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## FIGHT MAY BE ALL OFF

**Scrapps News Association**  
San Francisco, Sept. 6.—Up to a late hour this morning the Britt Nelson fight situation remains unchanged. Nolan continues to stand pat. Nothing has been heard from Jeffries but now that it is seen that he is not wanted, a refusal is expected to be received from him. Britt says Jeffries shall refuse or no one will and many are now inclined to believe that the fight will not be pulled off Saturday. W. W. Naughton, in an article this morning, denounces Nolan for the attitude assumed by him and declares that Nelson is showing a yellow streak and wants to get out of the fight. The odds continue ten to seven. Sporting men from all over the state are beginning to arrive.

**JEFFRIES NOT REFEREE**  
Manager Billy Nolan representing Nelson delivered his ultimatum late this afternoon saying, there will be no fight if Jeffries is to be referee. "We are prepared to fight Britt and will enter the ring for that purpose but under no circumstances whatever, will we consent to Jeffries as referee."

**ALL THE SAME TO HIM**  
Los Angeles, Sept. 6.—Jeffries stated this morning that the attitude of Nelson on the referee question made no difference to him as it was his intention to referee the fight and that he will start for San Francisco Thursday morning and referee if wanted. He said "I have agreed and will keep my word. There's too much money involved to call the fight off now."

**WOULD TAKE PLACE**  
Los Angeles, Sept. 6.—Eddie Hanlon who won from Willie Eitzgerald here last night on a foul, says he will take Nelson's place in the ring with Britt Saturday if the Nelson Britt fight is called off. Hanlon is in good shape, weighing exactly 133 pounds. He will start for San Francisco Thursday morning.

## Awful Death

**By Scrapps News Association**  
Butte Mont. Sept. 6.—Miss Fannie Wicks of Washington D. C. died at Livingston last night from the effects of falling into the hot springs in the Yellowstone park, through which she was touring. While viewing a geyser she stepped backward when the spouting began and fell into a scalding hot spring which almost cooked her body from the waist down.

## Peary is Well

**By Scrapps News Association**  
Brooklyn, Sept. 6.—A telegram today from Commander Peary says that he left Etap, Greenland, Aug. 16 for the farthest north with twenty five Eskimos and two hundred dogs and reports all of the party well and in the best of spirits.

## Saimon Resigns

**By Scrapps News Association**  
Washington, Sept. 6.—Dr. D. E. Salmon of the bureau of animal industries who recently was exonerated of all charges of irregularities in his department, resigned today.

## No Bail

**(By Scrapps News Association.)**  
Kempsho, Wis. Sept. 6.—Peter Achton, the wealthy Chicagoan accused with attempting to kill his son, cannot get bail as his relatives refuse to aid. The son is improving.

## Schooner Lost

**Scrapps News Association**  
Los Angeles Sept. 6.—The schooner F. M. Coleman bound for San Pedro with lumber, is ashore and water logged on the southeast end of San Miguel Island. A tug was sent to attempt to take the vessel off without avail. The cargo of the vessel is probably a total loss. The dense fog caused the wreck.

## Envoys Departed

**Scrapps News Association**  
Portsmouth, Sept. 6.—The Russian and Japanese envoys with the exception of Komura, who left last night, left here this morning.

## JAPANESE PEOPLE MUCH DISSATISFIED

**Believe Their Country Granted Russia Too Much—Are Ready to Depose Present Administration**

**Scrapps News Association.**  
Birmingham, England, Sept. 6.—The Post says as a sequel to the peace treaty the American and British governments, upon the initiative of America will lay before the Chinese and American governments suggestions for better regulations of American and British commerce in China and especially in Manchuria and Korea and will not wait upon the other powers concerning their actions.

Tokio, Sept. 6.—A mass meeting to protest against the government making peace on such terms as was made. The people claiming it is humiliating was held here yesterday. The police dispersed the crowd. Rioters made an attack upon a newspaper which has reflected the sentiment of the government. Very little damage was done. Many arrests followed. A meeting was held at Osaka and Nagoya adopted resolutions asking the government to resign. There is a general feeling of chagrin throughout the country. The people of Yokohama quietly awaiting the publishing of the details of the treaty.

## NO UPRISING

Boston Sept. 6.—Komura, the Japanese peace envoy spent the night in the city and visited Harvard college from which institution he graduated from the law school. He took dinner with the Colonial club. He states that there is no question but that a large portion of the Japanese people are displeased with the envoys for making peace upon the terms granted Russia but declares that they did the best they could for their country and further says that an uprising is impossible.

## VISITS HARVARD

Boston, Sept. 6.—The Witte special train stopped here enroute to New York and the envoys visited Harvard. Witte said he was delighted with America and its people and that he wished he could stay longer.

## MUST MAKE REQUEST

Washington Sept. 6.—It is announced by the state department that the government will not give up the Russian interned ships until the treaty of peace has been formally ratified by the Russian and Japanese governments and until Russia makes a formal request for the vessels. No official notification had been received by the state department that the war is over.

## DEPUTY SHERIFF KILLED

**(Observer Special)**  
Enterprise, Ore. Sept. 6.—Harvey Wilson, deputy sheriff of Wallowa county was accidentally shot and almost instantly killed yesterday evening at about four o'clock in the sheriff's office in this city. The investigation showed that Wilson had been sitting in a revolving chair with his feet upon the table. His revolver which was a 38 caliber Colt's, slipped from his pocket and in falling struck the leg of the chair discharging it. The bullet struck him in the back ranging upward coming out just above the heart. He arose from his chair and fell in the hall just as the county clerk, who had heard the shot, emerged from his office to ascertain the source of the shooting. Mr. Wilson was about 28 years of age and leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will be held in this city tomorrow afternoon.

## Airship Flies

**Scrapps News Association**  
Columbus Ohio Sept. 6.—Roy Knabe shoe male a successful flight in an airship this morning. The machine responded well to the helm but considerable trouble was experienced with the machinery.

Knabenshue had a narrow escape from being hit by the Twentieth Century Big Four train. He saw the train approaching but could not get away fast enough. He signaled the engineer to stop and as he slowed up he missed the craft but the anchor rope caught on the ventilator of the rear coach. Knabenshue cut the rope just in time to escape from being dragged to death.

## Defendant Biggs Ill

**Scrapps News Association.**  
Portland, Sept. 6.—Marion R. Biggs, codefendant with Congressman Williamson in the land fraud trial, was taken suddenly ill this morning and the trial was postponed until tomorrow. Eleven jurors have been selected. It may be that Biggs will have a separate trial from Williamson.

## Veterans Parade

**Scrapps News Association.**  
Denver Sept. 6.—Five thousand veterans of the Civil War marched this morning in the parade. Two hundred thousand people lined the streets, cheering the aged heroes as they tramped along. The marchers were bombarded with mountain and hot house flowers and snowballs each containing a rose, snow having been brought from the mountains for the occasion. The weather is ideal, a breeze blowing from the snowcapped mountains, tempering the brilliant sunshine. At the end of the parade the old soldiers gave themselves up to the political situation. Corporal Tanner and General Brown are leading candidates for commander-in-chief.

## MRS. JONES IN LEAD

Denver Sept. 6.—Mrs. Kate E. Jones of New York, appears to be the leading candidate for the national president of the Woman's Relief Corps, although Mrs. G. E. Fairbie of San Francisco and several others are making a strong fight.

## Are Still Fighting

**Scrapps News Association**  
Tokio, Sept. 6.—An official report announces that the Russian forces were subjected to a complete and crushing defeat after five hours of fighting at Nalutu on the west coast of Sakhalin. One hundred and thirty Russians were killed. The Japanese loss was slight.

## REPORT FROM RUSSIA

St. Petersburg, Sept. 6.—General Linevitch reports to the emperor that on September 4 the Japanese started to advance along the Mandarin road but retired when met by the Russian artillery fire. It is also reported that an offensive movement was made by the Japanese on Sept. 3, with the result announced.

## Flight Successful

**Scrapps News Association**  
Portland Sept. 6.—Lincoln Beechey made a successful flight at the exposition grounds today. The airship, as composed of gas bags of gelatin and the motor and steering apparatus of the "City of Portland"

## Spalding Better

**(Scrapps News Association)**  
Lebanon, Ky, Sept. 6.—Bishop Spalding of Peoria, is much better today.

## Investigate Insurance

**Scrapps News Association.**  
New York Sept. 6.—The Armstrong committee of the legislature to investigate insurance companies, met today and the attorneys were told that they would have no rights before the committee and were instructed to tell who he was and who he represented. Vice president Cranley of the Mutual Life was the first witness. He said every policy holder was given a proxy blank to sign or not as he saw fit and said and said that he (Cranley) and the other officers held many proxies.

## Russian Suicides

**Scrapps News Association**  
Moscow Sept. 6.—A nephew of Mrs. Witte, wife of the Russian peace envoy today shot a girl and then committed suicide.

Knotsaki, who was a member of the dragoons, had four brothers die under similar circumstances. The girl was instantly killed.

## Rioting Continues

**By Scrapps News Association**  
St. Petersburg, Sept. 6.—Street fighting in Kishineff continues today. It is said that 20 soldiers were killed. The flames in the Baku district are increasing with fury.

## Chicago Market

**By Scrapps News Association**  
Chicago, Sept. 6.—The grain market closed today as follows: Wheat, 80½; corn, 68½; oats, 25½.

## COUNTY OFFICERS AT WAR

**(Scrapps News Association)**  
Albuquerque N. M. Sept. 6.—Matters reached a crisis as a result of the removal by Governor Ciera of County Treasurer F. A. Hubbell, Sheriff Hubbell and County Superintendent Vigil and the appointment of Perfecto Armijo sheriff, Justo R. Armijo treasurer, and F. B. Stroup county school superintendent. The ousted officials refused absolutely to vacate. Today Judge Abbott, of the district court approved the bonds and recognized the commission of the new sheriff. The attorney for Hubbell has brought mandamus suits to compel the clerks to recognize Hubbell who refused to turn his office or the jail over to the new sheriff. The new sheriff will attempt to take the office by force of arms. Both sides have an immense pull and an outbreak is feared.

## Gets Life Sentence

**By Scrapps News Association**  
Paducah, Ky. Sept. 6.—Mrs. Mary Brockwell, who killed her three children by administering poison to them, was sentenced to life imprisonment here today.

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