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Principals, Managers and Promoters Make Statements.

DEMPSEY ANXIOUS TO WIN

Carpenter Says He Will Be Prepared to Make Supreme Effort of Career.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Supreme confidence appeared to reign in the camps of Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier on the eve of their championship bout in Jersey City tomorrow.

Special statements furnished the Associated Press either directly or indirectly by the principals, their managers and the promoter today.

By Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world:

"I am in the best shape of my career, ready and anxious to give an account of myself in the ring, as champion of the world. I expect to win, and win as quickly as possible. If one punch will knock Carpentier out, I'll be better satisfied."

"But regardless of how long the fight goes, the public can depend upon me to do my level best every second of the way. I am proud to represent America against the European challenger, and this pride will cause me to make what I feel will be the greatest fight in my life."

Dempsey Says He is Ready.

"I was never more anxious to win a fight than this one. Of course, I know that Carpentier is a great fighter, but I feel confident that I will be able successfully to defend my title. I have faithfully trained the best I know how. I put in ten weeks of work, six weeks of real hard training. I am ready."

By Georges Carpentier, challenger:

"When I go into the ring against Jack Dempsey, I will be prepared to make the supreme effort of my fighting career."

"You can also say for Georges," added Trainer Wilson, "that he is in condition to fight a great battle; that he will bring all the experience of 13 years training to bear, and that, if Dempsey defeats him, America can claim a real champion, for Georges Carpentier is a great fighter and to beat him will, indeed, be an accomplishment. We have no excuses to make and we believe that victory will be ours."

By Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey:

"We expect to win over Georges Carpentier in three or four rounds. I will not be surprised if Dempsey stops him in the first round. This, of course, depends upon the style adopted by Carpentier."

Work of Champion Praised.

"The Dempsey who will defend his title as world's champion is the fastest, hardest-hitting, gamest heavyweight who ever stepped inside of a ring. After the fight is over I think every one who saw it will agree with me."

"Dempsey is in better condition than he has ever been. He has trained hard and faithfully, and I never felt more confident of winning a fight. I am convinced that he will beat Carpentier and do it decisively. The champion is in great shape and will do his best, and if beaten will have no excuse to offer."

By Francis Deane, manager of Carpentier, speaking through Tex Rickard:

"I confidently expect Georges Carpentier to win the world's heavyweight championship from Dempsey inside of three or four rounds. He has trained faithfully and is in the best condition of his life. His long ring experience has fitted him for any form of attack, and every member of the Carpentier camp, from Georges himself down to the man at the gate, is supremely confident of his outcome. Georges Carpentier will be the new champion before nightfall Saturday."

Bout Interest Great.

Promoter Tex Rickard:

"The heavyweight championship contest between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier is the most successful in every respect that I have ever attempted to promote. The arena is the largest ever used in a boxing contest. The advance sale of tickets indicates the largest paid attendance for an event of this type. The gate receipts and the purse are divided between the principals establishes a new record in this respect."

The bout has created greater interest, both national and international, than any other ring contest at any weight. After the promotion of the Jeffries match at Reno in 1910, I thought that no future bout could equal that battle in general interest, but a short span of 11 years has produced another heavyweight title bout greater in every respect. I base this statement upon the number of applications for press seats and the fact that virtually every country of the world will be represented in a manner or another at the ringside."

"Aside from the usual and trifling annoyances in connection with a promotion of this magnitude, everything has moved smoothly. Both Dempsey and Carpentier and their managers have proved ready and reasonable to deal with from a business standpoint. I sincerely hope that the bout will prove an interesting one for the spectators to watch; a benefit to the wonderful sport of boxing and without unpleasant aftermath."

"Without preference or choice as to the principals, I can only say: May the best man win in a sportsmanlike manner."

CUBS TAKE SEE-SAW GAME

St. Louis Outmits Chicago, but Loses, 8 to 6.

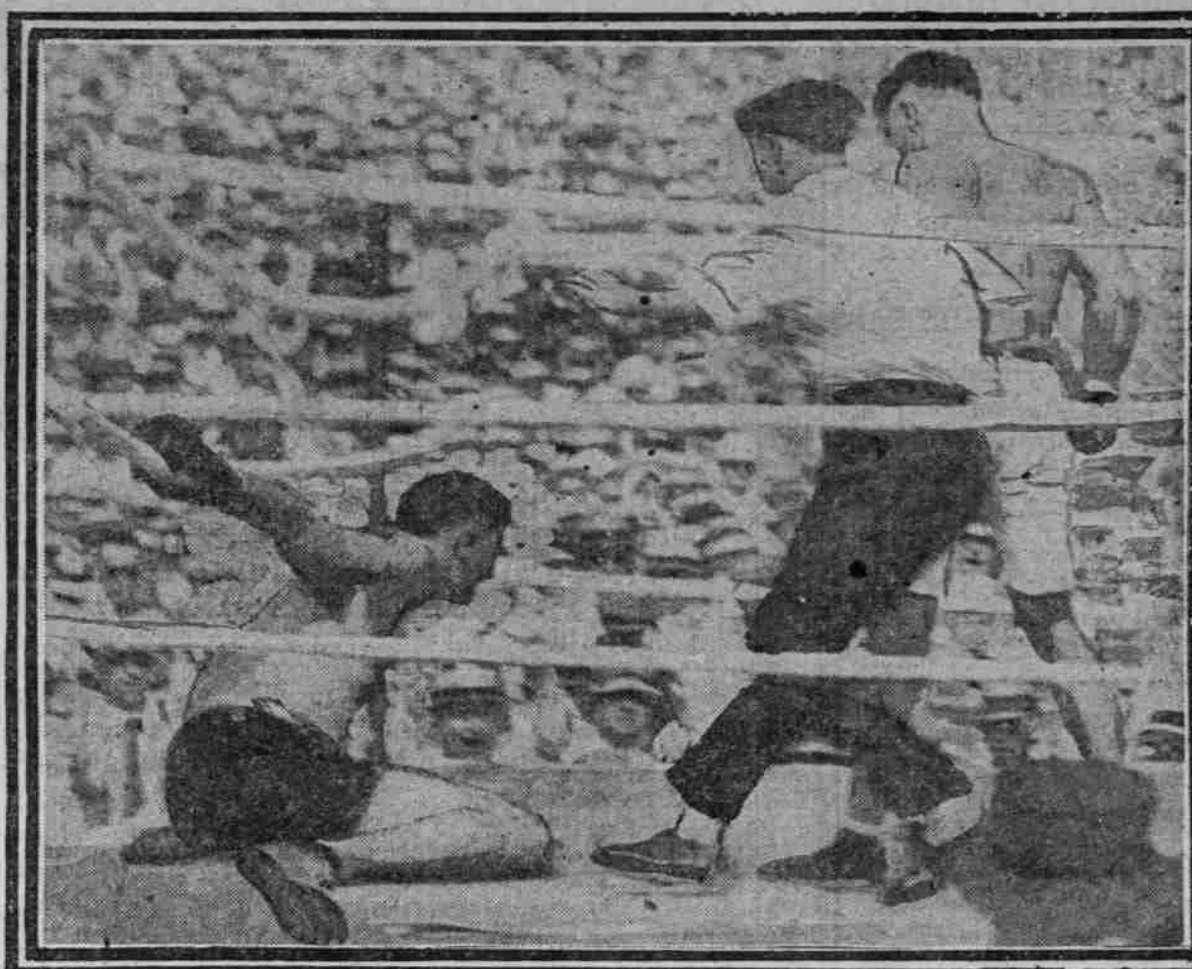
CHICAGO, July 1.—Chicago defeated St. Louis, 8 to 6, in a see-saw game today, in which they were out-hit by the visitors. Sensational support behind Alexander, however, saved the game for the locals. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis... 6 14 3 Chicago... 8 12 2 Batteries—Haines and Clemens; Alexander and O'Farrell.

Pirates 5, Reds 2.

PITTSBURGH, July 1.—Timely hitting and a Cincinnati error save Pittsburgh a 5-2 victory over the Reds today. Score: R. H. E. Cincinnati... 2 5 Pittsburgh... 5 11 0 Batteries—Riley, Donahue and Wingo; Morrison and Schmidt.

Army Beats Oahu Polo Team.

WHEN TODAY'S CONTENDERS WON THEIR SPURS.



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WILLAMETTE VALLEY CHAMPIONSHIPS AT SALEM.

Event to Be Staged Under Auspices of United States Racquet Association.

SALEM, Or., July 1.—(Special).—The sixth annual tournament for the tennis championship of the Willamette valley will open here July 7, and continue for three days.

The tournament will be staged under the auspices of the United States Lawn Tennis association, or more properly the North Pacific International Lawn Tennis association, which is supervising the units of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and British Columbia. There are 12 tennis clubs under the jurisdiction of the international association.

Salem, according to reports, probably will have the largest number of entries of any of the clubs with the exception of Portland. Other cities to be represented include Albany, Corvallis, Eugene, McMinnville and Newberg. The local courts are now being placed in condition for the event.

The events will include men's open singles, women's open singles, men's doubles, women's doubles, men's and women's doubles and consolation. Trophy cups will be awarded for first prize in all events. Entrants should file their intention of participating in the tournament not later than July 6.

ATHLETICS, SENATORS DIVIDE

Washington Wins Second, 1 to 0, and Philadelphia First, 2 to 1.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Philadelphia and Washington broke even here today, McGriffe holding the Mack-men to three hits in a 12-inning 1-to-0 victory in the second contest. Moore won over Johnson in the opener, 2 to 1. Philadelphia bunched hits in the eighth for the deciding runs. The scores:

First game— R. H. E. Phila... 2 7 2 Wash... 1 0 0 Batteries—Moore and Perkins; Johnson and Pielich.

Second game— R. H. E. Phila... 0 3 0 Wash... 1 7 1 Batteries—Hasty and Perkins; McGriffe and Garrity.

White Sox 4, Browns 3.

ST. LOUIS, July 1.—A perfectly executed squeeze play and an error by Collins allowed Chicago to score two runs in the ninth inning today and defeat St. Louis, 4 to 3. Twombly pitched in his first major league game. Williams hit his third home run in three days. Score: R. H. E. Chicago... 4 11 1 St. Louis... 3 5 3 Batteries—Twombly, Kerr and Schalk; Palmero and Collins.

Baseball Summary.

Pacific Coast League Standings. W. L. P. C. Sacramento... 31 36 55 Oakland... 43 39 54 San Francisco... 31 36 55 Portland... 44 43 56 Seattle... 43 39 55 Portland... 18 02 223

Yesterday's Results. At Seattle, Portland game called end of fourth. At Salt Lake 12, Sacramento 11 (ten innings). At San Francisco 8, Vernon 5. At Los Angeles 8, Oakland 5.

How the Series Stand. At Seattle 3 games, Portland no games; at San Francisco 3 games, Vernon 1 game; at Los Angeles 2 games, Oakland no games.

Where the Teams Play Next Week. Portland at Sacramento, Seattle at Salt Lake, Oakland at San Francisco, Vernon at Los Angeles.

Beaver Batting Averages. Ab. H. Av. Ave. Hale... 214 89 316 Krueger... 209 85 242 Poole... 214 89 316 Johnson... 49 11 224 Cox... 235 89 292 Young... 214 85 188

National League Standings. W. L. P. C. Pittsburgh... 45 21 66 Brooklyn... 32 23 49 Boston... 31 28 51 Cincinnati... 25 40 34 St. Louis... 32 32 56 Philadelphia... 19 42 51

American League Standings. Cleveland... 44 25 69 Detroit... 34 36 69 Washington... 37 34 71 Chicago... 27 38 415 Boston... 32 32 64 Philadelphia... 28 40 415

American Association Results. Columbus 6-1, Louisville 8-4. Toledo 6-1, Indianapolis 6. Kansas City 6, Milwaukee 19. Minneapolis-St. Paul not scheduled.

Western League Results. Wichita 4, Tulsa 6. St. Joseph 2, Des Moines 1. Sioux City 3, Omaha 10. Oklahoma 7, Joplin 6.

Southern Association Results. Little Rock 1, at Memphis 1. Nashville 4, at Birmingham 6. Mobile 0, at Chattanooga 6. New Orleans 7, at Atlanta 8.

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NO. 1



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MY FAITH IN THE RAMBLER BICYCLE WAS THE SAME AS MY FAITH IN THE PERFECTION TIRE—400 agents shared my faith and prosperity during those bicycle days. I want to talk "Tire" now to those same 400 agents and others—(so write me direct). When all other high-grade bicycles were selling at \$60, \$70 and \$80 we were selling the famous Rambler at \$40 and \$50, and sold twice as many as all other dealers in the northwest combined.

ALL STANDARD GRADE TIRES HAVE BEEN LISTED TOO HIGH. It has given the job-lot dealers an opportunity of unloading their "junk" sold under various names. SOME OF THE HIGH-GRADE FELLOWS ARE "CRYING" About our big discounts—is it because they are loaded up with old stock manufactured during war prices and war salaries?

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PERFECTION TIRE CO. TENTH AND STARK BROADWAY AND ANKENY PORTLAND, OR. OPEN EVENINGS—FRED T. MERRILL, ADV. MANAGER.

Schroeder also is in Portland and complaining of a sore arm.

Among the teams going out of town Sunday and Monday will be the Artisans of Astoria, American Railway Express to Hillsboro, Artica to Goldendale, and Spokane, Portland and Seattle to White Salmon. There is a probability of the Portland Woolen Mills going to Prineville, and the Standard Oil Refinery will journey to Seaside.

The Vernon All-Stars, independent 5-foot-6 champions of the city last season, have organized and desire to arrange games with independent or park indoor teams ranging from 5 feet 6 to 7 feet 8. The stars are selected at the end of the league season from the five teams composing the Vernon indoor league. Last year they finished with a record of 23 victories and two defeats. For games call Woodlawn 1411.

The Fields Motor Club team, which is playing independent ball, after having won 7 and lost only one game in the interstate baseball preliminaries, did not withdraw from the association because of not being able to keep the team together, as stated in one report. They pulled out, they declare, because they felt they had won the right to play in the first division and presented being shoved into the second after the record they had made.

Manager Bradley of the Artisans had a good staff of pitchers lined up and a strong infield, but too many inroads have wrecked his club. Fletcher Ring is out of the league on account of signing a Beaver contract. Second Baseman Manary is out of town on a construction job and Tony Engle, outfielder, is battling 462 in the Pacific international league. Bradley is on a hunt for material. Any good prospects should turn out for practice on Montgomery State Wednesday night at 9 o'clock.

It took the Salem Senators ten innings Sunday to burn the Camas papermakers, 2 to 1. Scott, for Camas, pitched fine ball.

Ed Thompson, pitching for the Artisans, allowed Crown Williams only four hits at Oregon City, Sunday, but lost his game through a hard luck. On an overthrow at the plate the ball stuck in the wire and when Catcher Rosenberger of the Artisans tried to retrieve it, he made matters worse by pushing the ball entirely through the wire. All the men on bases then scored.

COSMOPOLIS TO HOLD SHOOT — Fourth of Series of Registered Events Set for Tomorrow.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 1.—(Special).—The fourth of the series of registered club shoots of the Aberdeen Trappers' association will be held Sunday morning at Cosmopolis range. The matches are at 50 registered targets and are run in conjunction with the H. P. Brown trophy competition. Dr. H. C. Watkins of Hoquiam, leads in the registered series with 125 hits out of a possible 150. G. C. Tucker of Aberdeen, is high run in the Brown competition with 144 targets.

Preparations for entertainment of the Western Washington Trappers' league here July 30 and 31, will be started shortly after July 4. It is expected that 20 outside shooters will be the guests of the Aberdeen club during the tourney.

Boomer Wins Golf Play-Off.

BOULOGNE, France, July 1.—(By the Associated Press).—Aubrey Boomer, a young British professional golfer of the St. Cloud, France, club, today won the French national open golf championship by defeating Arnaud Massey of France in the play-off of Thursday's tie. Massey thrice held the French open championship and the British championship of 1918. Boomer, formerly a pupil of Massey's, won, 142 to 135.

Rain Delays Tennis Play.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—Play in the annual intercollegiate lawn tennis championship tournament on the Merion Cricket club courts, Haverford was postponed because of rain, which fell the greater part of the day.

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B.V.D. UNDERWEAR



Top—Jack Dempsey winning the heavyweight championship of the world from Jess Willard, the latter taking the final count. Bottom—Georges Carpentier, wearing his left and bringing over his right to Joe Beckette's chin, which put the latter out cold and won Georges the heavyweight championship of Europe. This match put Carpentier in line for a crack at Dempsey. The match went less than one round.

DO YOU REMEMBER? When Judge Caples shook hands every day with everybody he met? A. B. S.

When Charles H. Dodd was chairman of a Fourth of July committee in the late '30s or early '90s, on an occasion when a hot air balloon ascension from the vacant lot near Fourth and Pine streets was to be the big event of the day?

And how the balloon failed to fill so that about 2 in the afternoon Mr. Dodd had to announce to the thousands present that the ascension would be postponed until 7:30 to give the people an opportunity to attend the theater?

And that by evening the balloon had not yet filled and there was no ascension, and how many disappointed persons were mean enough to remark that Charlie Dodd should have filled the balloon with hot air from his own unlimited supply and not have disappointed thousands of celebrants?

C. H. C. (Lewiston, Idaho).

When John Wesley, known as Indian John, was a policeman among the Indians who lived in the west end of Portland in the early days? H. J. D.

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When Fire Chief Moran made his headquarters in the tent of truck company No. 1 at Third and Yamhill streets, while the new house on Fourth street was under construction? B. F. D.

When all our boyhood baseball games were played on Keller's lot? P. S.

How, when the Marquam Grand theater was opened, many of my beloved it to be the biggest and finest "opry" house ever built? Juna Nielsen (San Diego).

When the two parks near the court house had fences around them, with a turnstile at each corner? W. S. N.

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"Worn the World Over"
Seven men met—

in the smoking salon of a transatlantic liner. And they were all of different nationalities—French, English, South American, Spanish, Italian, etc. The inevitable American was there, too, the center of the group.

Free were cooked up, everybody at ease. And the American smiled as his quick eye took in a significant fact.

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"No—at home." Then they all joined in and developed that every man present wore the Boston Garter. Nothing surprising in this, however, for many years it has enjoyed world-wide popularity. Why? Well, probably because no manufacturer ANYWHERE has ever matched the Boston Garter for QUALITY which has made it FIRST.

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