

NELSON IS WINNER, CLIFFORD NOT OUT

Loser Demands Fight Continue, but Referee Says Police May Step In.

ONLY FIVE ROUNDS FOUGHT

Angry Crowd at Oklahoma City Wants Money Back When Fight Is Given Nelson on Mere Knockdown Blow.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., June 22.—Battling Nelson was awarded the decision over Jack Clifford in the fifth round of what was to have been a 15-round bout fought here.

Referee Dave Porteus stopped the fight when Clifford had been knocked to the floor by a heavy jab in the stomach. He said he feared Clifford would be hurt and the authorities interfere. Clifford arose after the count of five, however, and demanded that the fight continue. The disappointed crowd, however, was not to be trifled with. They demanded that their money be refunded. The fight by rounds:

Round 1. Clifford drew blood from Nelson's nose almost at the start with a straight right. Clifford landed twice on Nelson's face and they clinched. Nelson came to the face and both exchanged a clinch.

Round 2. Both clinched at the start. Clifford landed right to the face, but received right and left to the kidneys. Nelson rushed, playing on Clifford's body. Clifford missed right to the face as the going rang.

Round 3. Clifford landed right and left to face and, rushing, planted right on Nelson's body. Bill Hayward, referee, stepped in, bringing cheers from the crowd.

Round 4. Clifford landed on Nelson's body, but Nelson got both left and right into Clifford's face. They exchanged light taps and Clifford caught Nelson's right to the jaw. Nelson ducked a vicious right and swung to Clifford's face.

Round 5. They clinched and Nelson had the better of the in-fighting. Nelson jabbed Clifford in the stomach, sending him to the floor. Porteus waved the men apart and gave the decision to Nelson.

WORLD BEATERS TO COMPETE

Exciting Race Expected in 100-Yard Dash at Seattle Meet.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 22.—Thomas G. McDonald, physical director of the Seattle Athletic Club, has issued a call for candidates for the track team to meet at the clubrooms, tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock, to talk over plans for the coming meet. Bill Hayward, the trainer secured from the University of Oregon, will be there to meet the men and outline plans for the training season.

According to a letter written by President Sullivan, of the A. A. U., Walker, the wonderful sprinter from South Africa, who insists that he has done the 100 yards in 9.5 seconds, and Jimmie Rector, the flyer from Virginia, who was defeated by Walker in the Olympic games in London, are both coming to take part in the A. A. U. championship games in Seattle, in August.

Jack Nelson, who is credited with a mark of 9.2, and who has probably set even time six days a week, will wear the colors of the Seattle Athletic Club, and George Capron says he will have his younger brother, Ralph, who is from Minneapolis to meet the world's best, so the three should be things doing in the sprints worth going to see.

JOHNSON AFTER KAUFFMAN

Coming to Coast for Match Before Ketchel Clinches One.

BOSTON, June 22.—Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion, will call off his match with Tony Ross at Pittsburgh, and will go from Boston to the Pacific Coast, according to a statement tonight. Johnson is anxious to clinch a match with Al Kaufman before Stanley Ketchel accepts Kaufman's terms.

Yale Defeats Princeton

NEW YORK, June 22.—Yale defeated Princeton today, 5 to 2, and thus won the deciding game of the series. Yale was better off the bat, in the field and in the box than Princeton, outclipped by poor support. White pitched a game for Princeton. Van Vleet pitched for Yale for seven innings, giving way to Merritt in the eighth. Score: Yale.....5 1 1 Princeton.....2 5 5. Batters: Van Vleet, Merritt and Sweet; White and Dawson.

CALKINS PAPERS SOLD

Portland Man Buys One of Syndicate Publications.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 22.—Several of the Calkins Syndicate publications were sold today in bankruptcy court before Referee J. J. Green. Henry Kaplan, of this city, purchased the Pacific Miner for \$500; G. C. Satch bought Orchard and Farm for \$150; J. Crofton, of Portland, gave \$150 for the Wholesale & Retailers Review, and the California Co-operative Investment Company acquired the Trade Journal for \$50.

The Truckee Republican also will be sold and the Fresno Herald and Sacramento Union are to be disposed of by agreement between the trustees and the Union Trust Company, which has a lien of \$175,000 on Calkins' securities.

SAY MINE MISREPRESENTED

French Buyers of Stock Make Charges Against Americans.

PARIS, June 22.—The French purchasers of stock in the Mexican mine in which Christopher G. King, American consular agent at Chihuahua, is interested, charge misrepresentation on the part of King, Arthur and Laurence Schell, American engineers formerly of California, and King's brother-in-law, W. Landrieux. The defendants deny the allegation.

AMERICA GETS LOAN SHARE

Will Have Rights to 20 Per Cent of Chinese Loan.

NEW YORK, June 22.—It is understood in financial circles interested in the loan of \$25,000,000 to China for the construction of the Hankow-Sze-Chuen Railroad that America, while insisting on her rights to participate in this loan has offered, in order to make matters easier for the holders concerned in Great Britain, France and Germany, to accept 20 per cent of the loan as her share.

Furthermore, the right under the convention with China to appoint an engineer or auditor of the line is conceded to America.

JAPAN IN FAVOR OF AMERICA

Tokio Bankers Believe United States Should Share in China Loan.

TOKIO, June 22.—Members of the Cabinet, bankers and prominent business men of Japan, when interviewed today, unanimously said, with evident sincerity, that they would welcome the proposed introduction of American capital in the Far East in connection with the building of the Hankow Sze-Chuen Railroad. They declared that America is entitled to share in the railroad construction in China.

Prominent financiers are discussing the organization of a strong Japanese company for the purpose of supplying material and engineering supplies for the proposed railway in China and elsewhere in the Far East.

BANK FUNDS WERE USED

WITNESS IN LEWISTON CASE SAYS CHAPMAN TOLD HIM.

Defense Puts In No Testimony and Commissioner Takes Case Under Consideration.

LEWISTON, Idaho, June 22.—(Special.)—The features of the preliminary examination of J. B. Chapman, formerly of the Lewiston National Bank, charged with complicity in the bank defalcations, was the evidence of Joseph A. Richards, in which he related a conversation held with Chapman shortly after the irregularities in his account were discovered.

Richards stated on the witness stand today that Chapman had acknowledged that he had used the bank's funds for his own personal investments, but had returned the money after a few days. The Government introduced evidence on five counts to show where alleged defalcations had been made, after which the certificates would be cashed.

Evidence was also introduced that Chapman had paid on Chapman's books over \$100,000, and the bank had been compelled to turn over the money. One account, in which drafts on the Bank of California, of Portland, were involved, showed the aggregate amount issued on the Portland Institute in one day was \$108,27 while the books showed only \$100,000, making a shortage of \$8,270; yet the books maintained by the former teller balanced within a few cents.

The Government closed its case late today. The defense declined to offer testimony, and the case went to this Commissioner without argument. A decision will be rendered in the morning, after which the examination of C. W. Robnett, former bookkeeper, will be commenced.

NEW ROADS FOR IDAHO

SHORT LINE OFFICIALS INCORPORATE LEMHI LINE.

Propose to Build Along Salmon and Snake Rivers to Lewiston, With Branches.

POCATELLO, Idaho, June 22.—(Special.)—The Oregon Short Line officials have filed articles of incorporation here of the Lemhi & Salmon Valley Railroad Company, with \$5,000,000 capital stock, \$575,000 of which is subscribed.

The head of the new company is W. H. Bancroft, vice-president and general manager of the Oregon Short Line. The other incorporators are: J. M. Davis, William Ashton, Parley L. Williams and W. R. Armstrong, who are connected with the Oregon Short Line in various capacities. Mr. Ashton is named as vice-president of the Lemhi road, and C. H. Jenkins as treasurer. Mr. Jenkins is also treasurer of the Oregon Short Line.

The Lemhi road will be constructed from a point near Cerra Grande, on the Mackay branch of the Oregon Short Line, north toward Salmon, Idaho, 198 miles, thence along the courses of Salmon and Snake rivers, 380 miles to Lewiston, Idaho. From Salmon a branch will be constructed to Challis, 52 miles. The total mileage to be constructed in Idaho will reach 535 miles.

NAVAL SCANDALS TOLD

REPORT ON CONDITIONS IN FRANCE MADE PUBLIC.

Obsolete Guns in Use, Faulty Ammunition Manufactured and Dry-docks All Too Small.

PARIS, June 22.—The report of the Parliamentary committee that investigated the naval scandals in France has been turned in. It is a large, detailed denunciation of the naval administration for the last ten years, and it makes an exposure of the deplorable condition of the fleet for which France has spent \$700,000,000 since 1880.

The report is filled with details of the inefficiency resulting from confusion and red tape, conditions that make French naval construction cost 25 per cent more than English or German. It is pointed out that the manufacture of cast iron shells of large caliber, condemned after the accident to the battleship Iona, continued in larger quantities than ever for over two years.

The Patrie, the Republique and other ships of this class were found equipped with secondary guns of a model of 1885 instead of 1902, as the specifications call for. Neither the guns nor ammunition of the six ships of the Danton type, to be completed in 1911, will be ready before 1914, and France has not a single iron dock capable of accommodating these vessels when they are finished.

GIRL LOSES HER CLOTHING

Colored Hold-up Women Mistreated Tacoma Stenographer.

TACOMA, Wash., June 22.—(Special.)—Attacked by two colored hold-up women and stripped of all her outer clothing, Miss Nellie Wood, a stenographer, is suffering a severe nervous shock.

The young woman was on her way home from a church social and was within a few blocks of her home when the two women sprang out from a clump of bushes, held up the girl on the sidewalk in only her waist and underclothes.

MAY DRIVE JAPS OFF PLANTATIONS

Planters Propose Drastic Measures to Prevent Repeated Strikes.

MAKE STRIKERS HOMELESS

Trial of Conspirators Begins in Honolulu—Labor May Be Imported From Europe—Charges of Spaniards Denied.

HONOLULU, June 22.—The work of getting a jury to try five of the Japanese strike leaders charged with conspiracy in connection with the strike of laborers on the sugar plantations began today.

Several of the leaders stated today the strike would be resumed on the Ewa and Waiata plantations July 1, when they would again call out 300 Japanese who have returned to work. They declared that all the Japanese in the islands are affiliated in the large organization.

Representatives of the planters declare that if the strike is resumed, they will enable those who support the strike, the strikers will be ordered off the plantations. This would mean that the Japanese would have to vacate the homes furnished by the planters and would be homeless.

The Japanese training squadron is expected here tomorrow. The planters' association has received from its agent at Washington, D. C., a letter regarding a plan to import efficient labor from Europe through immigration channels.

Sugar planters here resent the statements of a number of Spaniards who departed from the islands some time since and are reported stranded in San Francisco, where they complained of unfair treatment. The planters declare that the men were given homes, lands, wages and other perquisites usually granted to plantation laborers, and that they left against the advice of the Spanish Consul to go to Mexico, lured by false promises.

ROW MAY DESTROY SCHOOL

Governor Brady Urged to Probe Trouble at Moscow.

BOISE, Idaho, June 22.—(Special.)—The trouble between the State Board of Control and the University of Idaho and the experimental station staff has grown to such an extent that friends of the Agricultural College fear the institution might be destroyed, at least temporarily, unless some action is taken by Governor Brady.

The chief executive is being urged to cause an investigation, and practically by the friends of Professor French, whose resignation as head of the school brought many sensational charges and who, in turn, giving reasons for his action, directed that the agricultural funds of the college had been misappropriated under the direction of President MacLean, of the university. Governor Brady stated that he was carefully considering various phases of the controversy as presented to him, but made no announcement as to whether he would cause an investigation.

GENTEEL ROBBER ESCAPES

Robs Texas Bank of \$8100 and Makes Clever Getaway in Crowd.

FORT WORTH, Tex., June 22.—A highwayman described as genteel in appearance robbed the branch banking-house of the Washington Bank & Trust Company, in the center of Fort Worth's business section, this afternoon, and escaped with \$8100 in currency. The bank cashier, Walter E. Kink, was alone in the bank when a well-dressed stranger walked in, leveled a revolver at Kink and said:

"Make a move or a noise of any kind and I'll kill you." The thief took possession of the cash, ranging from \$1 to \$20, and backed out of the door under cover of a telephone booth. He was walking down the street and mingling with the crowds with apparent unconcern. The cashier would have called the police but for the fact that he was alone. The police believe he is still in the city.

JAPS PROMISED WELCOME

Ambassador O'Brien Assures Tokio of Reception of Business Men.

TOKIO, June 22.—Ambassador Thomas J. O'Brien, and Count Komura, the Japanese Foreign Minister, have exchanged friendly notes regarding the approaching visit of a large delegation of Japanese business men to the United States.

Ambassador O'Brien extended to the Minister of Foreign Affairs assurances of the warmest welcome of the entire Pacific Coast to the commercial delegation from Japan. In reply, Count Komura thanked O'Brien, and said he was confident that the visit would result in a better understanding between the commercial interests of the two countries, and would improve relations politically.

DEPUTY SHOTS BURGLAR

Lone Highwayman Killed by Officer at Cle Elum.

TACOMA, Wash., June 22.—A special to the News from Cle Elum, Wash., says: Frank Haight, Deputy Sheriff here, shot and almost instantly killed an unidentified man early this morning after he had burglarized three saloons and attempted to enter a fourth. The man had a jimmy in his possession, and some of the coins found on him were recognized as money that had been taken from one of the saloons.

MORPHY COMING TO SING

Man With Loudest Voice in World Will Appear at Oaks.

Bert Morphy, not Murphy, he wants it understood, the man who says he sings "to beat the band," is coming next Saturday to do stunts for four days at The Oaks.



June, with its Summer girl, compels closer attention to dress, particularly the head and feet, and of course your linen. Special attention is called to our Beaver Straws at\$3

Lion Special Shoes at \$4
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Oaks. This Irishman from Dublin is said to have the biggest voice in the world. It is a baritone with a peculiar penetrating quality and can be heard, it is said, from top of a nine-story building amidst all the din of the street.

Morphy has figured in numberless prominent public affairs. He was a feature at the unveiling of the McKinley monument, and was also McKinley's campaign singer. He is the only man who has ever featured with a circus in the Madison-Square Garden. He always sings with a band accompanied by the large orchestra.

Morphy is proud of his remarkable memory. He says there is not one person he has met since his boyhood that he cannot recognize and call by name.

G. A. R. DEMANDS PROBE

SOLDIERS' HOME AFFAIRS TO BE INQUIRED INTO.

Claim Is Made of Extravagance in Building Operations at Port Orchard.

TACOMA, June 22.—Demanding that a special committee be named by the Legislature to replace the State Board of Control in carrying on building operations at the new Port Orchard Soldiers' Home, the state encampment of the G. A. R. today voted unanimously for a thorough probe of the business affairs of the State Board of Control. A committee of three was appointed to present the resolutions of Governor Hay.

Officers were elected as follows: Department Commander, Lyman Banks, of Seattle; senior commander, A. S. Burbank, of Cashmere; junior vice-commander, N. E. Lindsay, of Spokane; medical director, Dr. R. B. Freeman, of Spokane; chaplain, C. D. Spencer, of Centralia; council administration, W. H. Wiscombe, of Spokane; R. J. Chase and George W. Tibbitts, of Seattle.

A Spokane man, probably be selected for the next convention.

BOARD COURTS FULL PROBE

Records at Olympia Show How State's Money Was Spent.

OLYMPIA, Wash., June 22.—(Special.)—The following telegram was sent today: "To State Encampment G. A. R., Care George H. Boardman, Department Commander, Tacoma. We respectfully request that you appoint a committee of your members to make a thorough investigation of all expenditures made by this board in connection with Washington Veterans' Home at Port Orchard. The books, records and vouchers are here at our disposal. (Signed) State Board of Control, Eugene Horton, chairman; H. E. Gilham, H. T. Jones."

This telegram was sent as a result of reports from Tacoma that the G. A. R. encampment had been the scene of attacks upon the Board of Control. Reports had it that charges were made that the board spent \$4000 at the new Veterans' Home for one building. The records here show the total appropriation was that amount, and the particular building, which is a dining-room to seat 500 persons, had been built for less than \$4,000.

The rest of the money included about \$900 for the purchase of land, \$100 more for construction of two cottages, about \$700 for installing a reservoir, water and trunk sewer system. The balance was used for surveys, for clearing and draining the land, building a wharf, furniture and supplies for the officers and employees, etc.

FISH POACHER PAYS FINE

Grand Jury in Clatsop County Returns True Bill.

ASTORIA, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—At today's session of the Circuit Court, the grand jury returned an indictment against Thomas Johnson, one of the gillnetters arrested by Deputy Sheriff Mark for fishing on Sunday, charging him with illegal fishing. Johnson pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 which he paid.

The grand jury also returned an indictment against Robert Davis charging him with assault with a dangerous weapon on Nels Peterson. The defendant was arraigned and allowed until tomorrow morning to plead.

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STEAMER NEAR TARGET

Passengers Become Excited While Under Fire of Big Guns.

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SECOND-STREET LOT SOLD

R. R. Nance and Associates Pay \$40,000 for Corner.

One of the best realty bargains of the year is recorded in the transfers of the week, showing the sale of the northeast corner of Second and Salmon streets for \$40,000. The record indicates a transfer of title from F. J. Richardson, president of the Terwilliger Land Company, to R. R. Nance, one of the proprietors of the Oregon Feed & Milling Company, but Mr. Nance states he and three others associated with him in the feed store have only obtained a four-year option on the site. Those represented with Nance on the deal are G. B. Bourhill, Peter R. Nance and his confederates in the transfer state they have already been offered a sum greatly in advance of the price paid by them for the site, which is \$6000. They intend, however, to retain the property and erect a six-story brick in a year or so.

'DRY BAR ROBBERY' FIASCO

Habeas Corpus Releases Men Charged With Entering Saloon.

OREGON CITY, Or., June 22.—(Special.)—Circuit Judge Eakin this afternoon released Ralph Cox and Fred Hampton on writs of habeas corpus, which were secured early in the afternoon by Mrs. M. A. Cox and Fred Hampton, mother and father, respectively, of the two young men.

Last October informations were filed against Hampton and Cox, charging them with breaking into Bernmoor's saloon at Canby. The town went dry in June, and the building was unoccupied, but was supposed to contain liquor. Two preliminary hearings of the two men were set for today, but when the case was called in Justice of the Peace Samson's court it was found that Deputy District Attorney Stipp had no evidence to introduce, and did not know just when he would have his witnesses and upon his application Judge Samson adjourned the hearing until June 29.

Attorneys C. Schuebel and O. D. Eby, representing Hampton and Cox, immediately applied for and obtained a writ of habeas corpus, and the two men were released from jail after Judge Eakin made the order. It will be necessary for the state to file a new information against them before they can be rearrested.

ORDERLY KILLS OFFICER

Russian Lieutenant and Two Women Struck Down With Ax.

RIGA, June 22.—Lieutenant Ershin, while sleeping, was beheaded with an ax today by an orderly. His wife and his wife's mother also were killed, after a struggle. The murderer made his escape.

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