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Last night... 55
Tonight and Wednesday...

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President and Party Are Guests of State at Meacham Today—City Is Dressed in Pioneer Garb and Days of Early Life in West Are Recalled—Executive Rides in Stage Coach

(By Associated Press.)
MEACHAM, July 3.—President and party today returned to the city of Meacham when they arrived here this morning. The president and party were met by a large number of people who had gathered to see them. The president and party were then taken to the Meacham Hotel where they will stay during their visit. The city is dressed in pioneer garb and the days of early life in the west are recalled. Executive rides in stage coach.

Will Play Golf
The president and party will play golf at Meacham today. The president and party will also ride in a stage coach through the country. The president and party will also visit the Meacham Hotel.

Reproduce Frontier Days
The president and party will reproduce the frontier days of the west. The president and party will also ride in a stage coach through the country. The president and party will also visit the Meacham Hotel.

History to Be Recalled
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FRENCH TROOPS EXTEND OCCUPATION

(By Associated Press.)
DUESSELDORF, July 3.—French troops today occupied Westphalia, according to the Burgenmaster, station master and postmaster as well as other city officials.

Cash Confiscated
BERLIN, July 3.—The French today occupied the Westphalian branch of the Reichsbank and confiscated considerable cash, according to the Posten Zeitung.

Answer Is Sent
BRUSSELS, July 3.—The Belgian answer to the British questionnaire on the Franco-Belgian policy, has been sent to the Belgian ambassador at London.

Explanation Given
LONDON, July 3.—Oral explanations of the French and Belgian attitudes toward Germany on reparations, was given Marquis Curzon, the British foreign secretary today by ambassadors for the two countries in response to the recent British questionnaire.

NEW SYSTEM OF BUYING PRUNES

Straight Drop Buying Is Past, According to Representative of Local House

PREMIUM IS OFFERED

Packers Will Pay Good Price for Large Sized Prunes and Will Make Strong Price for Prunes They Want

The days of a straight quarter-cent drop on prunes is gone forever. E. J. Gilie, manager of the H. S. Side Company packing house said today in commenting upon the prune situation. "The prune packers have learned their lesson after many years," Mr. Gilie said, "and hereafter they will bid a separate price on each size of prune instead of a top price with a specified straight drop as heretofore."

"Last year we gave a top price and a straight drop and as a result we found ourselves paying eight cents for prunes we would be glad to sell for four now. As a result we are all stocked up with small prunes, for which we have no market and as a result prime buyers in the future will bid the sizes they want at a fixed price."

This year prune buyers are paying a premium in the larger sizes. In taking orders from Eastern brokers the packers usually contract to furnish a specified number of pounds of each size of prune, the broker agreeing to pay a fixed price for each size. Last year the packers found themselves completely unable to fill their orders. The prunes ran very small in size, although the tonnage set a new record. Because of the fact that they were not able to fill contracts in the sizes agreed upon, and because some of the brokers would not allow substitutions, the packers lost quite heavily.

This season they desire to buy only the size of small prunes, 60-65s and 65-70s, on hand and do not care to purchase any more, consequently they are bidding high for the big sizes with a heavy drop for the smaller fruit.

The sales so far have been very light. The local packers concern have bought only enough to cover contracts already taken, and only a few hundred thousand pounds have been contracted for. It is estimated that less than five railroads have been bought to date, and at present little buying is going on except for choice lots.

For the big sizes, 20-25s, a price of 5 cents is being offered. These prunes are very scarce but because of their large size are very desirable. A few young orchards are expected to bring up the number of big prunes this year but it is not anticipated that there will be any heavy run on prunes of this size.

For the next size, the packers are offering 4 cents, a drop of 1 cent for five points, and for the next five points, 40-50s, a drop of one-half cent is the schedule. The price for 45-50s is 4 1/2 cents, for 50-55s is 4 cents and for 55-60s the price is 3 1/2 cents. Above these sizes the buyers have begun to buy on hand to fill orders and are anxious to buy. Gilie says consequently on lower sizes a quarter cent with a half cent on 65-70s and 70-75s and 75-80s for 2 1/2 cents.

DEMPSEY HITS HARD IN WORKOUT

Champion Takes Delight in Slamming Blows at His Sparring Partners

GIBBONS PULLS PUNCHES

Challenger Is Good Humored and "Kids" Those Who Are in the Ring with Him—Gibbons Is Liked

By BERT G. BATES.
(News-Review Correspondent.)

SHELBY, Mont., July 3.—(Special to News-Review.)—Tommy Gibbons, whose wonderful personality has made him the most popular contender for the heavyweight crown, went through his paces at the training camp this afternoon in wonderful style. Special seats were reserved for the press this afternoon and I had a wonderful opportunity of seeing the batter at close range.

I have now watched both Dempsey and Gibbons at work in their quarters. A comparison of the two would favor the champion. Dempsey is considered to be the greatest fighter of modern times. He is heavier than Gibbons, has a mighty punch and is a fighting machine from the moment he hops in to the arena. There is no "skidding" and "joshing" with Jack. He grinds his teeth in a vicious fashion, even while shadow boxing, and when he slams the bag he puts into his work as though he had an active opponent. Gibbons pulls his punches and unlike Dempsey tries to avoid injuring his sparring partners. Today he had numerous opportunities to lay his men on their backs but he merely tapped them on the open point and grinned.

Dempsey seems to take a delight in flooring his men, even the rank no-slices, as he did the giant Wray from Oklahoma. Wray is still on the Dempsey list but stays clear of the champ's arena. He is a mighty man though, over seven feet high, but fights like a rickety lumber wagon. The champ will go into the ring on July 4th with determination in his heart to hold his honors. He is not going to take a chance and it is possible that he will have in the first round. That is the general opinion here.

Gibbons, however, is also a determined individual and naturally covets the heavyweight crown and the fortune which accompanies it. He will fight Westphalia for the chance of obtaining it for he will receive very little if any financial remuneration from the battle.

It is going to be the battle of the age and it will be a battle which should interest all who care to follow the sport. The fight will be a real one and it is possible that it will be the most popular of all times.

WILL BULLETIN FIGHT RETURNS

Following the usual custom, there will be no regular edition of the News-Review tomorrow, the employees being given an opportunity to celebrate the holiday. During the afternoon, however, there will be a sufficient force on hand to put in the returns of the Dempsey-Gibbons fight and the champion will battle will be covered in full detail. Arrangements have been made with the Associated Press for a description of the fight, round by round, and as telegrams arrive direct from the ringside, they will be read aloud and bulletined in front of the News-Review office. All those who desire to obtain the returns as rapidly as they can be flushed from Shelby are invited to be in front of the News-Review office tomorrow, when every possible action will be taken to prevent the fight news without delay.

As the fight is scheduled for 2 o'clock there, the dispatches will be received here at about 2 o'clock. Postmaster, however, will be stationed prior to that time, starting probably at about 1:30.

CALLS FOR BANK REPORTS

(Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 3.—The comptroller of currency today called for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on June 28.

PROHIBITION AGENT SHOTS COMPANION

MEACHAM, July 3.—William M. Houston, prohibition officer, was shot in the leg during a dance hall row last night. Houston was sent here to help keep order during President Harding's visit and was chasing a bootlegger who had dropped his bottle. Houston pulled it up and continued the pursuit passing special deputy sheriff D. J. Ross. Ross, seeing Houston carrying the bottle, mistook him for the liquor owner and fired, inflicting the wound.

SPOKANE BOY WINS TEN-ROUND DECISION

PORTLAND, July 3.—Frankie Grandetta, of Spokane, northwest flyweight champion, won a hard ten round decision from Abie Gordon last night. Beauhurst Roberts of Oakland, Calif., beat Eddie Richards of Portland in the semi-final.

CITY MAY FILE ON WATERSHED

A recommendation that the City of Roseburg proceed in the near future to obtain a watershed agreement with the secretary of agriculture, was made to the city council last night by Forest Supervisor Carl H. Wood. These watershed agreements provide that a certain portion of the national forest lands shall be set aside to provide water for the cities with which the agreements are made. The forest service prevents logging operations on the reserved district, and also prohibits grazing, if desired by the city. No camps are allowed and every precaution is taken to prevent any impurities from getting into the water supply.

Within a few years, Mr. Wood told the council, logging will start on the North Oregon watershed. Already the North Oregon watershed is becoming well populated. Camps are being established and farms located and within a short time it will be necessary for the city to seek a new source for its water supply.

Mr. Wood said he has made a rough survey of the territory and believes that the headwaters of Cavitt creek are best suited to the city's purposes. The North Oregon watershed is too large to be placed under the restrictions, he states, while both Clifton and Clifton are not suited to the purposes. Wood said he would like to see the city acquire a small tract of land on the North Oregon watershed, which would be set aside to provide water for the city.

Proposals to Reserve Water Rights on Cavitt Creek Is Before Council

AGREEMENT POSSIBLE

Forest Service and City Can Reach Agreement Whereby Specified Area Will Be Set Aside for City

The city council last night considered a report from Forest Supervisor Carl H. Wood, recommending that the city of Roseburg proceed in the near future to obtain a watershed agreement with the secretary of agriculture, which would provide for the reservation of a certain portion of the national forest lands for the city's water supply.

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KEARNS AGREES TO TAKE GAMBLING CHANCE AND BIG FIGHT WILL BE STAGED

Champion's Manager Agrees to Take First \$100,000 of Gate Receipts as Final Installment Due on Contract—Other Expenses Are Guaranteed—Hold Long Conferences

(By Associated Press.)
GREAT FALLS, July 3.—The Dempsey-Gibbons fight, which was suddenly called off last night, will be decided in the big pine bowl tomorrow at Shelby as scheduled. Jack Kearns, the champion's manager, at a conference which broke up at 2:30 a. m., agreed to send Dempsey into the ring and gamble for the final \$100,000 installment due on the \$300,000 guarantee.

Guarantee Expenses.

The promoters guaranteed the preliminary expenses, including the payment of boxes in the preliminary bouts, \$5,000 to Jimmy Donaherty, referee and other incidental expenses, probably amounting to \$30,000. Kearns will control the gate receipts until the champion's \$100,000 has been secured. The gate receipts will then revert to the promoters.

Take Gambler's Chance.

GREAT FALLS, July 3.—Taking a gambler's chance, Jack Kearns, manager of champion Jack Dempsey, in the "wee wee" hours this morning agreed to send his batter into the ring against Tommy Gibbons at Shelby tomorrow. Kearns finally agreed to take a "stud game" chance that he will be able to obtain the balance of the \$300,000 purse guaranteed under his contract. After a whole night spent in conferences, during which Kearns made overtures after overtures to compromise and help the promoters out of the difficulties in which the fight has been engaged, it was finally agreed that Kearns would gamble on the gate receipts for the additional \$100,000 which is due the champion.

Fifteen Round Fight.

By HENRY FARRELL.
(United Press Sports Editor.)
SHELBY, Mont., July 3.—(United Press.)—In a shiny new pine arena nestled down in a cove of rolling hills, in this little but bustling cow-boy city, Jack Dempsey and Tommy Gibbons are scheduled to meet under the auspices of the promoters for the world's heavyweight championship.

The bout is scheduled for 15 rounds in a decision. James Dougherty of Philadelphia, who was favored by Dempsey and Jack Kearns, his manager, will be the third man in the ring. The arena, which is about half the size of the Rickard stadium in Jersey City, was built at a cost of \$75,000 to seat 10,000 spectators. The seats are selling at from \$20 to \$50. The seats are very narrow and it is going to be a job sitting on them many hours, especially if a hot Montana sun is on the sun does get hot out here—make no mistake about that.

Gibbons Is Gambling.

Dempsey is guaranteed \$200,000 for his efforts, and in addition \$10,000 for training expenses. And Kearns, Dempsey's manager, got \$200,000 of the amount when June was half gone, even if he did come close to wrecking the show to get it. Gibbons is gambling. He has agreed to take 50 per cent of the receipts after Dempsey's guarantee is taken out. Perhaps Tommy will owe himself money after the fight is over.

Dempsey says he expects to enter the ring at 190 pounds and Gibbons will probably be about 160 pounds light. Jack Kearns and Jerry Lavatas, Dempsey's trainer, will head the force in Dempsey's corner. Eddie Kane, Gibbons' manager, will be in Gibbons' corner, with a corps of assistants. It has been announced that the Dempsey-Gibbons fight would be staged at 2 p. m. Rocky mountain time, which is 1 p. m. central standard, 5 p. m. western standard and 6 p. m. daylight savings time on the Atlantic coast. On the Pacific coast this will be 2 p. m. standard.

Care for Tourists.

There are only about three hotels in Shelby, but tents have been put up all over the town and the Great Northern Railway has put in three four miles of new sidetracks, where it has accommodations to park thirty special trains, where customers are expected to eat and sleep.

Of course refreshment stands of all kinds have appeared all over town and outside of the Pullman customers, most of the eating will be of the hot dog variety.

The county has also provided immense parking spaces for autos and plenty of reservations for parties who desire to camp and these parties have been filling up the last few days.

"Dope" on Fighters
Dempsey, height 6 feet 1 inch, weight 188 pounds, reach 73 inches, chest 17 inches, chest (hor.) 41 inches, chest (exp.) 44 inches, waist 32 1/2 inches, biceps 15 inches, forearm 12 1/2 inches, wrist 8 1/2 inches, thigh 22 inches, calf 15 inches, ankle 9 inches, age 28 years.

Gibbons, height 6 feet 3 1/2 inch, chest 17 inches, chest (hor.) 41 inches, chest (exp.) 44 1/2 inches, waist 35 inches, biceps 14 inches, forearm 12 1/2 inches, wrist 9 inches, thigh 22 1/2 inches, calf 14 1/2 inches, ankle 9 1/2 inches, age 29 years.

DEMPSEY'S RECORD

Born June 24, 1896, Manassa, Colo. Nationality, Irish-Scottish-American.

Knockouts.

1915-1916—Kid Hancock, 1; Billy Murphy, 1; Chief Gordon, 6; Johnny Person, 7; Anamos Campbell, 3; Joe Lyons, 9; Fred Woods, 4; George Coyle, 7; Andy Malloy, 3; Two Boston Gillian, 1; Jack Downey, 2; Boston Bearcat, 1; Battling Johnson, 1; George Christian, 1; Jack Koehn, 4; Joe Bonds, 10; Dan Ketchel, 5; Bob York, 4.

1917—Al Norton, 1; Charlie Miller, 1.

1918—Homer Smith, 1; Jim Flynn, 1; Bill Brennan, 6; Bull Sadec, 1; Tom Riley, 1; Dan Ketchel, 2; Arthur Paiky, 1; Kid McCarthy, 1; Bob Devor, 1; Porky Flynn, 1; Fred Dalton, 1; Terry Keller, 5; Jack Moran, 1; Battling Levinsky, 3; Porky Flynn, 1; Gus Willard, 3 (for heavyweight championship).

1921—George Carpenter, 4.

Knockout By

1917—Jim Flynn.

No Decision Contests

1918—Billy Miske, 10; Billy Miske, 6.

Draw.

1915-16—Jack Downey, 4; Johnny Sundenberg, 10; Andy Malloy, 20.

Lost

1918—Willie Meehan, 4.

Won From

1915-16—Johnny Sundenberg, 10; Terry Keller, 10; Andre Anderson, 10; Wild Burt Kenney, 10; John Lester Johnson, 10.

1917—Willie Meehan, 4; Bob McAllister, 4; Gunboat Smith, 4; Carl Morris, 4.

1918—Carl Morris (foul), 6.

Exhibition

1918—Clay Turner, 4.

1920—Terry Keller, 3.

Recapitulation.

Matches engaged in, 67, knockouts, 60; won, 10; knocked out, 1; no decision, 2; draw, 4; lost, 2; exhibition, 2.

GIBBON'S RECORD

Born, 1888, St. Paul, Minn. Nationality, Irish-American.

Knockouts

1912—Johnny Shaw, 5.

1914—Al Worlan, 4; Buck Crouse, 4; Bert Saxon, 2; Billy Glover, 6.

1915—Silent Martin, 10.

1921—Tommy Melcher, 1; Al Reich, 1; Paul Sampson, 2; Noregans, 1; Larry Williams, 4; Porky Flynn, 11; Jack Hoffman, 1; Ray Itay Smith, 2; Jack Cluffard, 3; Willie Keeler, 2; Willie Meehan, 1; Dan O'Hard, 3; Bill Reed, 2; Joe Barco, 2; Fred Albin, 1; Hope Mullin, 1; Hugh Walker, 10; Clay Turner, 1; Dan O'Dowd, 6.

No Decision Contests

1913—Tommy Bergen, 10; Joe Borrell, 10; Young Mike Donovan, 10; Jack Denning, 10; Knockout Brennan, 10.

1914—George "Ko" Brown, 10; Billy Miske, 8; George "KO" Brown, 10; Young Mahoney, 10.

1915—Billy Murray, 10; Billy Miske, 10; Harry Gresh, 10.

1916—Gus Christie, 12; Joe Herrick, 12.

1917—Bob Moha, 10; Bert Kenney, 10; Jack Clark, 10; Battling Levinsky, 10; Burt Kenney, 10; George Chip, 10.

1918—George Chip, 10; Clay Turner, 10; George Chip, 10; Gus Christie, 10; Clay Turner, 10.

1919—Len Rowlands, 10; Larry Williams, 10; Capt. Bob Roper, 10; Billy Miske, 10; Geo. "Ko" Brown, 12.

1920—"KO" Brown, 10; Bob Roper, 10; Harry Gresh, 10; Clay Turner, 10; Harry Gresh, 10; Hugh Walker, 12; Chuck Wagner, 12.

1921—Bartley Madden, 10.

Won From

1916—Vic Hansen, 10.

1917—Gus Christie, 15.

1918—Silent Martin, 15; Gus Christie, 10.

1919—George Chip, 12.

1919—George Chip, 10; Mick King, 10; Jimmy Dares, 10.

Draw

1920—Boy McCormack, 10.

No Contest

1919—Bartley Madden, 4.

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