

HARDEST GAMES ON SATURDAY'S SCHEDULE FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

TEX RICKARD TO HAVE REAL CLUB

Famous Promoter Is Also Thinking He Will Buy Madison Square Garden

New York, Nov. 8. — A boxing club operated along the lines of the National Sporting Club of London is Tex Rickard's idea of what New York needs in order to put the sport on the plane it should be. The big promoter at present is negotiating for five years' lease on Madison Square Garden and expects to close the deal within a few days. As soon as the stockholders get together and vote on the matter Receiver McCall will issue the necessary documents.

Rickard hinted that he might even go a step further and buy the Garden outright. "I believe New York ought to have this fine big arena for public gatherings of all kinds," he said. "For a long time I have had the idea in my head to get a group of wealthy men together and buy the property. All but the main hall could be sold again in small lots. The arena itself would be a paying proposition if managed properly, but the rest of it is merely going to waste.

Just Like London Club
"I think that a club run along the lines of the National Sporting Club of London would be a big success. Boxing could be made immensely popular if it were handled by responsible persons. There always is a big demand for the right kind of matches, but the respectable element will not attend bouts at the smaller clubs because of the surroundings.

Over in London they have the right idea. The National Sporting Club controls the sport and the boxers and their managers are not allowed to dictate. The men back of that organization have the good of the sport at heart, and they pay the fighters just what they are worth. There is no attempt to misrepresent the ability of the boxers. There is no sidestepping dangerous opponents, but every champion is compelled to meet the most formidable contenders at stated intervals. There is no reason why New York cannot have the same kind of a club."

Dillon Training for Gibbons
St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 8.—Jack Dillon has arrived here in training for his fight with Mike Gibbons, which will be held on Friday night. When Dillon left Chicago, he weighed 166 pounds. He says he will have no trouble making 163 pounds at 3 o'clock the day of the bout. Some big bets have been laid that Dillon stops Gibbons.

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PENNSYLVANIA'S GRE AT FOOTBALL STAR



HOWARD BERRY, PENNSYLVANIA

Howard Berry, said by experts to be one of the greatest football players the country has known, is back in the line-up of the University of

Pennsylvania. Berry was crowded out through jealousy. He did not get the proper fraternities. But the coaches had to send for him this year, and his playing has been phenomenal.

Minor Leaguers Seeking Change in Agreement

New York, Nov. 8. — Bent on doing several things to the National agreement, primed with suggestions of many sorts, broken in pocketbook but not in spirit, the minor league baseball magnates of the country begin to-day to step into the limelight. They are on their way to New Orleans, where a week from to-day they will open their annual meeting.

The minor leagues have been in a bad way for a long time, and many a bush town mogul has been spending his night without sleep trying to figure out a plan whereby baseball can be made to pay in the smaller towns of the country. Nearly every one of them has planned some sort of a suggestion and the air at New Orleans is going to be full of them.

New York is entertaining its share of the minor magnates to-day, several coming here to take a steamship for the Louisiana city. Jimmie McHill, owner of the Indianapolis American Association club, and his manager, Jack Hendricks, who spent election day in New York, will become members of a party which will sail to-morrow.

Ed. G. Barrow, president of the International League, will make the trip down the coast and ex-Governor John K. Tener is expected to be aboard.

Redistricting plans are part of the rumors flying around regarding possible reorganization of the small circuits. These reorganizations as planned call for splits in present circuits that are almost unbelievable. Draconic measures will be suggested and there are some magnates who believe at least a part of them will be adopted.

The minors feel they haven't been getting good treatment and they want some changes in the National agreement. Also, Dave Fultz has a bone to pick with the magnates, and some new demands already are in possession of the National Board for submission at the New Orleans meeting.

Some of the minors want representation on the National Commission.

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HAS TWO WORLD'S CHAMPS
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Harry Frazee, who has just figured in the purchase of the Boston American League baseball club, is the financial man of the syndicate which manages the affairs of Jess Willard, Tom Jones and Jack Curley, acting as his agents on the road.

It was Frazee who put up the money for the Cuban trip which resulted in the overthrow of Jack Johnson, and it is Frazee who has erected the financial part of the champion's career ever since his victory.

MONTREAL TEAM IS NOW FOR SALE

Opinion Prevails That International Circuit Will Undergo Shakeup

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 8. — Sammy Lichtenhein, the owner of the Montreal baseball club, is not optimistic over the immediate future of the International league, which, he declares, is suffering from a temporary depression. Too many people are playing golf, visiting moving picture shows and taking afternoon rides in automobiles for the financial good of the Barrow credit. Only two clubs in the International league made money last season. Mr. Lichtenhein says something will have to be done. It had been true, too, that the circuit was not a compact one, and traveling expenses in consequences ran up into big figures.

May Drop Some Cities
It had been suggested that some cities be dropped and others admitted in order to make a more compact circuit, and he would not stand in the way of this scheme being accomplished.

Mr. Lichtenhein made it plain, however, that he was willing to sell his franchise solely to help the International league round out its circuit. As everybody knows baseball is a hobby of the Montreal club owner, and unless a deal of this kind is made he will certainly be found next season again in control of the Royals.

Spectacular Plays on Few College Gridirons

Here are some borrowed statistics concerning spectacular runs of the season thus far:
From kick-off, 95 yards—Beck, Penn State, vs. Bucknell.
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90 yards—Brooks, Brown vs. Trinity.
80 yards—Anderson, Colgate vs. Rhode Island State.
From scrimmage, 70 yards—Welch, Navy, vs. Pittsburgh (left tackle).
67 yards—Le Gore, Yale, vs. Lehigh (left end).
52 yards—Le Gore, Yale, vs. Carnegie Tech (left end).
From catching a punt, 89 yards—Sermon, Springfield, vs. Amherst.
From a fumble, 100 yards—Moss, Rensselaer Poly, vs. Hamilton.
80 yards—Smith, Clarkson Tech, vs. Rensselaer Poly.
67 yards—Brazell, Michigan, vs. Mount Union.
62 yards—Bergen, Bethany, vs. Washington and Jefferson.

West Virginia completed twelve forward passes against the Navy; Lehigh against Lebanon Valley completed four out of twenty-five.

BUCKNELL ON SHORT END
New York, Nov. 8.—New York University employing all its cunning and speed in the third period of its game with Bucknell College on Ohio Field, yesterday swept the battered and bruised Pennsylvanians into a 13 to 0 defeat. Bucknell presented a team that was shattered in a battle at Princeton last Saturday. Her ones were mauled unmercifully and two halfbacks were laid low by the Tigers.

Bucknell came out of Princeton with a broken arm and a crushed nose, with minor injuries to others. It was a beefy team that lined up against New York, but it lacked fighting spirit.

With all her weight in the line Bucknell had trouble stopping the dashing attacks of the home eleven.

TWO POPULAR BOOKS
According to the British press, two of the books which have proved most popular with the British "Tommy" in the trenches are "The Thirty-Nine Steps" and "The Power-House," both by John Buchan, and the latter published only last week by the George H. Doran Company. Both these novels are swiftly moving stories of peril and adventure—tales "to take a man's mind off his troubles."

HARDEST FIGHTS FOR MANY TEAMS

Central Meets Steelton Next Saturday; Wilkes-Barre Here

Scholastic and college games scheduled for Saturday are of vital importance. The results will, it is the general belief, forecast the season's championship winners.

Central plays Steelton on Cottage Hill field. This will be the final contest between these teams. The first game ended in a scoreless tie. It will be the last home game for Steelton.

Tech will entertain Wilkes-Barre at Island Park. The coal barons have been showing fast form, but thus far lost to teams in Tech's class.

Harrisburg Academy, this season's big local surprise, will play Yates School eleven, of Lancaster, in this city. Captain Phillips and Coach Schlichter are training hard for this game. Lancaster will send a large delegation.

With College Teams
The Princeton-Harvard combat at Cambridge is the first leg on the eastern championship. Yale will meet the undefeated Brown team, Pennsylvania will play Dartmouth, the team that actually outplayed Princeton; Cornell will meet Michigan, a western power, and Pittsburgh, that defeated Pennsylvania 20 to 0, will be further tested by the powerful Washington and Jefferson eleven.

The fact that Princeton will be represented by a veteran eleven in the Cambridge stadium commands the respect of Harvard men. The Tigers' strength is not underrated by those who saw last year's combat at Princeton. Princeton's victories over Tufts and Dartmouth by small scores have not created the impression at Cambridge that the Naassau eleven will prove easy. On the contrary, Harvard men believe that the Tigers have begun to find themselves and may be expected to play their best game on Saturday. The Tigers showed signs of a brace in the game with Bucknell, although the latter team did not provide strenuous practice.

Leopold, of Bavaria, Likely to Become King of Poland
Washington, Nov. 8.—The king of Poland, will be a Catholic, it is declared on high authority here. The preference, it is said, is for an Austrian archduke or a Bavarian prince.

Leopold, of Bavaria, it is believed, will be chosen, as he has two sons, and his wife, Princess Gisela, is the daughter of Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria-Hungary. In her veins, it is said, flows the blood of the ancient kings of Poland, with whom the house of Hapsburg formed a marriage alliance.

READYMADE DIMMER
While we are waiting for some uniform system of headlight regulation, there are many attempts to satisfy varied ordinances and at the same time insure plenty of light for safe general driving. Frosted glass, reflected rays of sorts, and a dozen other attempts have been made.

In central Illinois one very simple satisfactory safeguard has been found in using Bon Ami or some other similar wash for the upper half of the lenses. It takes the place of a dimmer, if you do not have one, and so far as records go, has never caused an arrest by an over-zealous small town official. A small rag will remove it in three minutes when once again in the open road where the only pests are four-legged.—November

DEATH OF EBEN E. REXFORD
Eben E. Rexford, author of "A-B-C of Gardening" and "A-B-C of Vegetable Gardening," died a few days ago in Wisconsin. For sixty-three years Mr. Rexford had written for publication, and was probably the oldest living American writer on horticulture.

WELLY'S CORNER

Now that the election is over football fans will have a chance to figure out who will be the season's winner. The game on next Saturday's schedule will show some decisive dope. The hardest game in this vicinity will be played at Steelton with Central.

Physical Director Horace Giesel of the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. who is recognized as one of the cleanest cut athletes in this vicinity will be a busy man this season. In addition to his classes he will look after the training of junior and senior athletes, is planning for some rare winter swimming sport, and to-night will help in arranging for the basketball and bowling season.

Reports from Jess Willard are that he is after a battle for Thanksgiving. He also makes the announcement that he will remain in the ring for another year. It looks as if the champion's bank account has been dwindling too fast for comfort. The big fellow wants to retire with enough to be on easy street.

The report from Montreal that there is likely to be a change in the International League circuit is not surprising. It was expected last year but owing to the cleaning up of the Federal outlaws, nothing could be accomplished.

Central High under the direction of Coaches Smith and Harris are having some busy sessions. When Steelton faces the local eleven on Saturday it will be a new line-up for Central. While similar to that of last Saturday, it is said there will be some other changes during the game. Marts showed he was better in his new position, and Gregory is looking more like a real star every day.

There is some talk on having the Central and Tech players numbered for the Thanksgiving day game. This it is believed will prove a popular move. If numbers are used they must be adhered to. When changes are made announcers should tell the patrons so they may follow the changed line-ups. When used right numbers are a big help in game from a spectators standpoint.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 8.—A Mexican refugee from Chihuahua City, who arrived here last night, brought confirmation of reports that Villa bandits had soaked the hair of two Mexican women in oil and had burned them at Santa Rosalia on October 20. The refugee claimed to have talked with an eye-witness of the tragedy. He also reported General Uribe, Villa commander, had declared at Santa Rosalia that he intended to kill all Americans and Chinese caught by his forces.

General Francisco Murguia, commanding the reorganized Carranza division south of Jimenez, is proceeding northward against the Villa bandits in the Santa Rosalia and Jimenez districts, according to a message received from General Jacinto B. Trevino, by Mexican Consul Eduardo Soriano Bravo. General Trevino also denied the report that Villa troops had taken Torreon.

INDIANS IN FAST SCRIMMAGE
Carlisle, Pa., Nov. 8.—The Carlisle Indian football first eleven were pitted against the reserves this afternoon in a fast 45-minute scrimmage. The preliminary fundamental exercises were thoroughly covered and all of the Redskins were given a chance at punting and receiving the ball. A number of changes may be made in line positions before the end of the week. There is little necessity of introducing the "ghost ball" at Carlisle, as the players get only about three-quarters of an hour's work.

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