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THURSDAY PROGRAMS

• National Broadcasting company program for Thursday night follows: 9, Texaco rounders; 9:30, Philco campfire program; 10 to 12, dance music.

KGW—Portland (491m-610kc) 8, KOMO program; 9, NBC; 11 to 12, auditions.

KGO—Oakland (384.4m-780kc) 8, drama, "The Crab;" 9, NBC.

KOIN—Portland (319m-940kc) 8, studio program; 9, Olsen mixed chorus; 10 to 10:30, Hawaiian trio.

KYA—San Francisco (352.7m-850kc) 8, music; 9, program; 10 to 12, dance orchestra.

KHJ—Los Angeles (358.8m-750kc) 8, "Early Birds; 9, concert; 10 to 12, orchestra and trio.

KFRC—San Francisco (454.3m-660kc) 8, concert; 10:10, dance music; 11:10, concert.

KFWB—Hollywood (361.2m-830kc) 8, program; 9, music; 10, dance orchestra.

KGA—Spokane (260.7m-1150kc) 8, studio program; 10 to 12, music.

KPO—San Francisco (422.3m-710kc) 8, Caswell program; 9, NBC; 10, dance music; 10:30, NBC.

KJR—Seattle (348.6m-860kc) 8, program; 9, symphony orchestra; 10 to 12, "A Night in Coffee Dan's."

KFI—Los Angeles (468.5m-640-150) 8, NBC.

KFON—Long Beach (241.8m-1240kc) 8, studio program; 10, string quartet; 10:30, piano recital; 11, orchestra.

KHQ—Spokane (370.2m-810kc) 8, Totem broadcasters; 9, NBC; 10 to 12, dance music.

KEX—Portland (277.6m-1080-kc) 8, program; 9, music; 10 to 12, dance frolic.

KOMO—Seattle (309.1m-970kc) 8, concert; 9, NBC; 10, "Ali Baba and His Forty Thieves; 11, orchestra.

EXPECT DEMPSEY TO FIGHT AGAIN

Heavyweight Elimination Tourney to Decide New World's Champion

NEW YORK, Aug. 1 (AP)—The heavyweights lacked a king today but the machinery for the selection of a successor to the throne was set up and ready for action.

By voluntary abdication rather than by force of a foeman's fists, Gene Tunney, who rose from the obscurity of a bank clerk to the prominence that awaits the king of fighters, has vacated his throne and returned to private life. He becomes the second heavyweight title holder to decide that the ring holds nothing more for him but unlike the confusion that followed the retirement of Jim Jeffries in 1905, Gene leaves behind him, as a heritage, a well ordered plan designed to choose from all the contenders a logical successor to the crown.

Elimination Tourney

Into the hands of Tex Rickard the retiring champion has placed the responsibility of conducting an elimination tournament, international in scope, out of which, he hopes, will come the man most fitted to wear the now discarded robes of fistic royalty. As another parting gift, Tunney will place in the hands of a committee of 26, headed by Rickard and William Muldoon, 82-year-old New York state athletic commissioner, a trophy on which will be inscribed the names of each predecessor and successor to Gene's crown.

Even as Tunney's retirement became known, the shadow of the old Manassa Mauler, Jack Dempsey, fell once more across the heavy weight picture, and ominous sight for front rank contenders.

Beaten twice by Tunney, Dempsey announced his own retirement from the ring some months ago, but with Tunney, his arch nemisis, no longer as an obstacle there were many who thought that the great slugger would reconsider and that before another year has passed the conqueror of Willard, Firpo, Carpentier, Brennan and Gibbons, once more would be found in his corner, scowling ferociously at an opponent.

Dempsey Seems Best Bet

There are few who seriously doubt that Dempsey, despite his age, still can defeat virtually every heavyweight contender now on the horizon. When the Manassa Mauler decided upon a come-back after he was relieved of his crown by Tunney at Philadelphia in 1926, he was pitted against Jack Sharkey, then considered the man most likely to knock Gene's title from his his head. Dempsey knocked out Sharkey in seven rounds and then came within an ace of regaining his title from Tunney at Chicago, flooring the champion in the seventh round, the first time Gene ever had been knocked down.

Just now Dempsey is tied up in a theatrical venture with David Belasco until spring. When that contract is fulfilled there is at least a chance that he will return to the ring and see if his second come-back cannot terminate more successfully than did his first.

Six or Seven

Rickard plans to begin his elimination series next month, drawing his candidates from among such fighters as Johnny Risko, Tom Heeney, Paulino Uzcudun, Sharkey, Knute Hansen and Phil Scott.

Rickard apparently has left one man out of the picture who is determined to crash into it—Tommy Loughran, light heavyweight title holder. Tommy announced at Wildwood, N. J., that he would file with the New York and Pennsylvania boxing commissions his claim for the vacant title. He added he would be willing to fight through any elimination tournament that might be staged.

DEMPSEY NOT CERTAIN

BOSTON, Aug. 1 (AP) — Jack Dempsey may, like the man who knocked the crown off his head, be through with the fight game forever, but he isn't quite certain. And what is more, he isn't entirely convinced that Gene Tunney is serious in his announced retirement.

Jack left Boston today after having been accorded one of the most tumultuously enthusiastic ovations given a prize fighter, active or retired, here in years.

A delighted mob of 5,000 was on hand at the South station late yesterday when the train pulled in and the former heavyweight champion of the world arrived to act as an announcer at the bout in which Ernie Schaaf defeated Harold Mays at Braves field later in the evening.

A police escort had to clear the way while Dempsey drove to a hotel and when he reached the ringside 20,000 fans, the biggest fight crowd of the season, gave him a vociferous welcome.

Before the bout Dempsey discussed Tunney's retirement and his own plans. "It is a shame that Tunney is quitting just now when he is at the top of his fighting career," the Manassa Mauler declared. "I can say, however, that Gene's retirement will not affect my plans in any way.

"Right now, I don't feel as if I could fight again. Of course, I have changed my mind more than any man in the world. I guess, so if you pay any attention to what I say, you're crazy. But the way I feel now I won't make a comeback.

"How can Rickard give Tunney's title away," he asked in commenting on the proposed arrangement for picking the next king of the heavyweights. "Titles are won and lost in the ring, and I don't want a title I don't have to fight for. But say, if this new show of mine flops, you cant' tell—I may be back."

Stars Climb To Leading Berth; Portland Wins

Pacific Coast League Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
Hollywood	21	9	.700
Sacramento	20	10	.667
San Francisco	18	12	.600
Oakland	16	14	.533
Mission	15	15	.500
Los Angeles	13	17	.433
Portland	10	20	.333
Seattle	7	23	.233

By the Associated Press

Mickey Heath's timely homer in the tenth not only gave Hollywood the first game of the series with the Missions but also put them into the upper berth of league averages.

While the Stars were winning 4 to 3 in a close fast game, Sacramento, league leaders for some weeks, fell to a batting barrage of Oakland 7 to 6. For seven innings the Star-Bells game was a pitching duel between McCabe and Pillette then with the Bells having the game virtually cinched, 3 to 1 in the ninth, Hollywood scored twice to tie. Batteries: Holvey and McCabe, Bassler; Pillette, Baldwin.

Oak Rally Wins

With a four-run lead in the ninth Sacramento had counted another victory until the Oaks came at bat. Even then two men were out and the bases empty before the barrage started that netted five runs and the victory. Batteries: Cooper, Pallas, Dumovich, and Daglia, Lombardi and Read; Gould and Kunz, Koehler.

Dutch Ruether won easily for San Francisco from Los Angeles 7 to 2, featured principally by Averill's homer. Batteries: Ruether, Sprinz; Barfoot and Weathersby Sanberg.

Knight Wins for Beavers

Jack Knight brought the Beavers another victory, his third consecutive, this time from Seattle, 8 to 1. His wild pitch gave the Indians their only run. Batteries: Knight, Whitney; Cole, Cox and Collard, Ainsworth.

Today's games: Los Angeles at San Francisco; Missions at Hollywood; Oakland at Sacramento and Seattle at Portland.

Hager Resigns As Head Coach Of Oregon State

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Aug. 1 (Special)—The report yesterday that he had resigned as head basketball coach at Oregon Agricultural college, was verified today by R. H. (Bob) Hager, who has been head basketball coach since 1923.

Oregon Golfers To Play Calfornians

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 1 (AP)—Six of Oregon's best golfers have been selected to meet a team from California Saturday and Sunday at the Lake Oswego country club.

The Oregon men are H. Chandler Egan, Frank Dolp, Rudie Wilhelm, Dr. O. F. Willing, and Don and Roy Moe. California will be represented by Dr. Paul Hunter, Jack Neville, Bill Campbell, Charles Seaver, Harry Eichelberger and Phillips Finley.

YANKEES VICTOR IN WILD CONTEST

Athletics, However, Make It Nine Straight by Defeating Browns

By Herbert W. Barker
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

Groggy and reeling from a succession of rude blows suffered since they invaded the west, the Yanks temporarily at least have checked a promising losing streak—promising, that is, to the rest of the American league.

After taking three straight on the chin at Cleveland, the champions turned on their tormentors yesterday and beat the Indians, 12 to 9, in a wild battle. This victory profited the Yanks nothing, however, except to keep the Philadelphia Athletics riding the crest of an eight-game winning streak, five and a half games away from them in the standings.

Athletics Take Another

The Athletics apparently have the St. Louis Browns number for the fourth straight day and the ninth straight time, the A's beat the Browns, this time by 8 to 4. Six home runs featured the battle, two by Haas and four by the Mackmen.

Taking over the Boston Red Sox, 7 to 2, the Detroit Tigers registered their seventh victory in their last eight games.

Ted Blankenship blew up in the eighth inning when the Washington Senators scored four runs but the Chicago White Sox already had piled up a six-run lead and won, 7 to 5.

The St. Louis Cardinals stretched their National league lead to five games by pounding the Phillies into submission, 18 to 5, getting 16 of their runs in four successive innings. Sand, Philly shortstop, pulled one of the prize "boners" of the season when, thinking there were three out in the fifth inning, he threw the ball into the diamond, Hafey scoring all the way from first base.

Jakie May weakened in the late innings and Brooklyn beat the second place Reds, 3 to 2.

Giants Win and Lose

The New York Giants and Chicago Cubs divided two at the Polo grounds. The Giants won the first, 8 to 7, by scoring five runs in the ninth inning, and the Cubs won the nightcap, 10 to 4.

Meadows and Brame were hit hard at Boston where the Braves downed the Corsairs, 11 to 5.

Major league standings follow:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	70	21	.653
Philadelphia	64	36	.640
St. Louis	52	52	.500
Cleveland	47	55	.461
Washington	46	57	.447
Chicago	45	56	.446
Detroit	42	57	.424
Boston	38	60	.388

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	63	36	.636
Cincinnati	59	41	.590
New York	54	40	.574
Chicago	58	44	.569
Brooklyn	50	48	.510
Pittsburg	48	47	.505
Boston	28	62	.311
Philadelphia	24	67	.264

PADDOCK OUT IN SEMI-FINAL THIS MORNING

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 1 (AP)—Charlie Paddock, American sprint star, was eliminated in the first 200 meter semi-final Olympic event today. The track was soggy and a drizzling rain was falling.

Percy Williams, the Canadian star who swept to a brilliant victory in the 100 meter final on Monday, won the heat.

The Canadian 100 meter champion flashed a splendid performance on the wet track, covering the distance in 22 seconds flat and beating Walter Rangely of Great Britain, by three yards.

Jacob Schuller, of Germany, was third, with Paddock unable to get up with the leaders at any stage and finishing badly.

With yesterday's events over, the count on points last night was: U. S. 71, Great Britain 29, Sweden 21, Germany 18, Canada 13, Ireland 10, France 5, Haiti 5, Italy 4, Philippines 3, South Africa 2, Japan 1, Holland 1.

JUMPING DAYS OVER

SAN FRANCISCO—The petrified skeleton of a frog which may have done its jumping in the Eocene period was found at a depth of 355 feet by workmen sinking a shaft in the construction of San Francisco's acqueduct system.

ENDS SLEUTHING CAREER

LONDON—"The Nemesis of the Toughs" has retired from Scotland Yard. He is William Rixon, divisional detective inspector who won the title through his 26-year record as a member of the celebrated police force.

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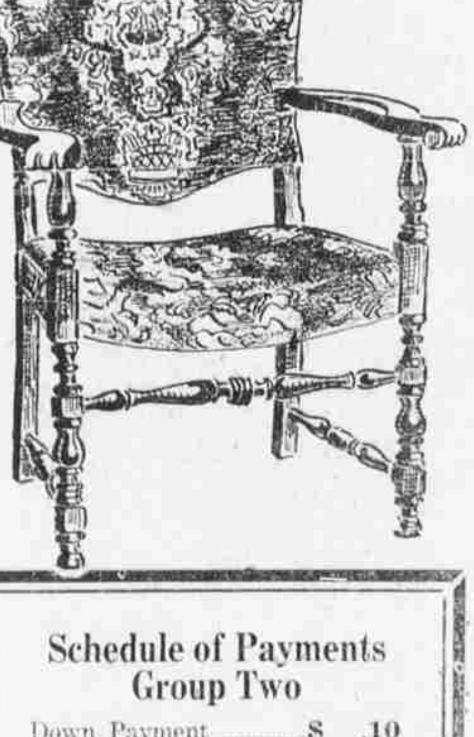

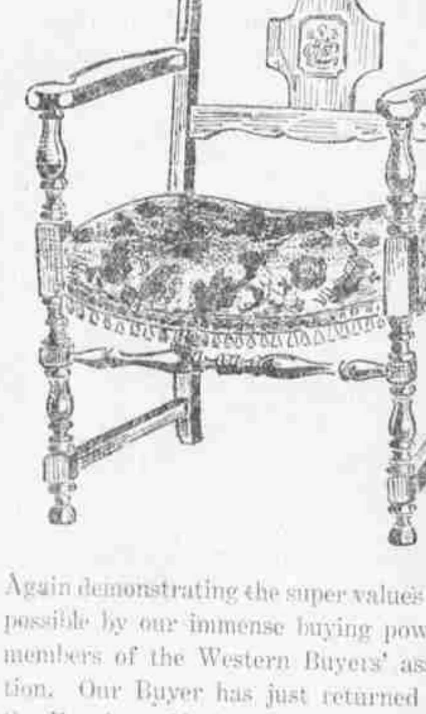

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