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## DEMPESEY BEGINS SECRET TRAINING

### Little Weight to Lose, Trainer Says—Chicago Pleased With Tunney

LINCOLN FIELD, CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 5 (AP)—Secret training began for Jack Dempsey today. The hubbub and comment on Dempsey's ring workouts while he was trying to perfect a shift to escape right hand swings has disturbed the former champion and his manager, Leo Flynn. Only newspapermen will be admitted to the race track camp now.

Dempsey yesterday visited for the first time the scene of his approaching title bout. The Labor Day celebration in the Soldier Field stadium attracted the former champion as he came to town to have dinner with his wife and he stopped long enough to make an appearance as referee in a boxing match on the Labor Day program.

Jack Gets Ovation  
The stadium held about 40,000 and an Dempsey entered he was greeted with an ovation. He was flanked by wild cheers and the throwing of hats and seat cushions.

For the next two days the former champion plans to take things easy. Two days of boxing and two days of rest appears to be Flynn's program.

"Jack is still eager to go," Flynn said, "and that's the way we want to keep him. The fight is more than two weeks away and Jack has very little more weight to lose."

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## ALLEN WINS OVER FLASHY HEBREW

### Benny Wolfe Unable to Avoid Rain of Blows—Semi-Final Draw.

Flashing a steady attack that resulted in three knockdowns in the seventh, eighth, and tenth rounds, Delmer Allen, La Grande welterweight, won a clear-cut decision from Benny Wolfe, Philadelphia, in the main event of the Labor Day boxing card here last night.

The fights, staged before a full house, were declared to be the best this city has witnessed in several months.

Allen's victory over the Hebrew will undoubtedly open the way for his appearance in Portland, Spokane and other large Oregon local fairs and promoters desire Wolfe, with an excellent record and with victories over some of the leading fighters in this part of the country, has fought in Denver, Portland and other metropolitan centers and his loss to Allen by such a large margin, adds much to the La Grande box's prestige.

During the first seven rounds of the match honors were about even, with the flashy Jew landing many blows on Allen, who sneered his opponent a number of times also. Too many blows and clever defensive tactics on the part of the out-of-town pugilist, kept Allen from scoring a knockout.

Most ringers expected Allen to win the last four rounds by a large margin, with the others about even, unless the fourth fight be given to Wolfe.

But outwitted Benny five and a half pounds, entering the ring at 142 to his opponent's 136 1/2. His aggressiveness and strength actually won the battle his way. After the Hebrew found that he could not hurt Allen with his lightning jab, he was more wary about exposing himself with the result that Allen landed few solid punches except on the body. Several smashing two-fisted attacks to Wolfe's head, however, rocked him and sent him to the canvas.

Robinson, Birkwell Even  
The semi-final six-round event between Tiger Bob Robinson, of San Jose, Cal., and Kid Birkwell, of Eugene, Ore., ended in a draw with fans declaring it to be one of the best bouts on the card. The Californian smacked Birkwell to the canvas in the first round but the Eugene lad was up before the referee could get a count started and was being into his taller adversary. In the succeeding rounds Birkwell made up for the first round and fought himself into a draw.

Both were aggressive and Birkwell was particularly adept in infighting. Robinson resorting mainly to punching at a longer range.

Ford Knys Lovell  
The Frito Ford-Kid Lovell special event ended in the second round when the La Grande boy won over the Enterprise lad by a technical knockout. The bell at the end of the first round saved Lovell, as he took a count of ten before the crowd realized that the bell had punctuated the count.

Lovell, with a crouch and a good defense, presented a problem to Ford for a minute or so, but Flynn managed to slip the way for a couple of wallops and from then on the outcome was never in doubt. Lovell came out of his corner fighting in the second round but was unable to weather Ford's attack.

George Wins Opener  
Joe George defeated Bud Woodfin in a four-round preliminary that brought the crowd to its feet more than once. Both boys give each other everything they had but in the final rounds, George's coolness and a slightly longer reach turned the tide his way. He was able to beat Woodfin to the punch most of the time.

The scrap started off at a fast pace and slowed up very little until it came to an official end. O. D. Scott refereed all bouts and his decisions met with the approval of the crowd in each case.

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## By the Associated Press

The inspirational dash of the Giants toward the top of the standing today had brought John McGraw's club from a poor fourth to within one game of the pace-making Pittsburg Pirates.

Holiday double headers yesterday resulted in three of the first division teams breaking even while Pittsburg was being set back twice, by Cincinnati.

The Giants loved before the Boston Braves, 6-1, before they came back for a victory in the second, 3-8.

Atty and Donohue pitched Cincinnati to its twin triumph over Pittsburg by scores of 9-6 and 4-2, respectively.

## Lefty Winsert Wins

Manager Joe McCarthy, of the Chicago Cubs, played a long short against St. Louis and sent Lefty Winsert, just acquired from the San Francisco Missions, to the opening game. Winsert held the world champions to five hits and turned in a 9-1 victory. St. Louis took the next game by a 2-0 score.

Brooklyn dropped both games to the tall-end Phillies, 6-1, and 5-1. Cy Williams smashed out his twenty-fifth and twenty-sixth homers of the year.

## The American League's star holiday attraction was staged at Boston where the Red Sox carried the Yankees in hand in the first game and then trimmed the leaders 13-11. The Yankees won handily in the second game, 5-0.

Conde Mack's Philadelphia Athletics strengthened their hold on second place by trimming Washington, 2-1 and 3-0.

Chicago and Detroit split. Thomas blanking the Tigers in the opener, 6-0 and Detroit winning the next, a slugging match, 10-9.

Cleveland and St. Louis broke even. The Indians squeezed out a 7-8 win in the first game and Halton headed Backs in the second game, St. Louis gaining a 3-2 decision.

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## Pendleton High Football Squad Starting Work

PENDLETON, Ore., Sept. 6.—High school starts today and with it starts the annual gridiron year. Coach Quinn will start his eleven off the first day in roundabout fashion. Graduates took a heavy toll of the 1926 eleven and the team will have to draw heavily from his spares of last year and new material.

The line suffers heaviest from tackle to tackle. Lang, Holts, Young, Alberts, Hind are lost to the squad this year. Meyer and Cronin will be back Cronin worked at center during the season and Meyer at guard and tackle.

The ends were left intact with Fish, Halverson, Carden and Irwin returning. The backfield will be minus Jones, Rutback, and possibly Tuter. Miller and Klum, lettermen, will be back for duty.

Quinn had some other promising candidates for line and backfield coming up from the Yarnall game of last year.

## The Only Excitement Left In the American League



## MARINE RAINIERI WINS DECISION OVER RYKER

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Sept. 6 (AP)—Marine Rainieri, Great Falls, Mont., won a ten-round decision over Hank Ryker, of Seattle, in the main event of Labor Day boxing card here last night.

Ryker was on the floor for the nine count in the final frame.

Johanne Pousette, of Klamath Falls, and Jack O'Malley, of Spokane, went six rounds in the semi-windup. The referee's draw decision was unpopular as most of the fans thought Pousette had earned an easy victory.

## Seattle Takes 5-Inning Game From Portland

**PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE**

W.	L.	Pct.	
Oakland	101	65	.608
Seattle	90	71	.559
San Francisco	92	75	.551
Portland	81	68	.543
Sacramento	82	84	.494
Hollywood	77	89	.461
Mission	75	91	.450
Los Angeles	62	105	.367

By the Associated Press  
In a game cut short by rain in the fifth inning Seattle scored an easy 6-3 triumph over the Portland Beavers. The winners scored three times in the first frame and three times more in the third.

After dropping the first contest to the Missions 6-2, Hollywood came back to the second encounter to register a 6-5 win.

San Francisco and Los Angeles split a double bill with the Angels grabbing the first game 3-2 and the Seals taking the second 2-0.

The league-leading Cubs grabbed two easy contests from Sacramento, winning the first 2-0 and the second 9-3. George Rocher held the Senators to one hit in the first game.

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