

PROMOTERS TRY TO STRAIGHTEN OUT RING TANGLE

New York, Aug. 12.—Fistic managers and promoters today entered upon the second round of their heavyweight auction with Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills on the block.

Paddy Mullins, manager of Wills, today had two conferences on his schedule. After discussing with Promoter Floyd Fitzsimmons of Michigan City, Ind., the latter's proposal to stage a Wills-Dempsey fight next year, he received decision until word is received from Wills.

Jack Kearns, who is manager of Dempsey, according to his own view, and who has nothing to say about Dempsey's affairs, in the opinion of the champion, exploded once yesterday and threatened to do so again Friday.

"I'll have plenty to say to the boxing commission," was the promise of the man who guided Dempsey through his important battles declaring that he would sign Jack to fight Wills and Mickey Walker to defend his welterweight championship against Dave Shade.

These foremen threatened to touch off a counter bomb in California. Dempsey, nettled by the action of the New York boxing commission in declaring him ineligible for delaying the Wills negotiations, has stricken New York off the list as scene of the defense of his title. He has also rejected Kearns. Since the latter still holds a contract as the champion's manager, prospect of throwing the stonion in a complete jumble loomed as an almost certain outcome of fulfillment of Kearns' promise.

Mullins was inclined to sidetrack the Tunney issue in favor of the prospect of clinching the Dempsey fight. Rickard intimated that the biggest purse ever offered Wills was awaiting the signature of the negro's manager to a contract to fight the New York heavyweight but it did not tempt

Mullins. As a matter of fact Mullins admitted he could not be tempted by anything so long as Wills continued to remain absent in Europe. Wills not Mullins and Wills' wife, who has frequently aided the negro fighter to make decisions, will cast the deciding votes.

CHURCHILL SAYS USE OF NAME UNAUTHORIZED

Salemen of certain encyclopedias that are being sold about the state have no authority to use the name of J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of schools, as having indorsed the book, Mr. Churchill said yesterday. Reports reaching Mr. Churchill also say that he is being represented as a contributor to the books.

"I have contributed frequently to various educational publications," said Mr. Churchill, "but have never allowed my name to be used as a bait for prospective purchasers."

Yesterday's Scores

Portland 8; Oakland 6.
Seattle 5; Vernon 5.
Los Angeles 4; Sacramento 3.
San Francisco 5; Salt Lake, 2 for farmers. They fell behind in

CHILD BORN TO WOMAN EVICTED FROM HOME DIES

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Deserted by her husband and father and evicted from her only home, Mrs. Anne Cooper, 19, gave birth to a child as she lay on the roadside in the village of Phoenix, southwest of Chicago.

The baby died a few hours later in an infirmary where it and the mother were taken in a hearse because no ambulance was available. Physicians there attributed the death to exposure and premature birth induced by the sight of a pistol in the hands of the evicting constable.

An investigation by the coroner will be asked and an inquest held. The mother is in a serious condition.

Mrs. Cooper is one of eleven children. Since her father deserted them three years ago her mother, Mrs. John Max, and the elder children earned a pittance by working on farms. They fell behind in

their rent. Then Mrs. Cooper's husband left. Mrs. Max said the constable had evicted them after telling them they were squatters and giving them a week to move.

MISS EDERLE TO TRY SWIM NEXT TUESDAY

Boulogne, France, Aug. 12.—(AP)—Miss Gertrude Ederle, the American who will attempt to swim the English channel next Tuesday, resumed active training today after a five days rest.

EUGENE STILL RAINLESS

Eugene, Aug. 12.—Though clouds were again hanging low and threatening here this morning, no rain had fallen, and the long dry spell remained unbroken.

Yesterday morning was cloudy but in the afternoon the skies cleared. The temperature, however, had a change of heart, the maximum for the day being but 77 degrees, as compared with the marks of 95 and 96 of the few days before.

INDEPENDENCE CLINGHES FIRST PLACE IN LEAGUE

Dallas, Aug. 12.—Independence clinched first place in the Polk county league Sunday at Independ-

dence defeating Dallas 5 to 2. Dallas was staked to a two run lead in the game but this was overcome when Independence took advantage of Moser's wildness. White,

Independence pitcher, practically won his own game when he sent a liner into deep left but Staats retrieved it in time to hold him up at third.

Aside from the bad inning Monday, Bennett of Dallas cut off what looked like a sure home run after a hard run to deep center. He muffed the ball but caught it again before it hit the ground.

Children's Eyes Need Attention

The eyes of every school child should be thoroughly tested before entering school this fall. It is surprising the effect of faulty vision on the progress of young folks in their studies.

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