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ARGENTINE GIANT KILLED BY CHAMP

Jack Dempsey Retains Title in Fierce Battle With Firpo Last Night

Slayed in 2nd Round

Dempsey Is Knocked Down Three Times, But Succeeds in Making Firpo Flounder on Canvas Eight Times

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Jack Dempsey's spectacular victory over Luis Firpo ranks as one of the greatest heavyweight title contests in history.
The champion stands out as a fighter lighter than ever as a result of his amazing dramatic knockout of Firpo in the second round of a match for savage fury of attack had no parallel in pugilistic history. Only a masterpiece of generalship, plus the experience of the Argentine giant, saved the champion from defeat toward the close of the spectacular first round when Firpo with the ferocity of a wild beast rose from the fifth knockdown to drive Dempsey through the ropes with a terrific swing to the head.
Dempsey made short work of the challenger in the second round, flooring him twice before the short right upper cut to the jaw brought Firpo down for the eighth and last time.

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 15.—"The best time will be different. The best time will win," say the Argentinians, who though gloomy over Firpo's defeat are proud of his magnificent battle.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 15.—Jim Jeffries declared that a return match between Dempsey and Firpo would be only another Dempsey victory.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Jack Dempsey last night retained his title as the world's heavyweight champion, knocking out Luis Angel Firpo, the "Wild Bull of the Pampas," who by his fierce fighting and ability to take punishment proved to be something more than just an overgrown man with a man look and a lot of hair. The knockout occurred in the second round of one of the fiercest, fastest and most spectacular battles in the history of pugilism.
The champion floored his Argentine challenger five times in the first round and twice in the second round before a short right uppercut to the head sent Firpo down for the last time in the three minutes and 57 seconds of whirlwind, terrific mauling, Dempsey himself once was knocked through the ropes on top of the press benches and groggy under a bombardment of mighty rights.
Before Firpo went hurtling down to defeat, carrying with him the shattered hopes of a continent, he gave a most thrilling and courageous ring exhibition of all time. Battered, bloody and groggy, he showed his marvelous stamina by coming back with a whirlwind crushing drive towards the close of the first round that had the title holder tottering. Closer to losing his crown than at any time

in his career.
Firpo Fought Best of Career.
Firpo fought the best fight of his career. The challenger's mighty right was never mightier. Against the relentless power and versatility of the champion's furious attack he went down, but in defeat he gained more glory than in any battle of his career. He was beaten but his menace was not removed.
From the tap of the first gong these two scowling giants tore at each other with attacks of unrestrained savagery. Firpo was the first to land as they came to close quarters but in a flash the champion plunged, shot in his right to the body and a left to the jaw, sending the challenger crashing to the floor on his side.
Momentarily dazed, but with eyes ablaze, Firpo rose to his feet after a short count and rushed back. Again he was met by a withering drive and went down for the second and third times. Blood flowed from his mouth, he was stunned and Dempsey let loose the most terrific power of his swings as he seemed to sense victory. Firpo went down twice more and both times it seemed the end had come. But after taking a count of nine on his fifth knockdown, the challenger suddenly sprang at his adversary like a wounded tiger, an infuriated jungle beast. Swinging with flail-like rapidity and sledge-hammer power the famous right thrust that had brushed aside all opposition before and swept him to fame, the Argentine rushed at his adversary. Caught unawares by this stunning comeback on the part of the man he had believed beaten into submission, Dempsey reeled under the assault. A right to the side of the head sent Dempsey to his knees and as he rose another swing knocked him from his feet and through the ropes on top of the newspaper men huddled at the edge of the ring.
Dempsey Wobbles at Knees.
Dempsey's knees wavered as he climbed back in. He clinched to save himself. Firpo couldn't follow up his advantage and the bell ended a round that will go down as one of the most sensational of all fighting history came to end with both gladiators on their feet.
Unleashed for the second round they leaped at each other once more. Dempsey again was the quicker on the attack and Firpo went down under the crushing blows of the champion. He arose only to go down once more. Now there was no doubt of the outcome. The challenger, bleeding and tottering, forced himself to his feet, carrying on largely by instinct. Dempsey stepped in, whipped his left to the body and then a short right to the chin that sent Firpo sprawling on his back, staring vacantly at the glare of the lights overhead.
The Argentine tried feebly to turn over to gather strength to rise. His fighting heart called him back to the fray but the body that had withstood one of the most terrific assaults the ring has ever known, could not respond. He lay flat at the count of ten, after 57 seconds of the round had elapsed he was helped to his corner by the victorious champion.
Tragic in Wild Fray.
Then that vast throng, whipped to a fever pitch of excitement by the sensational struggle of these two slugging gladiators, gave vent to an ovation that echoed and re-echoed and reached from Cogan's Bluff as Dempsey's hand was raised in victory. Ringside spectators rushed for the ring, some hurdled three rows of press benches to get at the champion and lift him to their shoulders.
For a moment it seemed that the frenzy might assume the proportions of a riot, but the police gained control.
And while the American had fulfilled popular expectations and the most venturesome predictions of critics by his short and spectacular triumph, the challenger received an ovation in defeat for the fight that marked him among the most courageous battlers among the most courageous battlers Dempsey won because he was the (Continued on page seven)

DENBY ORDERS OPEN INVESTIGATION MADE

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Secretary of Navy Denby ordered that the investigation of the wrecking of the Pacific destroyer flotilla on Point Aruello be made public. He was aroused by the rumors, tinged with scandal, concerning the cause of the disaster which cost seven and a half million dollars and the loss of 25 lives. Denby declared the fullest publicity will be given the facts developed at the inquiry. The naval board had planned to hold their sessions privately.

THE "UMPQUAS" FORM A TRIBE

Booster Club Is Organized and Promise Made to Put City on Map

INDIAN NAME ADOPTED

Committee Was Named Last Night to Make Organization Plans and Select Garb of "Indian Braves"

The "Umpquas," a full-fledged tribe of modern Indians, was organized last night by a number of enthusiastic Roseburg boosters, who are determined to make the organization a great success, equalling the Rosarians, Cherrians, Pirates and other civic clubs which have been formed throughout the state.
It is fitting that such a name as "Umpquas" be applied to the booster club for in the early days the Umpqua tribe made this valley their rendezvous.
To become a brave Indian of the "Umpquas" it is necessary to be an active member of the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce. It is absolutely imperative that each person applying for admission to the booster organization hold such a membership card.
At a meeting held last night a committee was appointed to perfect the organization plans. This committee consists of George Neuner, Henry Harth and Bert G. Bates. A committee was also appointed to plan the Indian garb of the tribe and this committee is composed of Lyman Spencer, Henry Harth and A. T. Lawrence.
The organization of an active booster club in Roseburg has been under consideration for many years. Finally the meeting was called last night and a large number of enthusiastic business men were present. They all spoke in favor of the club, stating that they were very anxious to see an Umpqua tribe of boosters formed.
The next meeting of the club will be held on Friday night at the Lawrence Realty office. From all appearances the membership limit will soon be filled and a waiting list will be necessary.
J. C. Markley, who has been attending to business in Myrtle Point and Couville for the past few days, returned home yesterday afternoon.

GIRL INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

Miss Gertrude Smith Probably Will Lose Sight of Right Eye as Result of Smash

OTHERS ARE BRUISED

Car Driven by Charles Watson and Machine Occupied by Glendale and Roseburg Ladies Collide

Miss Gertrude Smith of Glendale, who was badly cut about the face and head in an automobile accident yesterday evening, will probably lose the sight of her right eye, it was announced today. The eyeball was cut by numerous small pieces of glass, the lens being cut so that a cataract growth is forming. There is a slight possibility that sight may be restored by the removal of this growth in the future, in the event it does not extend too far, but not much hope is given. The others who were in the car were slightly injured, but not seriously. Mrs. I. Smith, Gertrude's mother, and Mrs. Chris Nebel of Glendale were in the machine and also Mrs. A. F. Sother of Roseburg.
The accident occurred at the Booth ranch on the Pacific Highway.
The car driven by Charles Watson and occupied also by A. T. Lawrence, was proceeding south directly behind a car bearing a Washington license. It is claimed that the Washington driver slowed down and stopped without giving a warning signal, and Mr. Watson turned out to avoid striking the machine and collided with the Star car driven by Mrs. Smith coming from the south. The Washington driver, it is said, as soon as he saw that an accident had been caused by his quick stop, drove away in a great hurry before his license number was procured.
All of the passengers in the smaller car were quite badly shaken up and cut by flying glass. Miss Smith, however, is the only one seriously hurt. The accident is made more regrettable by the fact that Miss Smith was on her way to Roseburg to buy clothing and other articles preparatory to leaving for Eugene where she had expected to attend school during the winter. As a result of her injuries she probably will not be able to go to school for several months.

JAP REFUGEES ON LINER JEFFERSON

SEATTLE, Sept. 15.—Bringing a heavy passenger list of refugees from the quake and fire zones of Japan, the President Jefferson is steaming through the heavy fogs which enshrouded Cape Flattery and the headlands at the mouth of the straits, according to latest reports. It is expected that the Jefferson, the first vessel to arrive from Japan since the disaster, will arrive in quarantine off Victoria at 4 o'clock, reaching Seattle sometime between 10 o'clock and midnight. The relatives of the refugees have been gathering here and in Victoria for several days.

AGREEMENTS ARE REACHED BY GOVTS.

(By United Press.)
LONDON, Sept. 15.—The Rome and Belgrade governments have reached an agreement whereby the time limit set by Italy for an agreement on the part of Jugo-Slavia to Mussolini's demands regarding Fiume will be extended. The Italian government has made new proposals, it is understood, of which no details have yet been made known. It is believed the discussions will be continued. Semi-official circles are still somewhat pessimistic over the outcome of the dispute.

GOVERNOR NAMES CARL WIMBERLY

City Attorney Is Tendered Position of Douglas County District Attorney

UNDER CONSIDERATION

Has Taken Offer of Governor Under Consideration Until Next Week—Would Lose Money by Acceptance

Carl E. Wimberly, city attorney of Roseburg, was today tendered the appointment as district attorney of Douglas county to take the position made vacant by the resignation of District Attorney George Neuner. Mr. Wimberly has the matter under advisement and will probably not announce his decision until the first of next week.
In the event Mr. Wimberly decides to accept the office, it will only be at a great sacrifice to himself, as the money to be derived from the office of District Attorney is in no measure to compare to the returns of a growing private practice, such as is now enjoyed by Mr. Wimberly. His friends, however, have been urging him to accept the office, since it was learned a short time ago that the appointment was apt to be tendered him and it is possible that because of this desire on the part of his friends and as a public duty, Mr. Wimberly will agree to take the office.
Mr. Wimberly is one of the best known attorneys of the county and is well qualified to handle the position offered him. He was born at Elkton in the year 1887, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wimberly now of Drain. He spent much of his early life in Drain and after completing his public school education there went to Willamette University for the study of law. He graduated from Willamette in 1909 and passed the bar examination the same year. He was appointed deputy county clerk in 1909 and served until October 15, 1911, when he was elected city recorder of Roseburg. In 1915 he left the position of city recorder and went into the law firm of Neuner and Wimberly. He remained as a member of the firm until 1917 when he joined the armed forces of the country and participated in the world war. Upon his return he took up a private practice, which he has continued until the present time. Mr. Wimberly was the first commander of the American Legion post and is still an active mem-

ELEANOR GOSS WINS TENNIS CROWN

(By United Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Miss Eleanor Goss, Boston tennis star, won the middle states singles championship here today when she defeated Miss Molla Mallory, the former American champion, 7-5, 4-6 and 6-3, in the final round for the title.

JAPAN DETERMINED TO REBUILD CAPITAL

(By Associated Press.)
TOKYO, Sept. 15.—Premier Yamamoto is to issue a declaration that the government is determined to rebuild the capital and maintain the nation's prestige. He will also express gratitude for the aid and sympathy. Material assistance from America and China is arriving. Food is plentiful. Typhoid and dysentery are increasing.

PRINCESS FOUND TO BE "NOT GUILTY"

(By United Press.)
LONDON, Sept. 15.—Princess Marie Marguerite Fahmy was found "not guilty" of the murder of her husband, the Egyptian prince, Ali Kemal Fahmy Bey.

MARTIAL LAW NOW EFFECTIVE IN SPAIN

(By United Press.)
MADRID, Sept. 15.—Martial law is effective throughout Spain, with the military revolutionists firmly in control in all parts of the nation. In the meantime, Captain General Primo Rivera, the leader of the revolutionists, charged by the king with the formation of a new government, has started conversations for the organization of the new ministry.

ROADHOUSE PATRONS ACCUSED OF MURDER

(By United Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 15.—Walter Erickson and Mildred Bailey, patrons of Sycamore Lodge, near here, were arrested following the fatal shooting early this morning of Edward Hall, one of the proprietors of the roadhouse. Both denied knowledge of the shooting. The waiters, cooks and guests could throw no light on the mystery. Hall was called to the door, four shots rang out, and he fell dead.
ber of that organization.
In politics he is a democrat and an active member of the political party.
By training and experience he is eminently well qualified to handle the position of district attorney, and his appointment will assure the county of a man able to handle all of the business of the office. Although from a monetary standpoint he will not be benefited, it is hoped that he will accept the appointment which has been offered him, as he will serve the county as an able and efficient officer.

COPCO LINEMAN BADLY BURNED

C. M. Girard May Lose Life as Result of Striking Live Wire

RIGHT ARM PARALYZED

Physician Says It May Be Necessary to Amputate Arm at Shoulder, as Circulation Has Been Destroyed

C. M. Girard, a lineman employed by the California-Oregon Power company, was seriously, perhaps fatally injured last night, when in some manner he came in contact with wires carrying 6,500 volts of electricity. He is in a very serious condition at Mercy Hospital today and amputation of the right arm at the shoulder will probably be necessary, and it is quite possible that the shock will prove fatal.
Mr. Girard came here only a few weeks ago from California, and yesterday was working with a crew of linemen north of Winchester. The workmen were engaged in straightening poles near the Kohlhaagen ranch, and Girard and John Gross were on a pole together.
Just how he happened to come in contact with the wires, Girard does not know himself, but in some manner he touched two of the wires and in an instant he was rendered unconscious.
W. R. Connelly, foreman of the crew, who was a short distance from the pole, heard the noise as the current flashed across through Girard's body and shouted to Gross. The latter started toward his fellow lineman, and the movement of the pole shook the body loose from the wires and allowed it to sag at the end of the safety belt. Gross grabbed the hand line, a rope used for raising or lowering tools or apparatus, and looped this into Girard's belt and lowered the body to the ground, where artificial breathing was used by Mr. Connelly to restore life to the body. The resuscitation methods proved effective and in a few minutes the injured man was breathing again.
A passing tourist was hailed and ordered to speed to the power plant at Winchester and put in a call for a physician and a truck and cot to bring the injured man to this city. The tourist did not hesitate to carry out the request and within a short time Dr. B. R. Shoemaker of Roseburg was on the scene, and gave such treatment as was possible. Another tourist passing by had a car in which the front seat was hinged so that it could be laid back to form a bed, and he immediately volunteered this machine to bring the electrician to town. He remained by until the doctor had completed such work as was possible there and then brought Girard to the hospital here.
The strong current burned a deep gash in Girard's wrist and it is believed completely destroyed all circulation in the arm. There is another deep burn on top of the left shoulder but as he has complete use of the left arm this burn is not so serious. The electricity paralyzed the right arm and set the muscles so that they are perfectly hard. No pulse can be detected and unless circulation is restored immediately it will (Continued on page eight.)

Cartoonist Bert G. Bates Pictorially Presents Events of the Week