

MULTNOMAH BOYS DEFEAT SPOKANE

Only One Wrestling Bout Goes to City of Inland Empire District.

PORTLAND BOXERS BEST

Feature Bout of Inter-Club Meet Was Fast Go Between Cassidy and O'Rourke at 115 Pounds.

The Multnomah Amateur Club took interclub boxing and wrestling meet at the Spokane Athletic Club Friday night by capturing both boxing bouts and one wrestling match, Spokane securing only one wrestling bout.

The winners were Franksy, of M. A. in the 135-pound wrestling bout, Frank, of Spokane, in the 105-pound wrestling, and Cassidy and O'Rourke, in the 105 and 115-pound boxing matches.

The feature bout of the evening was between Cassidy of Multnomah and O'Rourke of Spokane in the 115-pound boxing class. It was about the fastest feature seen in Portland this season.

Both men were practically "all out" at the end of the third round, but the decision was given to Cassidy.

The Spokane team had a powerful left and delivered left and right hand upper-cuts with a frequency that had Cassidy, clever as he was, guessing every minute. Cassidy kept his head better and his punches, when he managed to get them in, were somewhat more effective.

Once during the first round O'Rourke went down almost for the count on a right hand upper cut from the point of the jaw. In the second round, O'Rourke came back and twice floored his opponent with that awful right-hand upper cut which was his most effective kick throughout the match. Both men were aggressive and displayed great cleverness.

The honors were even in the first round, O'Rourke had it easily in the second, and the third was a draw, although the Multnomah man was given the decision. Cassidy had a back hand to good effect frequently in the last round. Both men were tottering at the end and a clean knockout from all appearances would have been scored if another round had been called.

McCarl and Hughes, the 105-pounders, furnished the best of the evening. Hughes had the first round and also the second. He was always on the aggressive, pushing in almost before his opponent was ready to meet him. He worked himself but he was no match for the shifty Irishman from Spokane.

Hughes kept on the inside in the third round and delivered a variety of upper-cuts and various other blows. The round was called a draw. The fourth was a pretty scrap from start to finish, Hughes getting in the majority of blows and finishing fresh, while McCarl was groggy.

In the 125-pound wrestling bout, Frank was given the decision on his aggressiveness and because he was on top most of the time. The contestants were equally clever but Brechin was not given a chance to do his best work.

In the second round, Franksy, in the hold, all but rolled his opponent over, but missed. Later Brechin extricated himself from a difficult position by main strength, furnishing the best feat of the match. The bout ended with Franksy on top.

Frank, of Spokane, had an easy time in the 135-pound wrestling go with Trainer, of Multnomah. He won the first fall in 3 minutes and 15 seconds on a quick hammerlock, and in the second the Spokane man became aggressive at the start and finally got the fall after 3 minutes and 2 seconds, on a crotch hold.

A real classy fight was furnished by Powers and Bowers, two unattached middleweights weighing 90 pounds. In the second round they clinched and went to the floor in the mix up. Powers won the match by a shade.

The first two rounds in the 105-pound match between Franksy and L. M. C. C. and Hewitt, of Multnomah, were very tame, but in the third and fourth they mixed like cats. Franksy won the first round, but in the third Franksy put a few stiff jabs on Hewitt's jaw that almost staggered him. Franksy won the fourth round, finishing up with some exceedingly hard "wallows" on the point of his opponent's jaw. After the completion of the match Hewitt must have lost his head, for he made over to the corner where Franksy was sitting and deliberately hit him in the face.

DORANDO FIRST IN MARATHON

Italian Stumbles Across Finish Line in Historic Race.

YANCOUVER, B. C., March 19.—(Special.)—Clad in the same suit in which he stumbled bravely across the finish line of the Olympic Marathon in London, Dorando Pietrangeli, the Italian runner, tonight took the measure of Henri St. Yves, world's Marathon champion, in a 26-mile race, leading to the tape by only 60 feet. His time was 1:27:30-25.

The race was run indoors, Marab, because of a sore ankle, was forced to quit the track in the first part of the 10th mile, four laps behind the leaders. Up to the fourth mile he made the race interesting for the other two men and led again at the seventh mile. The contest was marked throughout by spirited sprints, with Dorando usually leading at the end of every mile. The Italian jumped into the final lead at the 14th mile and was never headed after that.

BIG ORCHARD TRACT SOLD

Medford Men Pay \$13,500 for 50 Acres Near Woodville.

MEDFORD, Or., March 19.—(Special.)—William Colvig and C. E. Sharpe, of this place, bought 50 acres of orchard land near Woodville today for \$13,500. This is one of many deals that have been consummated in that part of Rogue River Valley this Spring.

MISSIONARY'S WORDS FOUL

Four Mormon Preachers Fined for Using Vile Language.

BELLEVILLE, Wash., March 19.—(Special.)—Charging with uttering vile and indecent language while addressing a public religious meeting on a Belleville street, W. J. Brady, J. M. Newton and J. A. Heslop were arrested. Brady was fined \$25 and costs, a total

of \$24.15. The others were dismissed. Refusal to permit the men to speak on the street followed and they were given to understand they were not wanted here. Brady testified that some one made a sneering remark and he lost his temper, but he did not remember what he had said.

The trio arrested are young Mormon proselyting agents. The policemen had notified them they must secure permission from the Mayor to conduct street meetings, but they failed to do so. The officers were standing beside the advocates when Brady is alleged to have started with vile and indecent emphasis that he did not care whether the hearers believed his statements or not.

FREIGHT TRAIN IN DITCH

Landslide Causes Wreck and Flood Threatens Baker.

BAKER CITY, Or., March 19.—(Special.)—Rain, which has deluged Baker County since last evening, was the cause of a landslide and wreck in the Burnt River Canyon tonight, when a west-bound freight train went into the ditch. No west-bound trains can get through until tomorrow morning.

Powder River is bankfull and with the torrents coming down from Sumpter Valley it is probable that water will be in several streets before morning. Filing along the river bank is being undermined. The basement of the Gelsler Grand Hotel is among the many basements flooded.

MILITARY MAS SELECTED

St. Mary's Church Choir Prepares for Easter Services.

The choir of St. Mary's Church on Williams avenue, Father William Daly, pastor, is rehearsing Cimarosa's grand military mass and Lohengrin, for the Easter services next Sunday.

The choir is made up as follows: Soprano, Mrs. Gertrude Hall, Mrs. Charles Alphonse, Miss Nettie Habcock; alto, Mrs. Gertrude Hall Yelding, Miss Ella Burke; tenors, Scott Kent, William Underwood, Charles Pembroke, Oscar Kohler, Peter Mayer; basses, Joseph Tauscher, leader, D. F. Langenberg, A. Lampert, R. Tauscher.

LA FOLLETTE IS ACCUSED

Committee Says State Employees Were Used in Politics.

MADISON, Wis., March 19.—The report of the Assembly committee investigating the expenditures of Senatorial candidates in the last primary election filed late today recommendations for various reforms, including the elimination of the "spoils" system.

Senator La Follette was severely criticized for the alleged use of state employees for political purposes during his administration as Governor.

"SILENCE" IS PUNISHED

Whole Brigade at Annapolis Suspended for Hazing Officer.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 19.—Because of its action in having given an officer of the department of discipline what is known as "the silence" at supper formation last night, Captain John Breyer of the majority of boys of the academy, today issued orders suspending all general and special liberty for the whole brigade.

FISHING FLEET IS LOST

800 Believed Drowned in Storm Off Coast of Japan.

TOKIO, March 19.—Many fishing boats have been lost in the recent storm along the coast.

It is reported that not less than 800 of these craft have been sunk and 800 fishermen drowned.

Steel Shipped for Famous Bridge

SEATTLE, Wash., March 19.—The steamer Seward sailed for Cordova, Alaska, last night with 3500 tons of steel for the Copper River Railroad, completion of which is to be rushed. In the cargo is the famous bridge that will span Copper River diagonally between the Great Inland and Little Inland, which terminate on opposite sides of the river and which seemed at first to present an insurmountable barrier to the construction of a railroad up the river.

The bridge builders are ready for the steel, having erected the falsework on the ice that covers the stream. After the steel is in place the Spring thaw will carry the ice with the falsework out to sea.

Brazil Lowers Tariff for U. S.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The New York offices of the Brazilian Commission for Economic Expansion announced in a bulletin today that the President of Brazil has issued a decree granting certain American exports to Brazil a preferential tariff of reduction of 20 per cent. This applies to cement, corsets, dried fruits, school books and furniture.

It is reported that the tariff reduction is in recognition of President Taft's action in granting the minimum tariff to Brazilian imports to the United States.

Petty Officer Is Suicide

SEATTLE, Wash., March 19.—Karl Clifton, aged 35, a petty officer stationed at the Puget Sound Navy Yard, swallowed carbolic acid on the street today and was picked up and taken to the City Hospital, where it is said his condition is serious. In his pocket was found a letter asking that his body be turned over to Captain Bradley Flisk. Another letter indicated that he took the poison because of disappointment in love.

Tax Levied on Lawyers

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Senator Clark of Wyoming has introduced a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to collect from attorneys permitted to practice before the Department of the Interior a fee of \$5 at the rate of one cent for every \$100 of proceeds derived from this source are to be applied to the purchase of books for the law library of the Department of the Interior.

Three Are Killed in Riot

POINT A PITRE, Guadeloupe, March 19.—The arrest, yesterday, at LaCassiere of several persons charged with complicity in the rioting during the recent strike of sugar-cane cutters, resulted in a collision between the troops and the population, in which three persons were killed and several wounded.

Fallieres to Hear Roosevelt

PARIS, March 19.—President Fallieres will attend the lecture given by ex-President Roosevelt in the Sorbonne. Mr. Roosevelt's subject will be "The Duties of the Citizens of a Republic."

CANNON IS SHORN, BUT NOT REPOSED

House Votes for Committee on Rules Without Speaker as Member.

INSURGENT RANKS BROKEN

Democrats Reply to "Uncle Joe's" Challenge With Resolution to Declare Office Vacant, Which Falls to Pass.

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present committee on rules shall be dissolved."

Representative Burleson's resolution follows: "Resolved, that the office of Speaker of the House of Representatives is hereby declared to be vacant and the House of Representatives shall proceed to the election of a Speaker."

Cannon Declines Comment

Speaker Cannon declined tonight to comment on the extraordinary events of the day. He was in his office surrounded by three or four loyal friends when a newspaper man approached him and asked him to say what he had to say about his "victory."

"Oh, nothing at all, I guess. There is not any comment for me to make. Besides, you will have your papers full in the morning, anyway, and you don't need any comment from me."

But hasn't the newly-elected Speaker any announcement to make of his future policy?"

The speaker laughed. "I'll just keep on speaking and praying," he said.

Cham Clark, minority leader in the House, said in the course of an oral statement issued tonight: "The Republicans are on the toboggan slide and if Democrats outside of Congress will get together as the Democrats in the House have done, together our victories this year and in 1912 will be as sweeping as those of 1890 and 1892."

Norris Says All Is Won

Mr. Norris, of Nebraska, said in part: "We have won all that we fought for, all that we expected to have when we went into the last movement that culminated in today's sweeping victory."

Caucuses will be called immediately by both parties to select, respectively, the six Republicans and four Democrats who are to constitute the new committee on rules. The old committee consisted of Speaker Cannon, chairman, and Messrs. Dalzell of Pennsylvania, Smith of Iowa, Republicans; minority leader Clark of Missouri and John J. Fitzgerald of New York, Democrats.

Republican Leader Sereno E. Payne said tonight that "recent events" were "too recent" for his party to have decided definitely upon the date of its caucus. Republican Whip Dwight thought it would be early next week. Minority Leader Clark thought the Democratic caucus would meet Tuesday or Thursday night. The fact is that all parties to the long and bitter fight were too exhausted and fatigued to have formed any definite plans.

Clark's Chance Momentary

There were moments when it looked as though the preponderantly Republican House might even cap the climax by electing Champ Clark Speaker. The fact, not only was this actually proposed in a motion by Mr. Clark, of Florida, but Speaker Cannon himself in his "desert" to the House declared that he intended to be content and proceed to the election of a Democratic Speaker. Indeed it was this challenge to the House, during as it was, which inspired the Democrats to the Burleson resolution for his dethronement, turned the tide again in his favor and rallied the Republicans, regular and insurgent together.

Some of these cries came from regular Republicans, who began to feel that the insurgents would rejoin them on the question of electing Cannon speaker.

The only Republicans who finally voted in favor of declaring the office vacant were Cooper, Lenoir and Nelson of Wisconsin; Davis and Lindbergh of Minnesota; Murdock of Kansas; Gronna of North Dakota, and Pollock of Oregon, who voted against Cannon's reelection. The Democrats voted solidly for the resolution.

Senate Has Trouble, Too

A score or more of Senators were on the floor during the afternoon. The proceedings had a keen interest for the members of the Upper House, for they have insurgents over there, and today's rebellion was in its most important importance politically. Among the regulars, insurgents and Democrats there from the upper house were Flint, Cushman, Dooliver, Borah, Burkett, Overman, Owen, Bacon, Stone, Bailey, Clark of Arkansas, Sutherland, Briarley, LaFollette, Money and Gore.

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"You are the only Speaker ever elected twice in one session," said Dalzell, as he grasped the Speaker's hand.

"Defeat is bad, but victory is great," said Scott of Kansas.

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Tawney, who led the chorus was eloquent to similar effect.

Democrats Tonight Described the Victory

Democrats tonight described the victory as a triumph. The previous question was ordered, 133 to 160.

124 P. M.—The House sustained the appeal from the Speaker's ruling 133 to 160.

126 P. M.—The Norris resolution was read from the desk preliminary to a vote.

128 P. M.—Norris moved to amend his resolution to the form in which it was finally adopted. Extended debate ensued.

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but he asked that it be withdrawn. Norris declined to withdraw it.

5:03 P. M.—The House by division refused to adjourn. This made the Burleson resolution the question before the House. A roll call was immediately called.

5:20 P. M.—The Burleson resolution was defeated, 191 to 165.

5:30 P. M.—The House adjourned with many Republicans singing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow" as they fell into line to shake the hand of the Speaker.

Great tumult and disorder raged in the House as the Speaker announced his resignation became known.

Kitchin of North Carolina, Hardwick of Georgia, Garner of Texas and Shackelford of Missouri, who had assisted him in drafting the resolution, all shouted amid the turmoil to pay no attention to the panicky requests for a withdrawal of the resolution. Several insurgent Republicans ran over and entreated him to withdraw it.

Insurgents Beg for Time. "It is untimely; it is suicidal," they cried through the din.

"Don't offer this now; don't do it this evening. Wait until we have had time to think it over," begged Hinchshaw of Nebraska.

Burleson paid no heed. Shirley of Kentucky, who frantically contending that the motion to adjourn had priority.

The Speaker was steadily hammering his desk with the gavel, but the blows were hardly audible above the racket. The Republicans were shouting to the clerk: "Read! Read!"

"They referred to the Burleson resolution, the contents of which they did not know, though everybody suspected what they were. Half a hundred had their hands raised above their heads in the aisles, when Burleson, a few minutes later, pressed for the adoption of his resolution. Rodenburgh of Illinois proposed that the House should adjourn until the next morning.

"Vote on it! Show your colors! What's the matter with you? Question!"

Republican Hope Renewed. Norris was demanding recognition and a vote on his motion to adjourn.

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the only way known among men by which to accomplish that result—a consummation devoutly to be wished.

Representative Lenoir of Wisconsin, an insurgent who voted against the Speaker, said: "I have always believed that the presiding officer of the House should not be Joseph G. Cannon. I have voted consistently today, that is all."

Representative Cooper of Wisconsin and Poindexter of Washington expressed themselves similarly.

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His bluff was promptly called by the Democrats. Every man lined up. Had the insurgent Republicans stood by us in that vote to declare the chair vacant and to elect a Speaker, Cannonism with all the name implies, would have been as dead as the man who lived before the floor.

As it is, the issue of Cannonism survives in full force, for as sure as a gun is made of iron, if the Republicans elect a majority of the next House, Mr. Cannon will be re-elected Speaker.

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Three More for Educational Work

Whitman College, University of Idaho and State Normal School Select Costly Pianos at Eilers Last Week.

To the long list of universities, colleges and schools equipped with pianos by Eilers Piano House was added three more this week, three costly instruments having been chosen by as many prominent colleges and schools during the past week.

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