CAN'T SAY MACK ATHLETES ARE FLOCK OF FISH BECAUSE THEY'RE TRAINING IN LAKE CHARLES SWOPES WOULD SWAP

WORLD'S RECORD FOR QUICK KNOCKOUT HELD BY BATTLING NELSON

Durable Dane Put Over Haymaker on Rossler Two Seconds After Gong Rang Starting First Round. Hawkins Credited With Speedy Knockout

> By ROBERT W. MAXWELL. speris Editor Evening Public Ledger conversible, 1926, he Public Ledue to

GT GO down to the fights the other night." the boxing fan tell- his interested audience, "and when the wind-up starts I turn around and ask the guy behind me for a light from his see-gar. I'm lighting my own cheroot when the guy says. 'Hurry up. 1 want to go home.'

Then I look around and see that the fight is over and they are carrying some bloke to his corner. Now what d'ye think of that?"

That boxing story never will grow old nor will it ever be thrown into the discard. As long as the boys meet in the squared circle and maul cach other with the padded mitts that yarn will be sprung every time there is a quick knockout. The fan never thinks he has been cheated out of something when misses one of these things. Instead, he thinks it is a good joke and tells his friends about it.

Members of the Pine Street Debating Society were talking this over the other night. The reason for the conversation was a short cablegram from dear old Lunnon, telling how Ted Lewis socked a gent named Frank Moody right on the chin and knocked him for a gool eight seconds after the brawl started. This is a new record for English boxing, and the deah old chaps still are talking about if

"Pretty speedy work," croaked one of the debaters. "They must have swept up that guy before he got started. Must be very disappointing to make a long trip to see a fight and have it over with in a few seconds. Good thing we don't have those quick ones over here.

That started a general debate, and it soon was discovered that more quick knockouts have been administered in this country than any other. In fact, the world's records have been established here, and if the figgers are true they never will be broken. An eight-second knockout is speedy work, but it doesn't compare with the rapid-fire stuff put on by Battling Nelson in a budding metropolis named Harvey, Ill., on April 5, 1902.

WAS in that town and on that day that the Battlei established a I world's second. He such a person named William Resider and whanged him our wallog in the whiskers. William was being counted not two seconds after the bell clauged for the first encode. Netwon peak ably yeax in a hurry to been a date

Terry McGovern One-Round Artist

T MUST be remembered, however, that these two second knockouts are not really as short as they. really as short as that. It means the man was on his back and the referee started to count two seconds after the fight started. There must be a ten-second count unless the referee stops the bout to save one of the participants. There-fore, the chances are that the Nelson-Rossler battle lasted twelve seconds instead of two; but the official figgers must stand.

Another quick knockout was registered by Dal Hawkins in Carson City Nev., on March 17, 1897, before Bob Fitzsimmons won the championship from Jim Corbett. According to the records, Dal played nurse to Martin Flaherty and put bins to sleep in four seconds by the split-second watch. By a strange coincidence. Malachy Hogau, of Chicago, referred this bout and also officiated in the Nelson-Rossier affair. Hogan issued a statement saying that Nelson' knockout was the quickest.

Therefore, the eight-second finale put on by Ted Kid Lewis in Manchester. England, on February 13 cannot compare with the records made in America.

Terry Metlovern was a great one-round knockout artist, and the old-timers will tell you be stood alone in disposing of his opponents early. Still, his record shows only seven, the principal one being scored against Pedlar Palmer at Tuck aboe, N. Y., on September 12, 1899, when he won the bantamweight champion ship of the world. Terry could finish 'em in the first round, but he never estab lished any speed records.

His seventh and last one-round knockout was severed in Philadelphia on October 18, 1905, against Harlem Tommy Murphy Those who saw the boat say it was one of the most sensational ever held here. They say that Murphy started by knocking down Metfovern and had him all but out. Then Terry prosesailed into Tommy and knocked him stiff just a tew seconds before the end of P the round. It was a real K. O. and Murphy did not come to for several min - Columbia utes. MeGovern also was in pretty had shape at the end.

THERE have been many abrupt endings to having houts in Philadel phia and many ald timees have entries for the championship. Jack Hagan says Mike Cleary and Bill fiable based at the Theater Comigue bout 1886 and the bout was are in eleven second.

Peter Maher Didn't Last Long ONE of the guidekest and most disappointing battles was staged on Mexican Maher and Bob Fitzsinnaens were matched to box in Texas, but the federal au-thorities devided otherwise. Several cities were selected, but the troops always appeared on the scene and caused a postponement. Hundreds of fight fars from appeared on the scene and caused a postponement. Hundreds of fight fars from



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A Cheer Up Tip Let this cheer you, while you curst. Encrything can get much worse.

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Sport Part of Life

Sport is merely a big segment of life. has come upon us when one of the spring headlines announces "Giants and And there are applications from sport that fit almost any turn of life itself. Cubs Hope to Stop Cincinnati Reds" Baseball may be only a small part of

Dick de Naunders will he the second la guy of the week for Lew Tendler. This he will go on at the National Saturday such Supporting this match will be the followin bouts: Battling Mack vs. Battling Leona Billy Rolfe vs. Patsy Broderick, Viet Yet one of baseball's chief slogans. "Get in the game," is directly ap-plicable to almost any or every phase of istence Ritchie vs. Al Zeimer and Martin Judge Kid Wolfe.

What's in a Name? RECENTLY Mr. H. B. Swope, of this city, in a certain golf tournament turned in a net 66 for eighteen holes.

This was sufficient to win the main event and obtain the usual amount of

publicity. It was also sufficient to arouse the pained regret of Mr. H. B. Swope, of New York, who admits that he has so

Poth's Club Defeats Leaders far never yielded to any such par-destroving lure.

The latter Mr. Swope also writes us that the published score of his Philadelphia namesake has rather adversely affected his wagering potentialities for the approaching campaign. Opponents who had been yielding him

5 strokes a round are now demanding from 12 to 14 strokes upon the other

side of the ledger, inclosing the net 66 as a crushing rebuttal to any squawk he may employ in advance. It seems that one Mr. H. B. Swope is net 66 and the other is not 66, even with the aid of a net.

We trust this explanation will swing



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inht-Reading at Camden. redax-Trenton at Bridgeport. fax-De Nerl at Trenton. Bridgebort at Reading.

The Eastern League basketball race may not be over so soon after all. The the handicap pendulum back where Skeeters are scheduled to play Reading belongs.

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appeared on the scene and caused a postponement. Hundreds of fight fans from battle in New Husen ran avera period all over the country were down there to see the bour and made many hard, discouraging trips.

Finally the word was passed around one night that a place in Mexico had of the leading stor-been found and the train would leave in a short time. The andience role all in the race for indr-night on a terrible railroad and suffered all sorts of bardships. They cheered of the points in the foul line. themselves up, however, in the thought that they would see the greatest hattle as daugerous colored forward ever fought between two of the hardest hitters in the game.

Peter Malter started the built rulling by fanding an avful wallop on Fitz-simmons's chin and knocking him flat. It was a bloce which would have settled five an ordinary righter for keeps, but Bob wasn't that kind. He staggered to his feet before the count of ten, recird against the ropes and, when Maher wear after him. Fits put all of his strongth behind a huyunker which landed on Peter's chin. Malor was knocked out in a very senational tight which lasted only one pionship this minute and thirty five seconds. Three was more action, however, than in many of our modern ten cound affairs.

Two other important heavy weight houts don not fast very long. The Demptwo games the sey-Fulton di-faster consisted of eighteen seconds of boxing and ten seconds of the counting by Johnny Eckhardt, who referred the boar Dempsey socked Fredward with a right-hander on the club and the populerous plasterer dropped like. a loose late of hay. That quick knockent placed Dompsey in line for the cham- Friday night Derimouth appears at pionship and climinated Fulton.

Tommy Burns once had a battle with Bill Squires for the championship of something. Squires was knocking all of his sparring partners stiff and was reagainst Penn and Cornell faces Columbia garded a a howing evelope. In the ring, however, he proved to be a gentle sephypand was kneeked out mahenforecrainite

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Nothing to Do but Fight 276 Rounds

OF COLUSE three are two soles to every solomit and it is the same nore. There have been very -bort scrape and also some long ones. According to the dope, the record for the greatest number of rounds was e-tablished in 1825 when Just Just heat Parts! Tunney in Cheshine, England. It took Jack 276 rounds to turn the trick, which proves to had nothing else on hand that day. Still, we supermainin if eas a good day - work Heydler and Johnson Hold Long

The longest light with globs - Jack and Patsy souled their argument with burn fists - new staged in New Origans April 6, 1890. On that day Andy Bowen and day. Burke had nothing else to do, so they fought 110 rounds to a draw The battle lasted seven lours and ponetron minutes, which is a long time to Bgbt muthens genting mouthine

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JOHNNY SHEPPARD the English Jightmogila who recently invaded these shores, is to bee to Pariadentian the second work in March, probable on the 15th Walls to definite optimiza-mas been solvered for the imported mittime, it is probable that do Wel-ling, of Chicago well get the call. Wel-ling arrayed East last work. He has taken temporary quarters in New York and exposts to recurn there for several months, taking on watches from al-points, taking on watches from al-points, taking on watches from al-points, the laways has made good and is precipized among the leading contenders for Berny Leconard's table. His last context in Phills was a discour over the Benjamin, and is a result of the boul Benjamin, and as a result of this boult the latter way addised by his bundler-

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Frankie Britt, a Cleveland featherweight, here looking for scraps and shekels.

Nelson made a clean steal to second

the third and went to third on Lar. Graw were sold by the Bultimore club kin's mull of Orr's line dy hit, and to the St. Louis Cardinals, but the wored on Reseman's sharp hit to next year McGraw, Robinson and Joe Baser. Brady hit for three bases in Kelley, backed by the latter's father-Dolin did well for Camden. German-Farrell, the Colombia captain, is one He stands fourth He stands fourth hean seared from fourth inning and secred on Lar-s mult of Hankinson's high fly, he Athletics secred only in the sev-I however, is not bason. Columbia e o has registered six-games. He netted

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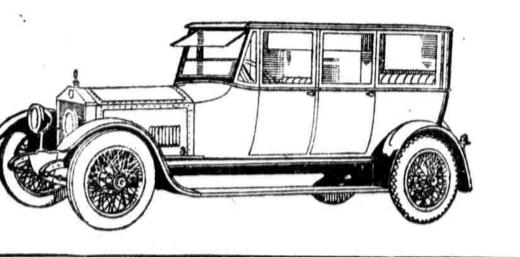




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We discussed several candidate at length, but were unable to reach a de-cision on any one man." Herdler and "However, I have we will be able to name the new chairman in about a work's time. Johnson and I will con-tinue to keep in touch with such other on the matter by mail or wire until a chairman can be decided upon." The names of the candidates discuss ei-were submitted by a joint committee of the leagues in Cheago. They included Harcey Woodruff, of Chicago, and State Senator James Walker, William C'Big Bill) Edwards and J. Conway Toole, of New York Johnson will return to Chi-cago tomorrow.

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