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## Former World's Champion Picks Brown Bomber as Winner in Title Bout

## International League Tunney Believes JoeWonLouis Will Capture theNewark45Montreal31Buffalo31Syracuse30 **Crown From Braddock** chester ..... ersey City .....

Youth and Punching Power in Colored Lad's Favor

CHICAGO, June 20-Gene Tunney look on from the fringe of pugilism's latest big show, where today's torrid weather helped produce Sunday 'calm before the storm' that contrasted sharply with those memorable hectic fight days of 1927, and ern sections of the U.S. have nothsuggested Joe Louis'should win eas- ing on the storm that is rising from Tuesday night.

whip Jack Dempsey in the famous Jimmy is a cinch to win because he Philadelphia ..... 21 whip Jack Dempsey in the famous  $a_{\rm max}$  is the famous  $a_{\rm max}$  in the famous  $a_{\rm max}$  is the famous  $a_{\rm max}$ in the boxfighting business he once don't know who the best man is; dominated.

easily, because he has youth and "think that he will. punching power in his favor," said the man who retired undefeated as heavyweight champion of the world.

"Braddock s dead game,' continued Gene, "but he has been out of the ring two years and at his best he was never a great fighter. The cham pion will  $mak_{\Theta}$  good use of every resource he has, because, he's smart and experienced, but I doubt if he can stand off Louis for 15 rounds'

Tunney's views coincide with the opinions of most newspaper experts, who give Louis a 2 to 1 on the erstwhile Brown Bomber, with few tak-

Gene's old rival, Dempsey, already is on record as picking Braddock, on the general theory that the champion's experience and admittedly fine condition, despite his long lay-off will carry him over the tough

Although the title match is only 48 hours off, the ticket sale and ballyh ood tonight were as sluggish as the weather Co-promoter Mike Jacobs stuck to his estimates that the 'gate' will be at least \$750,000, thereby assuring substantial 'cuts' for all concerned, including the federal and state tax collectors.

There's small chance of a capacity crowd, however, in fact, seating capacity has been reduced to 75,000 from 80,000, to avoid waste in construction at the ball park.

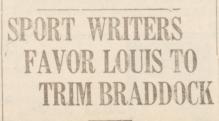
Louis drew the critical galleries today for his final workout, while Braddock confined himself to three miles of roadwork. Experts, unimpressed, by the drills of either challenger or champion, generally have

been persuaded to 'hedge' their pre-The majority figures Louis

Boston ..... 26 -BY-Cleveland ..... 27 Washington ..... 23 30 "Timmy" Green Philadelphia ..... 18 32 St. Louis ..... 18 32 The dust storms of the Mid-west-night. Everybody knows who is go- St. Louis ...... 32 

however we can hope that Jimmy "I think Louis should win, rather takes him, and have every cause to

The radios will be the most popular spots in town tomorrow night The family will gather around the loud-speakers, with rights and left moving in unconscious reflexes, "What is a left |daddy?" "Oh, Braddock countered. Does that mean that they have a counter in the ring for something?" "Whats' it for, for something?" "What's it for, "Whee, Louis landed an uppercut. Does that mean that he pulled some of Braddock's hair out?" - These monologues are the reasons that Dad has to go down to the corner lunchwagon and ask who won the fight.



CHICAGO, June 20-Newspaper fight writers, polled Saturday by the Associated Press, showed approximately a 2 to 1 margin in favor of Joe Louis over champion Braddock. A plurality named the Negro to win by a knockout in their fight on Tuesday night. Here are their sel-

ctions Bill Henry, Los Angeles Times-Louis by knockout.

Arch Ward, Chicago Tribune-Louis by knockout.

Ed Van Avery, New York Sun-Braddock is in good shape but Lou

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33 19 .635	NEW YORE, June 20-The Yan- Caster and Thomas yielded 10	r

.600 kees entertyined the largest crowd .537 of the season, 68,939 today and de-.531 feated Chicago White Sox in both .529 ends of a doubleheader 8-4 and 7-4. Murderers' row collected four .434 .360 homers to come from behind and opener on seven-hit pitching by cash in on 'Left' Gomez' six hit pitch .360 ing in the opener, with George Selkirk, the belting Canadian, getting

two of the circuit clouts and Joe Di Won Lost P.C. Maggio and Lou Gehrig one each. .623 Monte Pearson went seven innings .604 | in the nightcap to get credit for the .600 victory. Bill Dickey was the homer .547 hitter in this contest. Wes Ferrell hung up his third .460

.385 Louis 5-3 in Washington. While Bridges held the Macks to

eight scattered hits off Auker while Caster and Thomas yielded 10.

Cleveland Indians overcame a five run deficit to beat the Red Sox 8-7 in the second game of a twin bill after Boston captured the opener 5-2. The Sox coasted the triumph in the 'Lefty' Grove and home runs by Jimmy Foxx his 13th of the season

Five runs which his teammates piled up in the first two innings of the second game were not enough for big Buck Newsom, right hander

ington, and Cleveland rallied to win. .460 Wes Ferrell hung up ins third .389 straight pitching victory since he .385 joined Washington by defeating St. the pace-setting New York Yankees the pace-setting New York Yankees With an 8-6 victory over the Athlost 5-2 to the White Sox, Detroit

crept within a game and a half of winning the second game 4-1 for the league leadership. Phillies Win

quer Cubs tional League lead over New York Giants to one game today when they The Cubs gained a 2-1 victory over

for 11 hits and scored the winning ed a 7-5 victory from Boston Bees at run in the eighth after two were out St. Louis with a ninth inning rally when Herman ran back into centre after two were out. At Pittsburgh, field and dropped Walter's fly, per- fat Freddy Fitzsimmons, cast off by mitting Whitney , who had doubled, the Giants, turned in his second

to race over the plate. The Giants combined timely hit-staright victory as Brooklyn ers won 4-3 from the Pirates. ting with 'breaks' of the game and behind the nine-hit hurling of Cliff

ed the Reds 4-3 in Cincinnati. Mancuso.

10th victory of the year and War-neke gave only four hits in coasting NEW YORK, June 20-Philadel-to a 6-2 victory in the first. Lon bhia Phillies whittled the Cubs' Na-now has eight wins against two de-

defeated the Chicago club 6-5 in the Philadelphia Saturday while the final of the series before more than Giants were beaten 4-2 by the Reds

23,000 Chicago spectators. Giants at Cincinnati. won from Cincinnati 4-3. The victors pounded Clay Bryant five runs, St. Louis Cardinals snatch

staright victory as Brooklyn Dodg-

LONDON, June 19-General Hert Melton and Hal Schumacher, defeat- zog in an interview today with the colonial secretary expressed himself In the sixth Kampouris' failure to as being disappointed in regard to cover second paved the way for the the outcome of the London Confer-Giants' winning runs. by Ott and ence, especially in some of the phases which concerned Canada. He is leaving today for South Africa. He thank-Dizzy Dean and Lou Warneke held ed the people of Great Britain for Boston Bees to nine hits in two their hospitality and the friendliness games and by winning both the Car- they had shown to himself personally dinals took over second place, four points ahead of the Giants. Africa during his visit in London dur-

-and Joe Cronin. Boston obtained recently from Wash



though not now the fighter he was up to a year ago, 'should win.' Yet is my choice. than a fighting chance, especially if and Tribune-Louis, in five rounds. the champion's superior boxing ability carries him successfully through the first half of the fight.

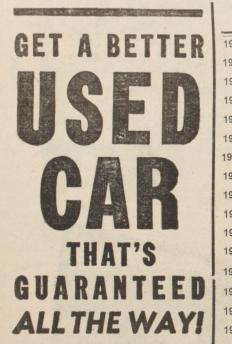
WASHINGTON, June 19-Representative Hoffman (R., Mich.), asked the Louis, by knockout. United States House of Representatives today: "Who is the boss, Roose- Chronicle-Louis, 7 or 8 rounds. velt down at the White House, or John L. Lewis?

started paying a political debt to Bulletin-Louis, to win. Lewis, head of the Committee for Industrial Organization, at a strike at Braddock, by a knockout

Sec Taylor, Des Moines Register Nat Fleischer, editor The Ring-Louis in seevn rounds. Charles Dunkley, Associated Press -Braddock, on points. News-Louis, in six rounds. Howard Roberts, Chicago Daily W. W. Edgar, Detroit Free Press-

Harry B. Smith, San Francisco Al Buck, New York Post-Louis, by knockout.

He said President Roosevelt had | Pat Frayne, San Francisco Call-Paul Mickelson Associated Press-



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