

Dempsey Announces Definite Plans for Ring Comeback

READY TO FACE BIG BOYS SOON

September Fight With Alip Or Sharkey Expected To Gross Million

By EDWARD J. NEIL
 NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—New York shouted across transcontinental telephone wires today a pair of invitations to Jack Dempsey to return to the metropolis and pick up again the leather-padded cudgels that once made high finance of the fight game.

To Tom McArdle, matchmaker at Madison Square Garden, the former heavyweight king said from Seattle, Wash.:

"I'm not ready yet but I will be. I'm serious about coming back. Pick the best man you can find for me sometime after December 1."

Immediately James J. Johnston, the promotional thorn in the side of the Garden at the moment, got a line through to Leonard Sachs, Dempsey's secretary and champion, and he heard something like this:

"Jack hasn't tied up with the Garden or any one else. But he's coming back. We'll be hitting the big trail when he's ready. They will be open to any and all offers from anyone."

Exhibitions Have More Significance
 Thus today the "exhibitions" of the old man mauler of Manassas has been giving the Pacific coast leaped suddenly into a matter of national moment to the rank and file of the fight game.

Apparently Dempsey, not overburdened with ready cash and involved in matrimonial complications by the filing of a divorce application from Estelle Taylor in Reno, is about to launch seriously into his second comeback campaign since Gene Tunney whipped him in the rain at Philadelphia in 1926.

Dempsey appeared in his first "exhibition" match in Reno August 19 and knocked over Jack Beasley. Five nights later 17,364 of the faithful turned out in Portland, Ore., to pay \$27,295 to see him bounce a motley collection around. Last night he sparred six rounds in Seattle with a trio.

Another Million
 Fight circles predicted today Dempsey can share \$1,000,000 with fighting Primo Carnera or Jack Sharkey with whom he drew more than that sum when he came out of retirement the first time in 1927.

For a bout with Max Schmeling next summer, after proper tuning ups it would seem that only the depression and lack of a promoter of Tex Rickard's genius would prevent a gate among the largest in fight history.

EUGENE, Ore., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Jimmy Byrnes, six feet tall, 205 pounds in weight and Coos Bay resident, has been signed to meet Jack Dempsey in the four-round exhibition fight here September 4, Herb Owen, promoter announced today.

Owen affirmed that Byrnes would give the ex-champ the first real opposition he has encountered since returning to the ring in Reno last week. The Coos Bay fighter has stopped both big Bill Hartwell and Denny Lenhard, who met Dempsey in Portland Monday night, Owen said.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey will fight Leo Lomaki, Aberdeen, Wash., heavy weight, in a four round bout here Labor day. Lomaki, weighing around 175 pounds, campaigned in the light heavy class for several years and at one time was ranked with the leaders of the division. Dempsey accepted the Aberdeen mauler as an opponent in a telegram received from Seattle.

Fifteen Firms Submit Bids On 25 Police Cars

Fifteen automobile firms have submitted bids on the 25 new cars to be purchased for the state police department. Seven types of cars were included in the proposals. Thirteen cars are to be traded in by the state.

Awards will be made within the next 10 days, it was announced. The bids were opened by William Einzig, secretary of the state board of control, and state purchasing agent.

FIRE ZONE PATROL SEEKING FIREBUGS

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 miles in advance of the flames to construct a line of defense where an attempt will be made to halt them when they reach it.

A mixed unit of artillerymen and engineers was stationed at Anderson's camp two miles below the Grimes pass power on the south fork which has been the focus of the fight for the past three days.

Three nurses are on the fire line with duties ranging from washing ashes out of burns to tending new born babies.

AT BEACH
 O. F. Johnson and children are spending a few days this week at the beach.

Hectic Coast Race Tied up Again as Ducks Toss Away Slugfest Through Bobbles

COAST LEAGUE			
W	L	Pct.	
Portland	20	24	.456
San Francisco	20	24	.456
Seattle	26	27	.491
San Diego	15	27	.357
Holyday	28	25	.528

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 27.—(AP)—With the active assistance of eight Portland errors, San Francisco won tonight's game here, 12 to 7. Both teams hit hard, the Seals winning a credit of 15 and the Beavers only one less.

San Francisco made its principal hit in the sixth, seventh and eighth innings, scoring 11 of their runs on ten hits and six Portland errors.

Jim Keesey, ex-Beaver first baseman, and Crossett were the big stick men for the Seals in the eighth. Their two doubles brought in four runs.

ANGELS WIN IN 12TH
 SEATTLE, Aug. 27.—(AP)—A single by Summa, Los Angeles left fielder, knocked in one run and another came in a sacrifice fly in the 12th inning to give the Angels a 5 to 2 victory over the Indians.

The home team scored once in each of the first three innings, to lead 3 to 1, but the visitors tied the game in the fourth. Hermann, on the mound for the Angels, held the Indians in hand the last nine innings.

Los Angeles R H E
 Seattle 5 13 0
 Hermann, Campbell; Turpin, Hartwig and Cox.

Oaks Rally in 8th
 SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Oakland took a 4 to 2 victory from the Missions here tonight by landing a Zehner in the eighth for four hits and two runs.

The game was a pitching duel up to the eighth when Zahniser was benched in favor of Ted Pillette. The Missions started a comeback in the ninth but were unable to keep it up after two runs. Each team got six hits.

Oakland R H E
 Missions 4 6 1
 Thomas and McMullen; Zahniser, Pillette and Hofmann.

Stars Finally Win
 LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Hollywood won its first game of the series from Sacramento tonight, making the score 4 to 3 by a two run batting spurt in the ninth. McEvoy was given indifferent support in the early stages, but it improved later on. Hollywood slugging drove Bryan to the showers in the ninth and Gillick replaced him.

Sacramento R H E
 Hollywood 4 12 3
 Bryan, Gillick and Wirts; McEvoy and Severeld.

RELIEF WORK HERE OF ARMY OUTLINED

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 probably will not be placed so much before the public eye as before, but will be confined to personal contacts made by the board's workers.

One feature of the report not generally known was that during the past year six girls from Marion county have been cared for in the Salvation Army's White Shield home in Portland. The cost which has not been born locally, was \$225, the report showed.

Of the 12 board members, eight were attending their first of the monthly meetings. The new advisors are: Chester M. Cox, W. L. Phillips, J. T. Delaney, William B. Ellis, Frank Doolittle, Willis Clark and Leo B. Page.

FLOOD CITY ROCKED BY GASOLINE BLAST

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 but conditions are extremely serious. Every other person appeared to be gravely ill. From every direction came moans of the aged, cries of children which added to the nightmarish bedlam.

Although food, drink and medical attention is available to these refugees, conditions in this building, like in other refugee centers, are so deadly that a majority of the unfortunates are doomed unless they can quickly be moved to dry land and better sanitary conditions.

SEVEN MILLION TO BE IDLE, FORECAST

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 out of work in August as compared with 18.8 in July; 18.2 in June and 17.1 in May.



We see in the C. J.—or rather somebody showed it to us for we never read the society news—that the Business and Professional Women's club has a "finance" committee. We presume that's for the members who have ambitions to quit being businesslike and professional.

It seems the wrestling game is not dead but sleepeth. And on September 3, the night after Labor day, 'twill be aroused by a couple of fairy princes of heavy weight dimensions, so Matchmaker Harry Plant announced last night.

They are Joe Reynolds, who started wrestling as a professional in Albany about seven years ago and has since grasped in many parts of the world; and Abe Kaplan of New York, who figured in the American Legion convention mat card at Corvallis a few weeks ago and defeated Bonnie Mair, the Australian heavy-weight champion.

Now there's a bout that looks as though it would wake up the sleeper all right. It ought to start the fall season with a real resounding bang. And Harry and the commission say the fight will be sizzling from then on, with a host of big shots scheduled to show here. They have some definite plans for building up the game, which will be disclosed later. There'll be a show every Tuesday night throughout the autumn and winter, they promise.

LITTLE AUBREY

It was a warm night and Little Aubrey wanted to sleep outdoors. So his mother said: "A nice cool place to sleep." Next morning he scratched and scratched and his mother just laughed and laughed because she knew all the time the dog was inhabited. — (Contributed by J. L.)

DEFENDER BEATEN IN QUARTER FINAL

HIGHLAND PARK, Ill., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Mrs. George Tyson of Kansas City lost her prized western women's golf championship today in an exciting quarter final duel to her famous home town jinx, Mrs. G. S. Hill.

All square at the end of 17 holes, Mrs. Hill ended the tussle on the final green by sinking an eight foot putt for a birdie four. Mrs. Tyson, 10 feet away from the home plate with three shots, missed her try for a birdie by three feet.

Mrs. Hill, who took up golf for her health eight years ago, was joined in the semi final bracket by two experienced campaigners of note, Virginia Van Wie of Chicago and Mrs. Leonard Pressler, of San Gabriel, Cal., and 18-year-old June Beebe of Chicago.

DAVENPORT CASHES IN ON HIS 'HOBBY'

Roy B. Davenport, Silverton mail clerk, has a profitable avocation. Instead of chasing golf balls around a romade pasture or waiting for the fish to bite, Davenport picks up his trusty .22-calibre gun and shoots greydiggers. When he isn't shooting them he gets moles and gophers to add to his collection.

Yesterday Davenport cashed in on his pastime. Greydigger scalps, 212 in number, were presented to Harlan Judd, deputy county clerk, and the scalps of 12 moles and six gophers were added to his treasure trove.

When Davenport left the office he had a warrant for \$12.40, county bounty on the collected scalps.

District Votes Refunding Bond Issue, \$63,000

The Gold Hill Irrigation district has voted refunding bonds of \$63,000, with which to refinance the project under the 1927 legislative act, according to information received by C. E. Stricklin, state engineer.

Most of the money will be used in rebuilding flumes and making other necessary improvements. The district includes 1200 acres and is located in Jackson county.

Baseball fans in the Piedmont league had the year's best bargain. A "triple header" of three games in one day was played between the Greensboro and High Point teams.

The New Orleans Pelicans of the Southern association have a chance to break a 25-year record—they may finish the season in the first division.

FAVORITES FOR CROWN BEATEN

Barnes and Sutter Outplay Vines and Gledhill in Quarter Finals

BROOKLINE, Mass., Aug. 27.—(AP)—Striking a deadly mixture of lobs and drives, Bruce Barnes, Austin, Tex., and Clifford Sutter, New Orleans, today provided the national doubles tennis tourney with its first major upset by gaining the semi-final round at the expense of Ellsworth Vines and Keith Gledhill, sensational Californians.

These west coasters, who had suffered only one previous defeat all season, were the outstanding favorites to capture the title held for the past two years.

They appeared over-tanned, especially Gledhill, as they bowed by scores of 4-6, 10-8, 10-12, 8-6, 6-3.

A heavy afternoon shower fell on Doeg and Lott and halted their even battle with Sidney Wood and Frank X. Shields, Davis cup singles stars. As a result, the final will be put over until Monday.

This match stood at one set all and the champions had a four-three lead on service in the third when the downpour washed them from the court. They will resume at that point tomorrow and the victors will be given a 24-hour rest before playing their semi-final against Gregory Mangin, Newark, and Berkeley Bell, New York.

It was also a tragic occasion for Frederick J. Perry and George Patrick Hughes, the British cup pair, who were overthrown by Wilmer Allison and Johnny Van Ryn, last year's runners-up. The scores were 4-6, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3.

Magnin and Bell defeated Edward Jacobs of Baltimore and Wilbur F. Coen, Jr., Kansas City, for a 6-4, 6-2, 6-4 decision.

CUBS SCORE EIGHT IN WINNING RALLY

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The Chicago Cubs scored eight runs in the eighth inning to defeat the Pirates, 11 to 4, in the second game of today's double header and get an even break for the day. The Pirates won the first, 3 to 2.

Chicago R H E
 Pirates 2 4 1
 Sweetland and Hartnett; Spencer and Phillips.

Chicago R H E
 Pittsburgh 11 16 0
 May, Welch and Hemeley; Brame, Osborn, Swetonie and Phillips.

PHILS DEFEAT REDS
 Cincinnati R H E
 Philadelphia 5 10 2
 Kolp and Sukeroff; Bolen, Watt, Milligan, J. Elliott and McCurdy.

Local Tennis Devotees in Valley Meet

Three Salem tennis players will participate in the men's division of the Willamette valley tournament which opens today at Eugene, one in the intermediate division and there will probably be two Salem girls in the ladies' singles.

Al Coates, who won the men's singles championship here a year ago when the tournament was held in Salem, will participate again along with Norris Kemp and Don Saunders in the men's division. Fred Hagemann is entering the intermediate competition and is expected to advance a considerable way toward the finals.

Edith Starrett and Irene Greenbaum have entered the ladies' singles.

Shinesters and Wildcats Clash Again After Tie

SILVERTON, Aug. 27.—For the second time this week, George's Shinesters and McDonald's Wildcats will meet for the right to face the Silver Falls Lumberjacks for the city championship tonight at 6 o'clock the Shinesters and Wildcats will cross bats on the Eureka avenue diamond.

After a hard fought four-inning game the two teams tied last night, 3 to 3. Both nines are expected to have their full strength for tonight's battle. The winner will meet the Lumberjacks Sunday afternoon in the first of a three-game series.

INDIANS SLUG OUT WIN OVER BROWNS

CLEVELAND, Aug. 27.—(AP)—While Weeley Ferrell held the enemy to four hits, the Cleveland Indians today combed three pitchers for 13 hits to take a 11 to 1 victory over the St. Louis Browns in the series opener. Averill's 28th home run of the season featured the attack. It was Ferrell's 17th victory.

St. Louis R H E
 Cleveland 11 13 1
 Coffman, Stiles, Bratton and Bengough; W. Farrell and Myatt.

White Sox Routed
 DETROIT, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The Detroit Tigers pounded five White Sox pitchers today and defeated the Chicago outfit 9 to 4 in the first of their four game series here.

Chicago R H E
 Detroit 9 13 2
 Carray, Thomas, Weiland, Bowler and Tate; Sorrell and Haywort.

OWL IN TRAP
 SCIO, Aug. 27.—Donald Fulk of Albany spent a vacation of two weeks at the Hetzendorf farm near Scio. He and Andy Hetzendorf, while trapping gray-diggers, caught an owl in one of the traps, the bird measuring three feet and 10 inches from tip to tip.

DENNY HEENAN TO COACH, ST. CLOUD

Dennis A. Heenan, familiarly known as "Denny", is leaving today for St. Cloud, Minn., where he will coach football and basketball in Cathlamet high school. Heenan graduated from Salem high school in 1925 and from Notre Dame university in 1930. While at the latter institution he took work under the late Knute Rockne.

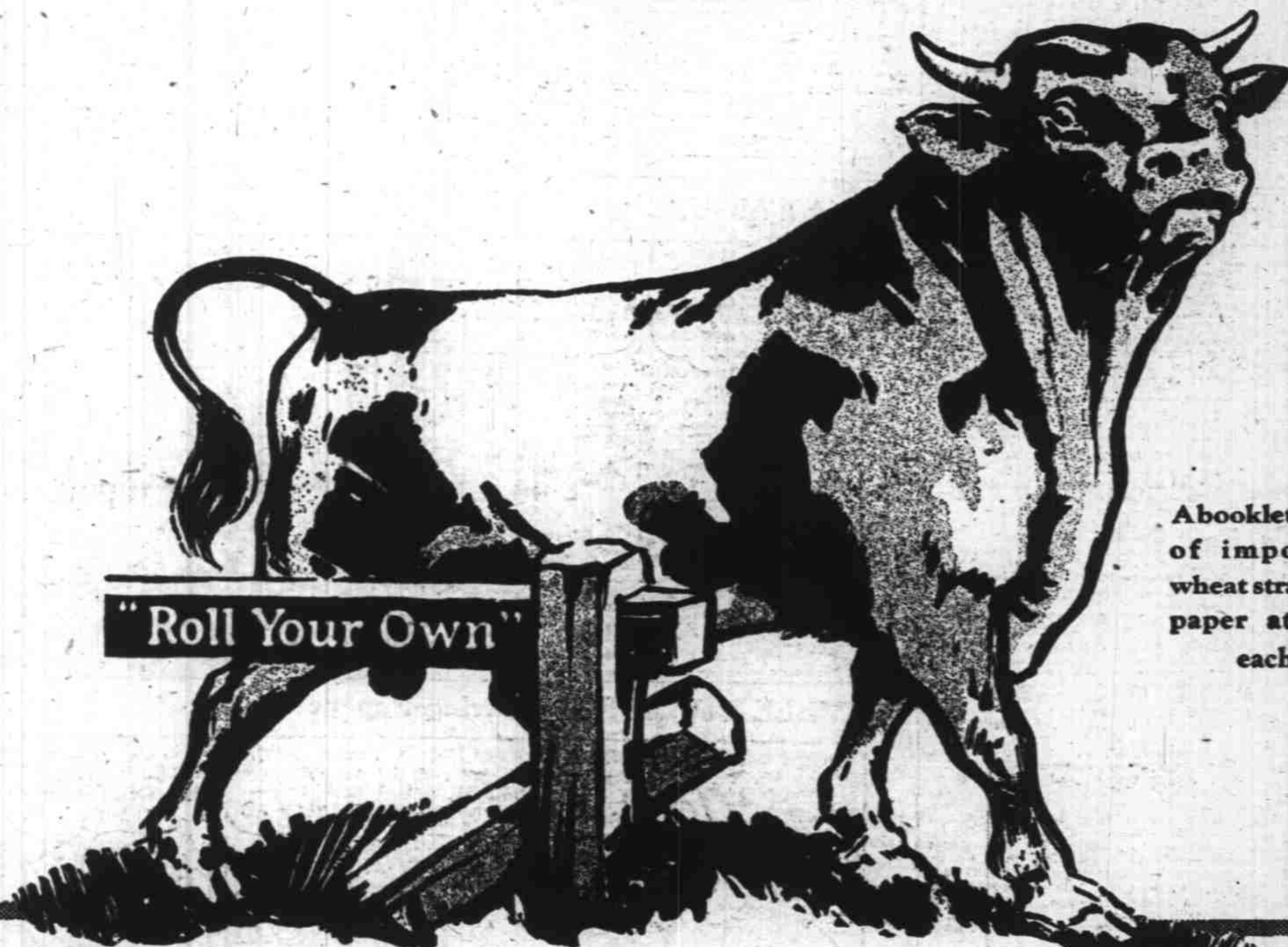
St. Cloud is a city about the size of Salem but the high school has not the athletic record of Salem the past year. The Cathedral football team made but one touchdown during the season against other teams and the basketball quintet won only one game.

"Denny" is accompanying Oscar Anderson, who has been visiting his mother here. They are driving east.

Olinger Tossers Win Both Games

The Intermediates of the 14th street playground won both games of a double header from Lincoln playground ball players Thursday afternoon, 9 to 1 and 11 to 0. Batteries for both games were: 14th street, Steinke and McClarty; Lincoln, Lunsford and McCallister.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—(AP)—Threatening weather this evening caused the second successive postponement of the Charley Retzlaff-Joe Sekyra heavyweight bout at the Queensboro stadium. Weather permitting, they will meet in ten rounds next Tuesday.



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