

## Charles Wins at End Of 7 Over Lesnevich

New York, Aug. 10.—(AP)—Ezzards Charles hungry for the acclaim of New York's fight fans, gave a savage exhibition Wednesday as he cut Gus Lesnevich to shreds at Yankee Stadium and forced the 34-year-old gaffer to surrender at the end of seven rounds.

The impressive victory by the sharpshooting Cincinnati Negro partly bolstered his claim to the world heavyweight championship, which he already held in the 47 states controlled by the National Boxing Association.

The one-sided battle, fought before some 15,000 sweltering on-lookers, ended when Lesnevich's manager, Joe Vella, called referee Ruby Goldstein over to Gus's corner at the end of the seventh and told him the former lightweight-weight champion had enough.

Under New York rules, the fight was scored as ending in the seventh round.

Both Gus's eyes were puffed until he was peering through mere slits, and he was bleeding profusely from a deep cut under his left eye. He had taken a terrible beating in the seventh and had staggered to his stool like a very tired old man.

All But One Charles, who won the NBA title by beating Jersey Joe Walcott at Chicago just seven weeks ago Wednesday night, carried every round except one by wide margins. Gus, making what proved a last, despairing stand, shook the mustached negro with a couple of solid rights in the sixth, which was scored even on the Associated Press card.

But that was the only really threatening gesture by the popular veteran from Cliffside Park, N. J. Ezzard's gizzard employed his superior height and reach to step around Gus and cut him down at his leisure. Lesnevich's arms were just too short to clip his elusive rival.

Flushed with confidence when it was over, Charles declared that he would face any contender chosen by Chairman Eddie Egan of the New York commission within six weeks or two months. He added what already had been obvious to the ringers—that Lesnevich never seriously shook him up.

Egan said Tuesday that if the winner Wednesday night were matched with the victor in the on-again, off-again engagement between Lee Savold and Bruce Woodcock in London the New York commission would recognize it as for the world title. New York is the only state which has not recognized Charles as champion.

Downcast Lesnevich, downcast at his crushing defeat by a man he had honestly believed he could lick, conceded that Charles was a sharp puncher and a difficult man to hit, but implied that he didn't think Ezzard was too finely conditioned.

Where he got that idea was something of a mystery to observers. Ezzard was much more aggressive than in his dreary win over Walcott. He showed a marked disposition to mix it from the start and displayed little fear of Gus's vaunted right, which had stretched several fair heavyweights in recent years.

When Gus sailed in throwing rights and lefts, Ezzard usually either brushed them off or let them slip harmlessly past his jaw and then slammed vicious clouts to Lesnevich's face. Now and then he poured a full right swing into Gus's side, blows which obviously hurt.

As early as the interval between the second and third rounds, Gus's seconds were applying an ice pack to his puffed left eye. In the sixth the veteran sustained a gash on his left cheek from which the gore poured, and in the sixth his left eye got the works.

Manager Vella told the veteran between the sixth and seventh that if he failed to land a good punch in the next stanza he was going to stop it, and he proved to be a man of his word. He has managed Gus throughout his career, and there is a close bond between them.

## The Standings

American League	W	L	Pct.
New York	66	39	.629
Cleveland	62	44	.585
Boston	61	45	.575
Philadelphia	59	48	.551
Detroit	58	50	.537
Chicago	45	62	.421
Washington	38	65	.369
St. Louis	35	71	.330
National League			
Brooklyn	67	39	.632
St. Louis	66	39	.629
New York	54	51	.514
Boston	54	53	.505
Philadelphia	53	55	.491
Pittsburgh	45	57	.475
Cincinnati	43	61	.412
Chicago	41	68	.376
Big State League			
Austin	74	46	.617
Texas	72	46	.610
Wichita Falls	71	48	.607
Waco	58	61	.487
Sherman-Denison	57	64	.471
Greenville	54	66	.450
Gainesville	48	72	.400
Texas League			
Fort Worth	70	46	.620
Tulsa	70	52	.574
Shreveport	63	57	.523
Dallas	64	58	.525
Oklahoma City	63	58	.521
San Antonio	55	66	.455
Beaumont	47	73	.395
Houston	45	73	.381
East Texas League			
Longview	67	43	.609
Gladeview	67	45	.598
Kilgore	61	49	.555
Paris	59	50	.541
Marshall	55	53	.509
Tyler	50	63	.442
Henderson	44	67	.396
Bryan	40	73	.354

## The SCOREBOARD

**THURSDAY'S RESULTS**

**American League**  
New York 6, Boston 7.  
Chicago 5, Cleveland 6.  
Only games scheduled.

**National League**  
Pittsburgh 3, Chicago 7.  
Brooklyn 10, Philadelphia 7.  
Boston 7, New York 7 called rain.  
Only games scheduled.

**Texas League**  
Oklahoma City 0, Houston 3.  
Dallas 5, Beaumont 3.  
Tulsa 3, San Antonio 5.  
Fort Worth 5, Shreveport 2.

**East Texas League**  
Kilgore 9, Bryan 1.  
Henderson 6, Tyler 5.  
Gladeview 2, Marshall 0.  
Paris 9, Longview 14.

**WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY**

**American League**  
Chicago at Cleveland, night.  
St. Louis at Detroit, night.  
Washington at Boston, night.  
New York at Philadelphia, night.

**National League**  
Cincinnati at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at New York.  
Boston at Brooklyn, night.  
Pittsburgh at St. Louis, night.

**Big State League**  
Waco at Gainesville.  
Temple at Texarkana.  
Austin at Sherman-Denison.  
Greenville at Wichita Falls.

**Texas League**  
Tulsa at Beaumont.  
Dallas at San Antonio.  
Fort Worth at Houston.  
Oklahoma City at Shreveport.

**East Texas League**  
Henderson at Bryan.  
Tyler at Kilgore.  
Longview at Paris.  
Gladeview at Marshall.

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**B-Odd Keeps Lead Intact Thursday**

B-Odd kept its hold on the College View Softball League lead intact Thursday with a 7-3 win over A-Odd.

Marion Flanagan got the nod as the winning pitcher, marking up his fifth win in six tries.

Flanagan allowed five scattered hits. Two of these hits were off the bat. Two of the leading hitters of the game, Nunley. On his second hit, he knocked in two men safely. In three trips to the plate, Nunley hit safely twice to lead the batters.

B-Odd had its big inning in the fifth when Snider, Munson, and Drake hit safely in succession to send in four runs and put the game on ice.

Low was the losing pitcher, giving up six hits for seven runs.

**Score by innings:**  
B-Odd 003 040 0-6 7 2  
A-Odd 000 201 0-5 3 2



Pictured above are the members of the A-Even Softball Team which is participating in the College View Intramural softball league. Left to right, first row: Henry Maddux, fielder, Jim Teddlie, fielder; John Richards, shortstop; Bill Lawshat, manager, and Wayne Dowling, catcher. Second row: John D. Pianta, fielder, Robert Peery, infield, Graham Martin, fielder, Kenneth Hightower, fielder, A. O'Neil, first, and Jack Hodges, pitcher.

### Fall Grid Notes . . .

## Razorbacks To Employ The 'T' Formation In '49 Season

By BILL HAILE

This year the University of Arkansas will employ a new offensive formation. At least the information will be new to the Razorbacks.

Coach John Barnhill is changing the Razorbacks from the Tennessee single wing to the offense-minded "T" formation.

Just how well Barnhill's changes will shift will determine how far the Razorbacks will go in climbing back up the Southwest Conference ladder to fame.

The Porkers have lost a large number of good men due to graduation. The largest losses of which are a host of Grade A linemen and All-American tailback Clyde (Smackover) Scott.

An injury to the 1948 captain, guard Theron Roberts, kept him out of play last year and this makes him available for one more season with the Hogs.

Arkansas should have one of the strongest lines it has had in many years. Along with Roberts there will be tackle John Lanney and Billy Hicks to give the line plenty of power. These three men have been rated as top linemen in the conference.

The forward wall of the Razorbacks is as heavy and fast as an Arkansas line has ever been. A lot of this power is due to a quintet of sophomores who went through an undefeated freshman season last year and average about 215 pounds.

Together with the veterans these new varsity players will be plenty good after a little of the "brand new" shine is taken off.

The backfield has lots of speed and enough football experience to make the crew get up and go. However, it may take a few games to get used to their new toy—the "T".

The Porkers have 30 lettermen returning to the squad, 22 of which are one year lettermen. They have four men with two letters and four men with three letters returning to the team. The entire turn out for the varsity team should number about 78 men.

Lets see what these men, position by position, have to offer in the way of speed, weight and experience.

On the ends are two lettermen—Billy Hix and Jarrette Smith. Hix is one of the most aggressive ends in the loop and weighs in at 200 even. Besides Smith, there are sophomore Frank Fitchell, a freshman sensation of last year, Sam Butz, Elmer Smith and Marvin Stendel, all tipping the scales at 200 or more.

Giving these ends a run for their positions, the Hogs will have eight other hustling candidates for the spot.

The tackle slot should be one of the strongest spots in the Razorback's forward wall. This position should be especially strong with John Lanney and Bill Stancell ready for the starting berth. Lanney and Stancell weigh 224 and 215 pounds respectively.

Adding more beef to this position will be two particularly big and powerful sophomores. They are Fred Williams, 212 pounds, and Tom Stringer, 230, both all-stars in High School.

When it comes to halfbacks, Coach Barnhill will have a good crop of sprinters to choose his starters from. There will be 17 men trying out for these positions.

The top contenders for the right halfback position are Alvin Duke, a senior letterman and captain of this year's team, Ross Pritchard, and Clyde Scott's little brother, Tracy Scott.

Fighting for the left halfback spot will be returning lettermen Ray Parks, Buddy Rogers and Billy Bass. Parks was Scott's understudy at tailback last year and played some good ball.

Duke and Pritchard are both three year lettermen and there is a good chance that they will take care of the halfback duties, both left and right, provided that Pritchard is not called in to handle the quarterback duties.

Leon Campbell, "Muscles" will lead the way for the Razorback fullbacks again this year. This is Campbell's fourth year of varsity football with the Porkers and it should be his best. Some sports writers have called Campbell one of the best fullbacks in this sector.

Campbell is as good a fullback as the Southwest Conference has seen in several years. At his peak weight, 198 pounds, he could easily be the pick of the crop of good fullbacks in the conference this year.

Other fullbacks who have shown up well are Louis Schaufele and Geno Mazzanti. Schaufele is the team's best kicker and will probably do all the punting for the Hogs.

Following these three lettermen, there are two more men who have lettered in this position and three squadmen.

Arkansas will have a good squad this year with plenty of depth in each position except at the center slot. The new "T" may give the Hogs some trouble but that should be ironed out by the time they take on any conference foes.

The Porkers have a tough schedule this year with William and Mary and Vanderbilt being their outstanding non-conference foes.

According to the reports from Fayetteville, the Porkers want to make their first year with the "T" a good one, and from the way it looks now, they may do it.

## Philadelphia Eagles To Meet All-Stars in 16th Annual Game

### Hall Of Fame Will Be Set Up by State Sportscribes

BY WILBUR MARTIN (CP Staff)

Texas sportswriters have voted to establish a hall of fame for the state's famous sports figures. It would be a well idea to pair off some of the stars the way you'd really like to have seen them. For instance:

John Kimbrough, Texas A&M; Jack Crain, University of Texas; Donk Walker, Southern Methodist University; and Sammy Naugh, Texas Christian University. Hang their pictures in a single wing formation and just imagine that backfield in operation.

Byron Nelson and Ben Hogan paired off with Babe Didrikson Zaharias and Betty Janssen in a mixed foursome. Who'd take them over 36 holes of golf?

Dizzy Dean pitching to Gus Mancuson with Ziggy Sears behind the plate, and Clarence (Big Boy) Kraft, the Paul Bunyon of Texas league hitters, at the bat.

Wilmer Allison warming up for three sets of tennis with Bruce

Harnes while Dr. D. A. Penick acts as umpire.

Tracy Cox and Willard Brown in another ten-round slugfest.

D. X. Ebbid in a halftime speech on the order of his well known "Let's go girls—" oration.

Jane Dillard offering proof that the butterfly breast stroke is an easy way to swim.

Semi-final high school football teams coached by Paul Tyson, Pete Shotwell, Blair Cherry and Rusty Russell.

Jerry Thompson, the mighty mite of Texas distance runners, being paced on a 220-yard straightaway by Harvey (Chink) Wallender, one of the first great sprinters in the Lone Star State.

The University of Texas team of 1841 and the 1847-48 Southern Methodist eleven in a cotton bowl game.

Bobby Moers and Jack Gray, two All-American basketball players from Texas, on the same team. They were, in a way, Gray coached Moers.

Dutch Meyer, who dreamed up the tripple wing and made it the fanciest looking razzle-dazzle grid formation in the business.

Ray Morrison, Austin College coach, the "Daddy" of the Southwest's pass, pass, pass, why punt style.

They'd better find a big place to put this hall of fame. There are an awful lot of candidates.

## Hogan's Alley Due To An 11

New York Aug. 11.—(AP)—Ben Hogan, the little golfer who won the 1948 Open and PGA titles, suunders when he thinks of a hole he messed up Open.

The sixth hole at the Hyde Park course is a 140-yard, par-3 No. 9 iron shot. Easy for a pro. But just short and to the left of the green is a deep water hazard.

Six times Hogan hit shots into the water. Toss in two penalty shots, a chip and two puts and you have 11. That's just what Hogan had for the hole.

Second of a Series Hogan's tee shot trickled into the water where it was about three inches deep. He blasted out



BEN HOGAN He Made "Hogan's Alley"

but rather weakly because the ball dribbled back into the water. He wasted three more shots trying to get out and then threw out to the ground on the back side of the water where he was lying six.

Ben again tried to chip over the water but the ball plunked into the middle. He threw out again and tried another chip. This time the ball landed on the green and he was lying 9.

He got down in two puts for an 11.

Publisher Norvin S. Veal of The Jacksonville Journal, who was one of the few persons who actually saw Hogan's unusual 11, recalls that Hogan gave a sheepish grin but did not lose his temper.

The hole's name has been officially christened "Hogan's Alley."

Around Jacksonville, week-end golfers say Hogan's 11 has been the biggest morale booster for duds in recent years. Where they used to worry about taking an 8 or even a 10, they now say:

"What the heck! Even Hogan took an 11 on this 140-yard hole."

## Intramural Standings

CAMPUS LEAGUE (Includes Thursday's games)

Team	W	L
Milner	6	1
TCVV	5	2
Leggett	4	2
Hart	3	2
Walton	2	2
Dorn 14	1	2
Purveyer	2	3
Mitchell	2	3
Law	0	5
Project	0	4

COLLEGE VIEW LEAGUE

Team	W	L
B-Odd	5	1
C-West	3	1
B-Even	4	2
D-Even	2	2
D-Odd	2	2
A-Even	1	2
C-East	1	2
A-Odd	1	5

## Shirley May Takes Day Off; She's 17

Dover, Eng., Aug. 11.—(AP)—Shirley May France took the day off today for her 17th birthday. Because she is so well along in her training to swim the English Channel, Coach Harry Broadkian abandoned a long workout. She may take a short dip later in the day.

Presents and telegrams rolled in for the girl from Somerset, Mass., from the time she arose at 6 o'clock.

"But I don't feel any different at all," said Shirley May. "Just wish the weather would get better so I could swim the Channel and go home."

## Flowers Does Well With Rifle in Camp

If southpaw Jimmy Flowers of Dallas can center a football like he fires a rifle, there won't be any bad snap-backs to Aggie ball carriers this fall.

At the summer ROTC encampment at Brooks Field in San Antonio, Flowers received a gold medal for posting the highest individual score in marksmanship (186 out of a possible 200) with the 30 calibre M1 carbine rifle.

Flowers, a former all-state high school center for Highland Park, has possibilities of becoming one of the better pivots in the SWC this fall.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—(AP)—Philadelphia's Eagles, champions of the National Football League, are a 10-point favorite to defeat a band of 70 college All-stars before an expected 95,000 to 100,000 spectators in floodlighted Soldier Field tonight.

The All-Star game, now in its 16th year, usually gives the professional an edge before the kickoff. The Eagles have the advantage of maturity and experience.

However, the record shows that the All-Stars frequently have triumphed when few believed victory possible, such as the upset of the Chicago Bears in 1947, which followed the equally surprising conquest of the Los Angeles Rams. Both were defeated 36 to 0.

The All-Stars have won five games and participated in two ties. The Cardinals' victory last year was the eighth for the National League Champions.

The All-Stars' hope for victory which might erase the sting of the Cardinals' 25-0 triumph last year rests in outscoring the professionals. Charles "Bud" Wilkinson, of Oklahoma, head coach of the stars, hopes he can generate some touchdowns from his split-T formation.

The collegian's strength stems from the key quarterback position. Jack Mitchell, Oklahoma's 1948 field general and ball handler. He will have help from Frank Trippack, Notre Dame, Norm Van Brocklin, Oregon. Since Mitchell played under Wilkinson at Oklahoma and is well versed in his system, he probably will play most of the time when the stars have the ball.

The stars are loaded with outstanding players. The backs include Don Doll, Southern California; George Talbot, Indiana; Jerry Williams, Washington State; Bobby Stuart and Rip Rowan of Army; George Guerre, Michigan State; George Sims, Baylor; Clyde Scott, Arkansas; Harper Davis, Miss. State; Joe Gerl, Georgia; Shifty McWilliams, Miss. State; and Bob Goode, Texas Aggies.

Barney Poole, end from Mississippi State, will captain the All-Stars.

Station KORA in Bryan will carry the game beginning at 7:30 tonight.

## Corpus Christi Has An All-Star Game

Corpus Christi, Tex., Aug. 11.—(AP)—Youthful football stars from over the nation start moving into Corpus Christi next week for the first Annual National High School All-American Game.

It will be played in Buccaneer Stadium, the local high school athletic plant, the night of Aug. 27.

Harold R. (Red) Drew, coach of Alabama, and Willie Falls, coach of the University of Corpus Christi, will take the squads. Drew's will take in 22 boys from East of the Mississippi river. Falls' crew will be 22 from West of that stream.

Mose Simms, football chairman of the Wigan Wagon of Oklahoma City, is promoting the game. He reported today that the advance ticket sale indicated the stadium would be filled.

Buccaneer Stadium seats 13,000.

## Aggie Fish Need Another Grid Game

A&M wants a football game against a junior college eleven for the Aggie freshmen. Barlow (Bones) Irvin, athletic director, came up with an open rule when a Southwest Conference rival, a backing it necessary to cancel a backing with nearby Allen Academy because this game had been scheduled too close to freshman registration.

Irvin wants the game for Oct. 5 or 6 under the new Kyle Field lights. Coaches of Junior colleges interested in such a game should contact Irvin immediately.

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