

GREAT WRESTLING TO-NIGHT AT CHESTNUT ST.; JACK BRITTON WINS TITLE FROM LEWIS

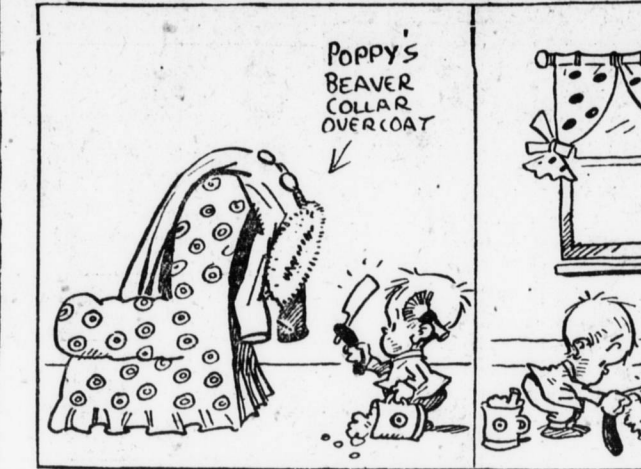
Jack Britton Knocks Out Ted Lewis; Is Now Welter-weight Champion

By Associated Press.
Canton, Ohio, March 18.—Jack Britton, of New York, last night knocked out Ted Lewis, welter-weight champion of the world, in a twelve-round bout here. The end came after two minutes and ten seconds from a long swing to the jaw. The veterans fought at catch weight.

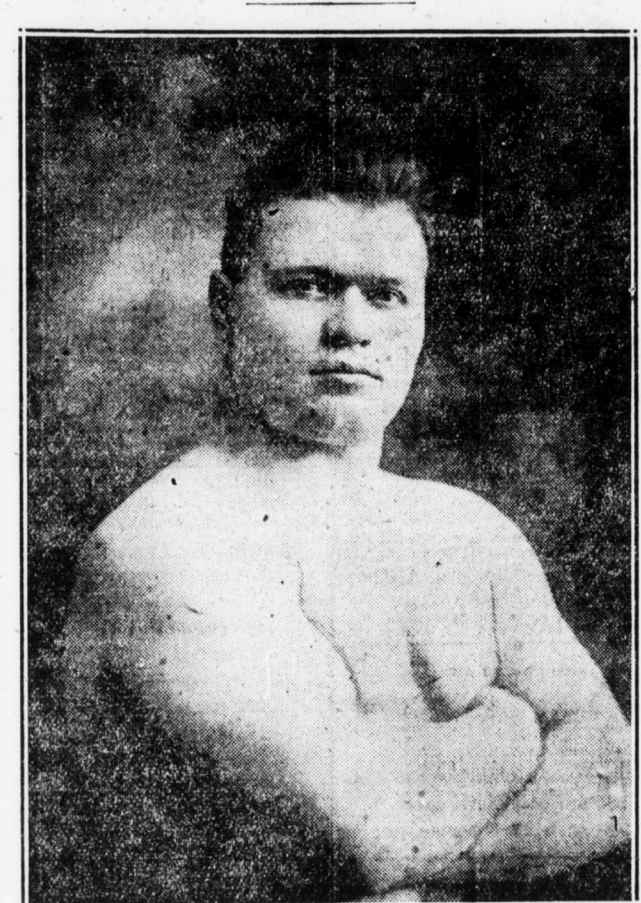
Lewis did not land five clean blows. The bell saved him in the sixth round, when he was knocked down three times. Referee Matt Hinkel had to break them on several occasions, but Lewis did not show any indications of weakening. Britton drove a right to Lewis' nose and the Englishman staggered back. He went down for a count of four from a stiff left to the jaw. Lewis staggered to his feet and onto the ropes, where Britton's left to the jaw again put him down for a count of six. Lewis got to his feet slowly and before he could cover, Britton had sent in another left swing that forced him to his hands and knees. He took a count of eight and was in a clinch at the bell. From there Britton until the final blow Lewis tried hard to avoid the inevitable. Though he did not do much damage, Britton was master in the eighth and it appeared as if Lewis was stronger.

KEYSTONE GIANTS ORGANIZED
The Keystone Giants of Dauphin County have organized for the coming season, James W. Pearson having been selected manager. So far, Manager Pearson has secured the signatures of "Buddy" Carpenter, the former Harrisburg Giants star; Reeves, a star from New York; Mattson, from the Three Hundred and Sixty-eighth Infantry, A. E. F.; Jack Pearson, the manager's son, will likely be seen on the team. Young Pearson has been seasoned out with the Hampton College team and also led the Three Hundred and Sixty-eighth Infantry, A. E. F. Christian, the spry second sacker, formerly of the Harrisburg Giants, will likely be named captain. Manager Pearson would consider the application of a few more first-class players. Any club desiring a first-class attraction should write to James W. Pearson, Manager, Keystone Giants, 477 Main street, Steelton, Pa.

SNOODLES



ZBYSZKO AND MADRAS AT CHESTNUT STREET TONIGHT



IRAN MADRAS

When Wladek Zbyszko, former world champion and present holder of the Polish heavyweight title, meets Iran Madras, Greek champion, at the Chestnut street auditorium to-night in the first great heavyweight wrestling match ever held in this city, it will not be a tame affair as both men must go to a finish, best two out of three falls, and the dope all leads to the belief that it will be one of the most sensational and aggressive matches of the year as so much hangs on the result.

Madras, who holds the world's championship at Greco-Roman wrestling has by his record at catch-as-catch-can style proven his right to a match with one of the topnotchers of the game, and now that he is already in the city and ready to meet the great Zbyszko here he will turn the trick. A win by Madras would be the biggest thing that he could pull in his long career and establish him as a master in the world's championship of the sport.

Zbyszko, on the other hand, following his victory over Joe Stecher and just previous to his struggle with Ed. (Strangler) Lewis, in New York this Friday night, must win a clean decision over Madras here to-night to lay claim again to the world's championship of the sport in New York. As the great Pole is out to repeat, this match with Madras is one of his hardest nuts to crack and he will have to go his limit to do it.

Zbyszko is placing every dependence on his terrible toe hold, the ace of his repertoire in locks, and with it he expects to smash the aspirations of his rival to replace him as the world's champion. But in the fight to clamp this decisive grip on Madras, Zbyszko will have his work cut out for him in avoiding the pinning hammerlock of the Greek, who is the world's champion, a hold he mastered and featured when he was downing all of them in his old sport of Greco-Roman wrestling.

The match to-night is likely to be one of the most thrilling and sensational battles of the wrestling game, for in addition to the fact that two of the biggest wrestlers of the world will clash here, they are evenly matched in those telling forces of all athletic contests—age, weight and height. If youth is to be served the battle will go to the finish in this case, and both men not only claim but are in as fine physical condition as is possible for them to arrive at.

When they clash the outcome is guessed upon so many factors that no one can do the result. Either man is able to pin the other for a fall, if the opportunity comes along, so the struggle is likely to be the most rapid and aggressive of work. A wrestler to avoid having a pinning hold clamped on him must work fast, hence speed will mark this big bout.

The doors of the Chestnut street auditorium will open at 7.30 to-night and the preliminaries start at 8.30 promptly. A ring has been placed in the center of the building, on which the mat will be stretched. This affords every spectator a splendid view of the battle. Tickets will remain on sale to-day at Harry's cigar store and the Schick and Tittle sporting goods store. Advance sale

Motive Power and Steelton Announce Boxing Bout

Sammy Schiff and Otto O'Keefe will fight in the wind-up at the Motive Power Show, March 22, the signatures of the Harrisburg premier and the Allentown celebrity being secured last evening Schiff will meet O'Keefe, and he will be a different Sammy this trip. There is a lively semi wind-up, too, including Max Williamson, champion bantamweight of the state with Young Fulton, of Stalington. A third big attraction will be State leaseman hooked up with Johnny Clark, of Allentown.

There seems to be a mistaken impression among the fans that these bouts are not open to the public, and the management wishes to hereby announce that it is to the public in general to whom they are catering. They have the best equipped club in Central Pennsylvania, one of the finest padded rings splendidly lighted by a cluster of powerful flood lights, and showers and dressing rooms for the boxers. Ladies here have the opportunity to witness boxing by high artists under the most favorable circumstances.

Joe Barrett's next show at the Standard Theater in Steelton is fixed for April 2, in order that it will not conflict with other shows, those of the Motive Power and Frankie Erne's events. For a starter, Barrett's bouts the other evening proved that Steelton will support good sparring and the only question now is where can they be staged. An arena is badly needed and the belief that the Steel Company will take a hand in this just as it did in establishing big league baseball.

DIVE AHEAD ON REDS

Stockholms March 18.—Fighting has been resumed against the Bolsheviks along the Lithuanian front, according to an official statement issued at Lithuanian headquarters at Kovno.

"BABE" RUTH MUTINEER

Boston, March 18.—"Babe" Ruth, the star pitcher, was not a member of the delegation of baseball players who left here late last night with Secretary L. A. Graver, of the Boston American League Club, on their way to the Red Sox spring training camp at Tampa, Fla.

As the main party of the club does not leave for Tampa until noon tomorrow by boat from New York, Secretary Graver said that Ruth might travel to New York alone and come to terms with club officials there to-day. Ruth, who was in Boston last night, insisted he would not knock any home runs for the champions this season unless his salary demands were met.

If "Babe" Ruth has a swelled head over his importance the Boston management will have only itself to blame. Frazier, not long since, came out with a statement that "Babe" is a greater attraction than Cobb. "In the long run Ruth may not be as valuable a box office attraction as Cobb," said he, "because he is not in the game every day, but for any particular day on which he is playing he is a stronger card than Cobb." Detroit star. You can count on seeing Cobb in action every time the Tigers play, but Ruth, unless he happens to be playing the outfield temporarily, appears only occasionally. We cannot guarantee his appearance at any time. Cobb's batting and base running feature nearly every game in which he participates. His fielding is clever and graceful, but he does not shine there as in offensive play. Ruth gives a great show whenever he pitches, for he is not only spectacular and clever in his mound specialty, but the fans love to see him swing that big bat. Cobb is a scientific hitter. He out-guesses pitchers, pulls to different fields and is a clever hunter. He uses his speed to beat out infield hits. Ruth, on the other hand, is a throw-back to the old-time slugger. He swings a long, heavy bat which he handles as if it were a toothpick, and it is a delight even to see him miss one—not for me, of course, but for the average spectator. Ruth's terrific big swing is a joy forever—to the home fans if he connects with the ball and to the fans of other cities if he misses. There is nothing like it in the major leagues. Babe has no imitators. He does not believe there is a pitcher who can't beat him right along. He may strike out injudiciously, but he is apt to belt that same pitcher for a home run in the same game. Confound never deserts him. The most popular player is the one who can make home runs. He may not amount to much otherwise, but as long as he can't hit 'em he is idolized by the fans. The public appreciates Cobb's skill and science, but Ruth will get more applause by making one home run than Cobb would receive for hitting four singles. The dear old public loves the crash of a home run hit, and Ruth's prodigious drives amaze even the old-timers. I don't believe any of the game's great hitters ever drove a ball as far as Babe can drive it. If we would advertise Ruth to play every day he would be more of a sensation than Cobb. Last summer when we were using him regularly in the outfield and he was knocking out those home runs nearly every day the fans flocked to see him. Some day Ruth will retire as a pitcher, but he should be good for many more years as an outfielder, for he has the wallop.

JERSEY TROLLEY STRIKE IS OFF

Both Sides Claim Victory; Full Service Has Been Resumed

By Associated Press.
Newark, N. J., March 18.—The strike of 4,500 employes of the Public Service Railway Company, which had tied up trolley service in northern New Jersey since last Wednesday, was formally called off last night, with both sides claiming victory. Full service on all lines was resumed today.

The terms of settlement, which were approved by a virtually unanimous vote of the strikers, provided that the company treat with any authorized committee of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America, at the same time reserving the right to treat with any other employees' organization; that the company's co-operative league and collective bargaining plan be withdrawn, and that all other points in dispute be submitted to the National War Labor Board. The terms were suggested by the board.

AROUND THE BASES

Philadelphia, March 18.—Two hundred and sixty colleges and schools have already entered teams for the University of Pennsylvania's relay carnival to be held on Franklin Field, April 25 and 26. Among the seventy-five colleges entered are many from the west and south, according to an announcement by the athletic authorities for the university.

Iowa State College, the winner of the four-mile national relay championship last year, will send a team to defend its title. Other entrants in this event will include Chicago, Lafayette, Columbia and Cornell.

Chambersburg, Pa., March 18.—A baseball club has been organized by the Chambersburg Engineering Company to play independent baseball this season. The president of the club is John Hartzell, the coach "Pat" Rollins, a former minor league player, and the captain, Chester Bowers, who is Engineering Company.

The new diamond is being constructed on a vacant lot adjoining the company's plant.

JOHNSON "SOLD OUT"
The very final word concerning Jack Johnson's dirty trick in the Willard fight, comes from an account left by Geo. Munroe, deceased, now just comes to light. Munroe, former bantamweight fighter, met Johnson in the second round of the Havana contest. Munroe declared the fight was a "fake" and that Johnson "sold out." As proof of his claims at that time, Munroe showed photographs taken after the knock-out, in which Johnson could be seen shading his eyes from the tropical sun, although he was supposed to be unconscious.

Boston, March 18.—Dave Shean, second baseman for the world champion Boston Americans, to-day signed a contract after having been made with the management on salary questions. His signature was obtained on the eve of the team's departure for Tampa, Fla.

UMPIRE FOR 26 YEARS
President Ban Johnson, of the American League, yesterday completed his staff of umpires for the coming season. Ollie Chill, for the last two years an umpire in the American Association, was signed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of "Silk" O'Loughlin. Chill was in the American League in 1916.

The other members of the staff are: T. H. Connelly, W. G. Evans, William Dineen, George Hildebrand, C. B. Owens, R. E. Nallin and George Moriarty. All were in the league last season.

The coming season will be Connelly's twenty-sixth year as a professional umpire and his nineteenth year with the American League.

WILTSHE COACHES LAFAYETTE
"Hooks" Wiltse, the former south-paw of the Giants, has affixed his signature to a contract to coach the baseball players of Lafayette College. Wiltse was recommended to the authorities at Lafayette by Harry N. Hempstead, until recently owner of the Giants.

Wiltse will take immediate charge of the Lafayette squad. The south-paw is manager of the Buffalo club of the International League, and, therefore, will be only able to return to the field in 1920.

Five Advances In Coal Commencing May 1

Operators and miners are suffering great inconvenience as the result of the indifference of the public. The hope of a drop in prices has prompted many consumers to wait, despite the fact that their better judgment tells them to buy now.

Anthracite prices are fixed for the coming season, and the announcement of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Co., carries with it the information that commencing May 1, the first of a series of five monthly advances of 10c each will be made, so that on September 1 the price will have increased to the extent of 50c a ton.

The advantage of buying your fuel now for next Winter should be apparent to everybody.

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Dauphin-Perry League Starts to Organize For Present Season

A call for the annual meeting of the Dauphin-Perry baseball league was issued by the secretary, C. B. Smith, of Marysville. The meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Shenk and Tittle sporting goods store, 205 Market street, Harrisburg. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year and business pertaining to the 1919 season, transacted. Secretary Smith has issued an urgent request that each of the six towns holding franchises in the league, have representatives present to make plans for the reorganization.

The league was inactive last year because of war conditions, after having been in operation for three successive seasons during which time a high-grade of ball was displayed.

Newport, Millersville, Duncannon and Marysville are considered as certain quantities in the reorganized league and there are possibilities that Dauphin and Halifax, too, will fall in line.

In case, however, these two towns do not wish to maintain an organization in the league this year, there will be no difficulty in presenting a six-town circuit if the leaders wish such a circuit. Millifin and Lewistown, two towns along the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad, are said to be anxious to secure berths, and New Cumberland and Hershey have been quoted as being desirous of franchises.

Kiwianians to Dine Soldiers on Thursday

The aid of the War Camp Community Service has been enlisted by the Kiwanis Club, of Harrisburg, in securing a hundred soldiers as their guests at an overseas luncheon to be given at the Penn-Harris Thursday noon. Men who have seen overseas service have been asked to call the Community Service, Bell phone 4768, or call at its office, second floor, 397 Market street.

Members of the Kiwanis Club and soldier, sailor and marine friends, were the guests of Manager Peter Magaro at the Regent theater last night when they saw the Paramount-Artercraft presentation of William A. Brady's production, "Little Women."

Col. Hubbard Tells of Wire Work in France

Underground conduits had been so arranged by Americans attached to the Signal Corps that even though the Germans had taken Paris in their great drives last summer, they would have been in communication with the United States by cable, Lieutenant Colonel James W. Hubbard declared in an address at the Engineers' Club, front and Chestnut streets, last night. He had been overseas for some time serving with various signal corps detachments.

Lieutenant Colonel Hubbard explained how the men laid the underground lines and then carefully concealed them, and to add to the deception strung additional cables overhead to telegraph and telephone poles. Colonel Hubbard is at present with the Bell Telephone Company at Philadelphia as engineer of equipment and buildings. He was the organizer of the first telegraph battalion in this county, many local men enlisting in this unit.

CHILD FATALLY BURNED
Marietta, Pa., March 18.—Dorothy Lutman, aged 5 years, of Lititz, was fatally burned by falling against a stove while playing. The child's father, Corporal Ernest Lutman, was killed in France last September. When the accident occurred the mother was preparing to move to another home.

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wager-your-wad on P. A. and a pipe! Quality makes Prince Albert so different, so appealing all along the line.

Men who never before could smoke a pipe and men who've smoked pipes for years all testify to the delight it hands out! P. A. hits the universal taste. That's why it's the national joy smoke! And, it can't bite or parch. Both are cut out by our exclusive patented process!

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