

JOHNSON WORLD CHAMPION OF FIGHT RING

Interference Saves Burns
in a Knockout in the
Fourteenth Round

J. JEFFRIES MAY
FIGHT THE BLACK MAN

and Reach of the Negro
is the Direct Cause of
Burns' Defeat

... N. S. W., Dec. 25.—Jack
the big negro, from Gal-
Tex., is the world's heavy-
champion. He won the title
in the big arena at Ruscut-
from Tommy Burns, the
Canadian, who had held it
James J. Jeffries relinquished
after a chase of Burns that
way around the world.
and came in the 14th round,
the police, seeing Burns totter-
unable to defend himself
savage blows of his oppon-
successfully stopped the fight.
it had been arranged that,
police interfered, a decision
was rendered on points, and
McIntosh declared the big
winner, for all through
he had shown himself
master in every style of fight-
Big, Reach Too Great.
in an interview after he
to his dressing-room, said:

"I did the best I could and fought
hard. Johnson was too big and his
reach was too great."
Johnson appeared fresh after the
fight, while Burns' eyes were badly
puffed and his mouth swollen to
twice its normal size. He fought a
game battle, and showed indomit-
able pluck, but he was no match for



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the big Texas track.
Losers Get Lion's Share.
The fight was for a purse of \$35,000,
of which Burns received \$30,000,
Johnson \$5,000. The ring was a
24-foot one and was pitched in the
center of a big arena built especially
for the purpose at Ruscutter's
bay. The bout was to have been for
20 rounds.
The day dawned overcast and cool.
Thousands of persons from all parts

of the country were attracted to the
scene of the encounter and many
reached there Christmas night and
slept in the open. They came by
street cars, automobiles, carriages
and on horseback, and at 10 o'clock
this morning, one hour before the
fight was scheduled to start, every
seat was occupied. The prices of
seats ranged from \$2.50 to \$25.
The crowd was estimated at be-
tween 18,000 and 20,000 persons,
and it kept perfect order throughout
the fight. A brass band enlivened
the holiday throng.

No Bandages Allowed.
The referee, however, here took a
hand in the controversy and said the
wearing of bandages was against the
rules, Johnson still demurred, never-
theless, and Burns, with a show of
impatience, had his seconds unwind
the tape. His action brought forth
from the spectators a tremendous
round of applause.
The men agreed that if the police
should interfere and stop the fight,
the referee should decide the fight on
points.
At 11:15 o'clock Johnson and
Burns posed for a moving picture
machine and had received final in-
struction from Referee McIntosh and
retired to their corners. Then the
battle began.

Jeffries to Fight.
James J. Jeffries, the retired
champion, will probably take on
Johnson. In an interview at Los
Angeles before the fight he made the
statement that he would fight the
winner.

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SPORTING NOTES

Murray Parker, the track pitcher
of the Springfield, Mass., team, has
decided to join the Pasadena, Cal.,
team.

Wilbur Goode, the Cleveland out-
fielder, is playing basketball in Penn-
sylvania.

Clark Griffith gets a one-year con-
tract at Cincinnati with the option
of renewal.

California fight promoters are af-
ter Jim Driscoll to meet Abe Attell.

Jimmy Britt, who has been in Eng-
land for some time, will go to Aus-
tralia in February.

Looks as though St. Louis got a
little the better of it in the Criger-
Spencer trade.

The St. Louis and Brooklyn clubs
of the National league are still on
the lookout for managers.

Cy Young is the only player of
the old Boston American league
champions who is still with the team.

The National Bowling association
has decided to hold its annual con-
vention and tournament in Madison
Square Garden, New York, beginning
May 24, and continuing for three
weeks.

Billy Clymer, the successful man-
ager of the Columbus, Ohio, team,
would like to try his hand at manag-
ing a major league club.

The National Athletic club, of
Brooklyn, has been granted an in-
junction which prevents the police
interfering with its boxing shows.

The bout between Packey McFar-
land and Young Erne, which was
scheduled to take place in New Or-
leans two days before Christmas, has
been declared off.

The National Sporting club of Lon-
don, would like to arrange a bout be-
tween Owen Moran and Jim Driscoll,
both of whom are now in America.

Tom Jones, the former manager
of Bill Papke, has taken hold of Al

Wiegast, the Milwaukee fighter, who
recently bested Abe Attell.

The Kentucky court of appeals has
rendered a decision holding that bet-
ting on a horse race is not gaming
and cannot be construed as felony.

Several proposed amendments of



W. D. JAMIESON.
Among the surprises of the election
was the defeat of Congressman Wil-
liam P. Hepburn of Iowa by W. D.
Jamieson, a young Democrat. Mr.
Jamieson is thirty-five years old and
owner of the Shenandoah World.

importance to the golfing world will
be acted upon at the annual meet-
ing of the United States Golf associa-
tion, which will be held in New
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on Saturday, January 31st, at 2 p. m.
for the purpose of electing a board of
directors, fixing supplementary articles
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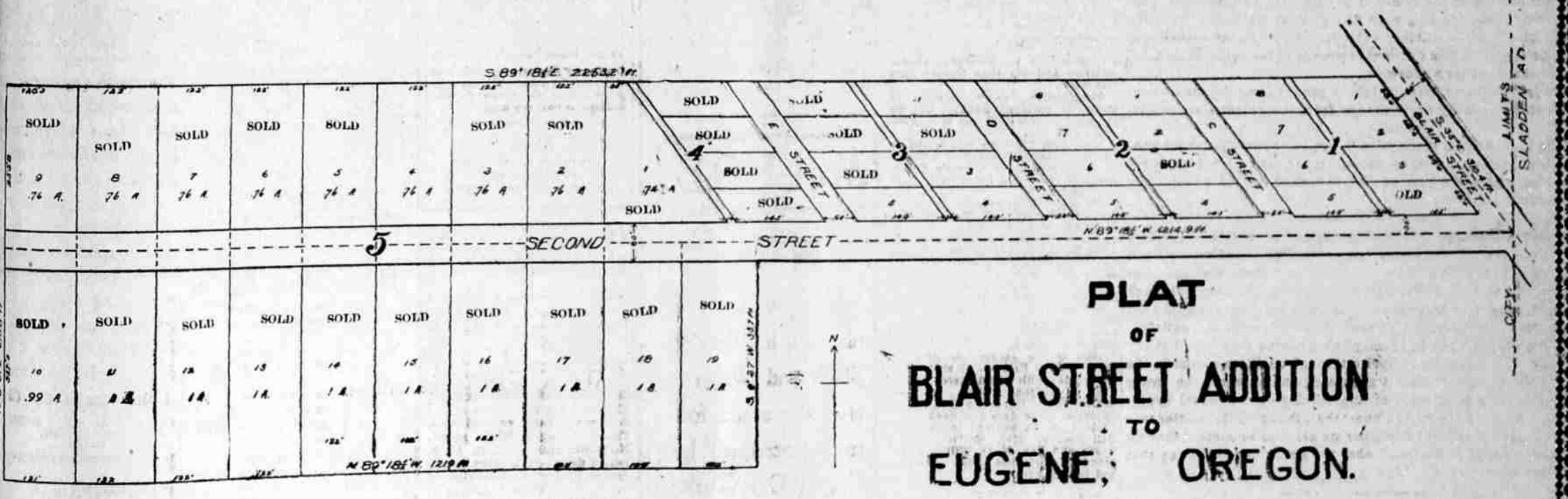
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