

JACK'S BREAK WITH THE COMPLETE

Johnson to Pay ex-Manager \$16,500 in Full Settlement of Claims.

GOVERNOR CALMS FEARS

Nevada Executive Will Not Interfere So Long as License Fee Is Paid.

Jeffries Puts in Busy Training Day.

RENO, Nev., June 24.—One of the first things Jack Johnson did after his arrival here this afternoon was to issue a statement denying the report that he had reappointed George Little as his manager.

"Flanagan," he said, "is the man who is looking after my business interests and he will continue to do so until after the fight. There has been no change in my relations with Little, and I want to emphasize the fact that I've completely severed all connection with him."

Little Gets \$16,500.

Asked regarding the settlement he was reported to have made with Little, Johnson produced a legal document dated June 22, which he said was an agreement drawn up between himself and Little, whereby Johnson promises to pay Little the sum of \$16,500 to secure a release from Little of all claims the deposed manager may have against the champion.

One of the stipulations made in the agreement is that Johnson is to turn over to Little a diamond brooch valued at \$2000 upon Little's payment to him of "an additional \$1000."

Al Kaufman accompanied Johnson to Reno and will continue to act as his chief sparring partner.

A boxing platform has been put up near the camp and the champion is expected to use it tomorrow. He lounged about his quarters all afternoon, chatting with numerous visitors and supervising the unpacking of his baggage and training paraphernalia.

Governor Not to Interfere.

In view of continued talk of possible interference by the state authorities, Promoter Rickard has been much reassured by the receipt from Ely of the following telegram late today from Governor Dickerson:

"I am licensed under the laws of this state. My duties are to enforce laws, not to make them. There will be no interference from the Governor's office if the requirements of the law are complied with. This decision is irrevocable. You may use this telegram as you see fit."

D. S. DICKERSON, Lieutenant and Acting Governor of Nevada.

Johnson's trip here was calculated to cause him apprehension, if he is inclined to be superstitious.

When Jack left San Francisco last night, it was with the boxing gloves and the final words to the champion to speed him on his way. Twenty-three was the date of his departure. Early this morning in the snow-capped mountains, the train was delayed by a freight car's derailment in "tunnel 12," and when the champion and his party finally detrained here it was just 15 minutes past 1 o'clock, three hours after 10 A. M., the hour scheduled for his arrival and which figures another on all sides, no one blamed "hoodoo" combination he settled down in his training quarters here on a Friday.

Training Is Delayed.

Johnson did not follow out his plan to begin training operations this afternoon and in view of the sinister "dope" that was discussed on all sides, no one blamed him. Out at Jeffries' camp Bob Armstrong opined that the "charm" hanging over the champion was complete and that if he moved around too freely he would be sure to step on and demolish the collapsible chicken coop brought up for Johnson from San Francisco.

Reno gave the negro a hearty reception. There was a big crowd at the station and none had anything but the friendliest greetings for the champion who is to defend his title against the redoubtable James J. Jeffries. No time was lost by Tom Flanagan in taking Johnson and his party to the camp prepared for him at a roadside three miles southwest of this city. Jack, after a hasty glance around, said he was well pleased and complimented Flanagan on his choice of the location.

Jeff Puts in Hard Day.

Jim Jeffries topped off a hard day's work with a road run late this afternoon. He donned the boxing gloves for the first time here this morning, but scarcely struck a blow in the five rounds' sparring with Bob Armstrong and his brother Jack, as fast footwork on the rather slippery floor of the outdoor platform was thought dangerous. In the final round with Jack Jeffries invited him to swing to the jaw just as hard as he could. The big fellow protruded his side, and made two lusty right swings, both of which bounced off Jeffries' face without having the slightest effect. On the third try, Jeffries ducked and the punch landed over his left eye, which member is likely to be a trifle discolored tomorrow.

A crowd of close to a thousand gathered at the camp in the afternoon hoping to see more boxing, but Jeffries decided on a road jaunt. He went about six miles in a broiling hot sun, walking briskly when not indulging in short sprints at top speed.

Auto Stalled on Road.

Jeffries heard today from his automobile, which is being brought up from San Francisco. Because of an accident to the steering gear the car has been delayed en route, but is expected to land in the training camp tonight. The car contains the padding for an outdoor ring, which will be constructed immediately.

Little work was done on the arena today other than the hauling of lumber to the site and the digging of water holes. Rickard apparently is not greatly concerned over the lack of progress made in that direction. He is resting on the assurance of his contractor that, if necessary, the arena can be erected in four days.

Sullivan to Be Welcomed.

It is reported that John L. Sullivan will make another call at Jeffries' camp tomorrow, as a result of efforts now making to bring the two famous fighters together. William Muldoon, at one time Sullivan's trainer and who has come to Reno to see the big fight, had a long talk with Jeffries today, following which he said that Jeffries was not entirely in sympathy with the rabid Sullivan received from Corbett at Moana Springs yesterday.

accord John L. a friendly reception if the veteran calls again.

"ON LEVEL," SAYS BIG TIM

Stakeholder Surprised at Talk That Fight Is "Fixed."

NEW YORK, June 24.—State Senator "Big Tim" Sullivan, stakeholder for the Jeffries-Johnson fight, says there is no basis for the stories that the championship fight is "fixed." Senator Sullivan has been in Europe for several weeks and came home today on the Lusitania. Speaking of the fight, Sullivan said: "Reno is just as good a place for the fight as San Francisco. I'm sorry to hear all this talk about the fight being 'fixed.' From what investigation I have been able to make of the matter, I am of the opinion that the fight is absolutely on the level. I am holding \$71,000 of the fight money now, and \$50,000 more is to be placed in my hands 24 hours before the fight."

FRESNO GIVES UP BASEBALL

Club in State League Disbands, Two Players Going to Northwestern.

FRESNO, Cal., June 24.—After an unsuccessful attempt to raise a fund of \$1000 among the business men today, the members of four local baseball enthusiasts tonight threw up the sponge.

MANAGER AND PUGILIST WHOSE PERSONAL WAR IS RESUMED



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after raising \$775. This was the last straw in local State League circles and the Tigers have disbanded. Within 24 hours, the players will be scattered to all parts of the Pacific Coast. All but one have secured positions with professional or amateur teams. First Baseman Tracey has gone to Seattle and Pitcher Smith to Vancouver. The local team will not make the trip to San Jose for tomorrow's game.

BRAID GOLF CHAMPION

FOUR-TIME WINNER OF TITLE IS AGAIN VICTORIOUS.

D. J. Ross, Only American Competing in Scotch Tourney, Well Up at Finish.

SAINT ANDREWS, Scotland, June 24.—The open golf championship tournament was concluded today with a victory for James Braid, title holder of 1901, 1905, 1906 and 1908. Braid's aggregate score in the four rounds was 294.

Alek Herd was second with a score of 303, and G. Duncan third with 304.

D. J. Ross, of Massachusetts, and Willie Smith, of Mexico, were the only trans-Atlantic competitors. Both were well up at the finish, Ross having a score of 302. Smith, who was American open champion of 1909, broke the record of the links in the second round yesterday, scoring 71. This feat was duplicated by Duncan in the third round today. The half dozen amateurs competing were never prominent in the play.

FAVORITES AHEAD AT RYE, N. Y.

Travis and Travers Victorious in Eastern Golf Tourney.

RYE, N. Y., June 24.—Favorites survived the first and second round matches in the invitation golf tournament continued on the links of the Apawamis Club here today. Walter J. Travis, of Garden City, won from R. D. Lapham, of the local club, four up and two to play, and beat H. T. Hayne, of Yale, one up.

Jerome D. Travers, of Montclair, defeated John M. Ward, of Garden City, by four and three margin, and C. H. Brown, of Saegkill, three up and two to play.

GOLF RECORDS ARE SMASHED

Charles Evans, of Chicago, Lowers Mark on Nashville Course.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 24.—Two records for the golf and country club course here were smashed in the first matches of the invitation tournament at the Golf and Country Club today, when Champion Charles E. Evans, of Chicago, lowered the course record from 75 to 71, making the first half in 39 and the second in 32.

Heyburn of Louisville, in his match with Webby of this city, reduced the first half of the record from 39 to 37.

LOS ANGELES IS DISQUALIFIED

On Technically, California Golfers Lose Western Trophy.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—By the disqualification of the Los Angeles Country Club, announced here today, the Tom Morris memorial trophy goes to the Oakland City of Pittsburg. This statement was made by Charles F. Willard, secretary of the Western Golf Association.

Los Angeles turned in the lowest score, but was disqualified because A. H. Brady, who played on its team, was not included in the final entry sent in by President Frank Griffith.

Ashland Has Exciting Election.

ASHLAND, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—After a lively contest, in which over 500 votes were cast, the largest poll in the history of the district, C. B. Lamkin was elected a member of the Ashland City Board of Education to serve for five years. T. H. Simpson was re-elected as clerk. The board, which is now composed in the order of seniority of the following: G. E. Gibbanks, W. F. Loomis, L. L. Muir, J. P. Dodge and C. B. Lamkin, will have a number of important projects to handle, the principal one of which will be the erection of a high school building, for which the taxpayers recently voted a bond issue of \$15,000.

1 BOXED, 1 FIGHTER

London Delineates Two Pugilists Psychologically.

BIG WHITE MAN PRIMITIVE

Propensity to Look Ahead Indicates Mental Sub-Stratum of Fierce Racial Pride, Which Compels Subservience of Minor Aims.

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If Johnson should rush upon me in anger and with full intent to do me bodily injury, I feel that all I would have to do would be to smile and hold out my hand whereupon his hand would fall, mine and he, too, would smile. On the

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contrary, I am certain, if Jeffries rushed at me in wrath, that if I did not die of fright there and then, I should bite my veins and howl in maniacal terror.

Jeffries Fighter, Johnson Boxer.

The illustration may seem far-fetched, but it is just the way I feel and it serves to show the essential difference in the characters of the men. Jeffries is a fighter, Johnson is a boxer. Jeffries is more primitive, more ferocious, more terror-inspiring. He has the temperament of the fighter, Old Mother Nature in him is still red of fang and claw. He is more a Germanic tribesman and warrior of 2000 years ago than a civilized man of the 20th century with the civilized trade of boltermaker, and he has bridged the gap by turning pugilist and becoming the mightiest wallop of men in all the world.

Another thing, despite Jeffries' primitiveness, he is more disciplined than the other man, vastly more disciplined, as instance the rigid adjustment of action to a remote end when he began a year and a half ago and faithfully carried through the heroic course of training that put him in the superb condition he is in today.

Present Enough for Johnson.

Johnson, mastered by the moment, could make no such an adjustment. He would forget all about that remote end a year and a half away. The passing moments would tantalize him into a pursuit of immediate and momentary ends. It is safe to predict that if Johnson, at his present age, leaves the ring for two years, he can never possibly come back again. And by the same token, down in the heart of him, this fight does not mean to Johnson what it does to Jeffries.

If Johnson loses the fight, he won't be worried much. If Jeffries loses, he will break his heart. Under that dark and sombre seriousness that characterizes him there is a race pride of which he is intensely self-conscious. Then, too, there is the pride of himself as a man and as a subduer of men. Leaving out the world, he has pledged himself, to himself, to win this fight, and that pledge was voiced to the world, when, after stating that he was refraining from agreeing to fight Johnson until he could make certain that he was able to defeat him, he announced his certitude and signed the articles. Of one thing I am certain, the loss of any half-dozen of his other fights would be less of a blow to Jeffries than the loss of this coming fight with Johnson.

Jeffries' Training Tantalizes.

Jeffries' erratic selection of times for training and sparring is the despair of the fight fans and newspaper scribes. The whisper passes around that he is going to do things about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Long ere that time, the electric cars running to his quarters are packed and jammed and nothing happens.

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Jack London, Picturesque Novelist Whose Second Story of Reno's Preparations for Big Fight Is Published in Today's Oregonian.



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fight and his training, not theirs; and he knows what he wants and when he wants a whole Rockefeller. But they do. And right here the difference between the white champion and the black is manifested again.

WAGER ON JOHNSON IS MADE

Ex-Ball Player Takes Jeffries End of \$100 to \$50 Bet.

At least one man in Portland is supremely confident of Jack Johnson whipping Jeffries on the Fourth of July, for he bet a whole Rockefeller. It is a former professional baseball player \$100 to \$50 that the "smoke" would defeat the boltermaker. Mr. Richardson would not disclose the name of the man who made the bet with him but said that he was a former resident of Johnson's home town in Texas.

Richardson played ball for three years with the Ottumwa team of the Three-I league and later put in two seasons with the Oklahoma City team of the Southwestern League. Hugh McCredie, secretary of the Portland baseball club, was a member of that team at the time Richardson played there. "Young Cy Young was also a member of that team and at that time Hugh McCredie was considered the superior of Young as a pitcher.

Hugh McCredie, however, threw his arm out and was forced to retire as a pitcher. "Young Cy Young" is now with the Chicago White Sox of the American League and is one of the star performers of the big leagues. Mr. Richardson said if McCredie hadn't thrown his arm out he would now be in the big league.

PROTESTS FILL WASTEBASKET

Fight Can Be Held Under Protection of Nevada Law.

CARSON CITY, Nev., June 24.—Protests against the Jeffries-Johnson fight, both by mail and telegraph, continue to flood the office of Governor Dickerson, but so far as any effect they may have goes, they are promptly relegated to the wastebasket. The Governor does not intend to interfere with the fight in any way. This was the positive statement of his secretary today.

"This matter is final, as far as this office is concerned," said Deputy Attorney-General Fowler today. "The law is clear on the statute books. It provides that the Governor does not intend to interfere with the fight in any way. The only way to stop prize-fighting in Nevada is to pass legislation against it. The present law is on the side of those who favor prizefighting."

BULL PUP WINS DINGHY RACE

Three Boats of Oregon Club Have Interesting Contest on River.

Commodore H. F. Todd's Ducky, of the Oregon Dinghy Club's fleet, has a pair of rivals, for last night, in a race over the club course, both the Celt, owned by James Hazlett, and the Bull Pup, owned by Francis D'Arcy, ran away from the former winner and breezed in much in front of the Ducky. D'Arcy's Bull Pup won the race by a comfortable margin of two boat lengths over the Celt.

Only three craft were entered in last night's race. Nelson Dodge, owner of the Celt, had to be content with a second place. All three of the boats started abreast but the Bull Pup easily outdistanced the Celt. The Celt was in the stream end of the course and rounded the buoy in good shape. After rounding the buoy D'Arcy twisted the tiller handle of the Bull Pup and was forced to steer his craft with an oar.

On the up-river stretch, James Hazlett's Celt gained on the Bull Pup and with the Bull Pup at the bow, he was able to overtake the Bull Pup and won the race. This was the first time that the Ducky has been beaten. The fleet of the boats of the fleet of the Oregon Dinghy Club has now captured the commodore's flag.

TILLAMOOK LIKES GAME

GREENFIELD TEAM LEAVES FOR SERIES AT COAST TOWN.

Cheese City's Manager Spares No Expense in Importing Fast Clubs to Play.

For a series of three games with the fast Tillamook baseball team, the Greenfield team left for the coast town this morning for Tillamook. The team journeyed to Sheridan by train, where it was met by automobiles from Tillamook.

The Greenfield company team is the second of the local semi-professional teams to make the Tillamook trip this season. The Columbia Gas and Oil Company team, of which W. R. Heales is manager, went early in the year and helped open the Tillamook baseball season. This team won two out of three games played and the Greenfield company team expects to do as well.

The Tillamook team imports fast out-of-town teams at regular intervals during the season for three-game series which are played on Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Tillamook is one of the best baseball towns in the state and the baseball manager of that town spares no expense in getting fast teams to please the fans.

H. M. Grayson, the Greenfield manager, because of stress of business, was unable to make the trip. Byron Houck, the former twirler for the Washington High School team, which won the championship of the city this Spring, will pitch two of the games at Tillamook, while Ed Leader, another prominent former Washington High School athlete, will pitch the other. Elmer Leader will catch for his brother and Will Gleason, the nifty catcher of the Catholic Young Men's Club, will catch for Houck.

Norby will cover first. Porter Yett will take care of second, while Ross will guard third. Butterfield will hover about the short field. The outfield will be composed of Gleason and Elmer Leader, left field; Carlander, center field, and Miller rightfield. The local boys will leave Tillamook for Portland on Tuesday and will arrive home about Wednesday.

LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS

Rev. W. E. Cox, of Kalama, Chosen as Head of Epworth Body.

CHESHAM, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—The Epworth League of the First Baptist Church of Vancouver district of the Methodist Episcopal Church adjourned today. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. W. E. Cox, of Kalama; first vice-president, Earl Lawson, of South Bend; second vice-president, Miss Eva Woolford, of Kalama; third vice-president, Miss Edith Jaye, of Skam-

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The arrangements for next year's convention were left in the hands of the newly elected officers.

LAND VALUE MAY DOUBLE

Farmers Combat Touchet River for Big Stakes.

DAYTON, Wash., June 24.—(Special.)—Determined to make their land worth \$150,000 increase in value to \$300,000 in a week, a neighborhood of small farmers near here yesterday turned out en masse to begin work on the channel of the Touchet River. The farmers are convinced that the falling of a few trees, the piling of some brush and

rocks means \$150,000 to them and to this end they propose to spend \$500. Last winter several fine tracts in this neighborhood were partially destroyed by the rampaging Touchet River, and land worth \$150 an acre deteriorated to \$200 an acre in a night. Many fine young orchard and garden tracts are located in the affected belt, and once the river can be controlled land now worth \$300 an acre will sell for \$750.

COQUILLE, Or., June 24.—(Special.)—John Kronenberg, one of the pioneers of Coos County, passed away at his home in this city Sunday morning at the age of 84 years. He is survived by his wife, two sons and three daughters. Mr. Kronenberg came to Coos County in 1859. At the time of his death he was interested in but a few local enterprises, the Randolph saw-mill, situated a few miles above Ban-

don, and the tug Kilham, which is stationed at Bandon. The value of his estate is estimated at from \$50,000 to \$100,000.

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