jefferson Park Track Opens Winter Meeting November 23
New Orleans, Nov. 8.—The racing season here will begin at Jefferson Park on Saturday, November 23. Gad Brian made this announcement yesterday to his partner James P. O'Hara. Brian has been in New Orleans for a month preparing for the opening.
There are nearly 200 horses on the ground, and two special horse trains will leave Maryland when the Pimlico meeting ends next week.

Boxing Is Slammed

AND now comes the unkindest cut of all. There will be no boxing. All of the special shows being arranged in almost every city in the land must be called off unless they are held for some other charity not in the war-work fund. Doctor Mott says all shows must be held in cantonments

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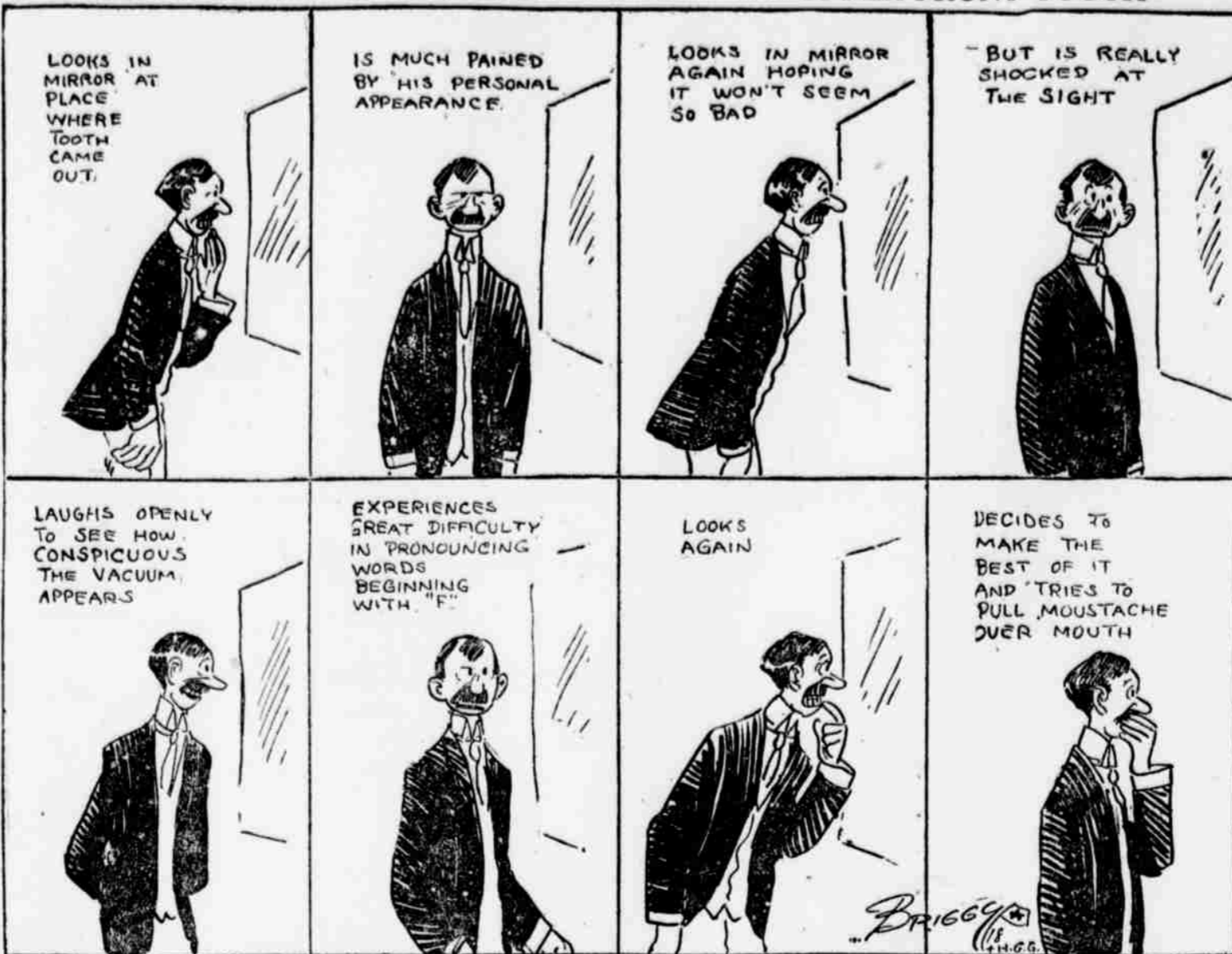
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BIG GAME TOMORROW

BY DICKSON'S newly organized League Island football team seems to have no fear of any eleven now wearing football togs. The Navy Yard boys, who conquered Lehigh last Saturday, will play the strong Swarthmore team at Swarthmore tomorrow afternoon. The game swarthmore had scheduled for tomorrow with P. and M. had been called off and by Dickson lost no time in filling the date.

When the League Island team goes into action it will be fortified by the acquisition of Ben Boynton, last year's All-American quarterback with Williams College, and Allie Cornog, the brilliant halfback who played such a big part in the winning team which represented the Garnet last season. Cornog and Boynton were among the leading sevens of the season.

Boynton now is a student at the Naval Aircraft School, which is headed by Lieutenant Harold Pumpelly, former star Yale halfback. Cornog, now in the navy, was a sensation with Swarthmore. With this pair added to the formidable line-up which vanquished Lehigh, by Dickson should present a very powerful eleven against the Garnet.

Haeli, the regular League Island fullback, and Pierce, quarterback, will assist Boynton and Cornog in the scoring department. Summer, the marine who played so well against Penn a few weeks ago, is not booked to start, but will see service before the game is over.

Ensign Thomas Welsh, assistant manager of the team, announced last night that the game had been scheduled.

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Pollok Fears His Best Star Has Fractured Skull
New York, Nov. 7.—Harry Morgan Pollok announced yesterday that his great lightweight batter Irish Patsy Cline, had been seriously injured while training. It is claimed that Cline was injured in an automobile crash, being thrown and landing on his head.
Cline was to have boxed Rocky Kansas in Philadelphia on Saturday night and next week was scheduled to meet World's Champion Benny Leonard at Madison Square Garden for the "Good Cheer Fund."

P. M. C. MAY MEET PENN
Chester Institution Hopes to Get Game for November 20
Negotiations are under way for a football game to be played by the University of Pennsylvania and the Pennsylvania Military College, of Chester. Lieutenant Colonel Frank K. Hyatt, of the "Little West Point," communicated yesterday with "Bill" Hollenback and "Bob" Pollock and offered to take the cadets to Franklin Field next Wednesday for a midweek game to be played during benefit week. The Penn tutors did not look kindly on the proposition for a midweek game just prior to Penn's clash with Pitt, but talked of a later date.

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