

# SPORT NEWS

## Fight Offer Is Explained

### Coffroth, Tijuana Promoter Tells Why Dempsey-Wills Fight Could Be Put on Successfully.

W. Coffroth, widely known promoter of bare knuckle bouts and prize fights, explained Monday his reason for offering to promote a Dempsey-Wills heavy-weight championship contest, according to a signed article in the San Francisco Chronicle. The subject was gone into by Coffroth in reply to a question by the Chronicle.

"Why can Tijuana and San Diego afford to offer half a million dollars for a boxing contest?"

"At least 30,000 persons would attend a Dempsey-Wills contest," he declared, which, figuring upon the basis of an average \$20 per person, would net \$600,000 from sales alone. In addition, he declared that other attractions, such as races, would be offered the visitors.

For the attendance he estimates 20,000 persons from California alone. He declared that 2000 from San Diego, 12,000 from Los Angeles and 5,000 from San Francisco would witness the fight. The remainder of the 30,000 was allotted to the other states of the union.

In touching upon one of the state advantages, he pointed out that two transcontinental railroads run into San Diego, thus giving ample railroad facilities. In southern California, he asserted, the highways could draw hundreds of tourists, and that ocean steamers would be chartered for voyagers to San Diego in the event of the fight.

Regarding facilities in San Diego would be ample, he said.

## EMMETT DEFEATED IN SECOND GAME

EMMETT, Ida.—Airtight pitching by Hetter for Jerome, coupled with 5 costly errors by Emmett, was responsible for the Lumberjacks' defeat here Monday afternoon by a score of 8 to 1 in the last of a two-game series for the championship of the state. Emmett took the first game Sunday afternoon by a score of 8 to 7 in a 11-inning game.

Although it was originally planned that in event the series was split by the two pennant contenders, a third game would be played at Jerome next Sunday. It was announced Monday night that a third game is improbable. As it now stands, the championship of the state is in the air, as Emmett and Jerome, by virtue of winning the championships of the Western Idaho and Southern Idaho leagues, were the most logical pennant contenders.

## Wagner Outpoints Dundee, Causing Sudden Death.

McALESTER, Okla. (A. P.)—Joe Lovall, 22, shortstop on a McAlester amateur team playing at Savannah, Okla., was struck over the heart by a batted ball that took a bad bounce. Lovall recovered the ball and whipped it to first for the start of a fast double play that cut off a man at the plate and retired the side.

Then he collapsed. When team mates reached him he was dead. The blow, physicians said, had paralyzed the muscles of his heart.

## Wagner Outpoints Dundee, Causing Sudden Death.

PHILADELPHIA, (A. P.)—Eddie "Kid" Wagner of Philadelphia decisively outpointed Johnny Dundee, world feather weight champion, in an eight round bout here Monday night, in the opinion of a majority of newspaper men at the ringside.

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Pittsburg	72	48	.604
Chicago	65	56	.541
St. Louis	59	63	.484
Brooklyn	57	62	.475
Philadelphia	49	79	.386
Boston	37	82	.311

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.	
New York	73	42	.641
Cleveland	66	54	.550
St. Louis	60	57	.513
Detroit	55	55	.502
Chicago	54	54	.500
Washington	50	61	.447
Philadelphia	51	66	.437
Boston	45	79	.391

## PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

No games scheduled yesterday—teams traveling.

### American League (Yesterday)

Chicago 2, Boston 0.  
Philadelphia 4, St. Louis 1.  
New York 10, Cleveland 2.  
Detroit 9, Washington 5.

### National League (Yesterday)

New York 8, Chicago 4.  
Philadelphia 12, St. Louis 11.  
Cincinnati 8-0, Boston 2-7.

### Exhibition Games (Yesterday)

Pittsburg 5, Williamsport 3.

## National League Today

Chicago 4, New York 1.  
Cincinnati 4, Boston 1.

Correct this sentence: "I'll fight him at any time," declared the champion; "no guarantees; winner take all."

## Clackamas Pupils Gain.

SALEM, Ore.—There are a total of 1277 pupils enrolled in the high schools of Clackamas county, or an increase of 189 over the previous year, according to a report filed here today with the state superintendent of public instruction. The enrollment in the grades was 7420.

A total of 342 teachers are employed in the schools. Salaries of men teachers average \$150 a month and women teachers \$108 a month. There are 152 schools in the county.

Another report received by the state superintendent of schools today shows that there are 578 pupils enrolled in Jefferson county, with 48 teachers in charge. Men teachers receive an average monthly salary of \$151.36 and women teachers \$105.44.

It cost \$197,585.19 to conduct the schools of Jefferson county last year, of which amount \$45,532 was expended in the employment of instructors.

The cost of conducting the schools of Josephine county during the past year was \$171,457, of which amount \$104,562 were paid for teachers' salaries.

The enrollment in the schools at the end of the last term was 2021, with 100 teachers in charge. Of these teachers 90 were women.

## EDISON UNCHANGED ON COLLEGE VIEWS

MILAN, Ohio, (I. L. S.)—Revisiting his birthplace here for the first time in forty years, Thomas A. Edison revealed that time had not changed but rather emphasized his oft-expressed views on education and his doubts as to the efficacy of modern college curriculums in turning out men fitted to cope with present-day problems.

"Get 'em young and then let 'em alone," the great inventor told newspapermen. He was referring to children. After 14, he believes, there is no use in sending them to school.

"I have no more use for college graduates than I used to have—indeed, my theories regarding them have been confirmed and are stronger than ever," Edison continued. "They are most helpless when faced with mathematics. My last question—arithmetic. Any child ought to be able to answer them, but only 20 per cent of my applicants could find even approximately correct answers."

"The trouble is in the primary schools. Education should be made attractive to the little ones with moving pictures, perhaps, and other devices. Children should be taught be-

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