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JEFFRIES-SHARKEY FIGHT

Jeffries Wins—What Both Men Say of the Battle.

A New York dispatch to the Idaho Statesman, under date of November 4, says: After the Sarkey-Jeffries bout last night, the two pugilists were taken to separate Turkish bath establishments up town. With two broken ribs and a lame shoulder, Sharkey was willing to be assisted in his movements, and when he and his attendants reached their destination, after a long ride in a cab, he was carried into the bath house and rubbed down. During that operation he talked a little, saying he would have put Jeffries out if he had not wrenched his shoulder in the 18th round.

"It was like fighting with one arm after that," he said. He did not know how the shoulder was wrenched. Jeffries remained at the bathing rooms until noon when he set out for Philadelphia to visit relatives. The champion seemed anything but pleased over the result of the fight. He had expected a much easier task. There is a big lump on his cheek bone and a slight abrasion on the forehead between the eye brows and the skin of his nose is badly lacerated.

His left arm, which was strained while training is now almost useless. It bothered him considerably during the last round of last night's fight. A bulletin sent out Friday night just at the close of the fight said Jeffries won on a foul. The story of the battle left the point in uncertainty and the Statesman asked for information on the point. In response the association agent sent a fuller report of the last round follows:

THE DECIDING ROUND.

Round 25—They shook hands in the center. Jeffries led for the head, but Sharkey ducked. Again Jeffries led, but once more Tom was clever and ducked away from him. Both swung rights. Tom's was blocked, but Jim's landed quite frequently. They clinched and Jim hooked his left to Tom's ear, the sailor returning with a right on the body. Tom kept coming to his man, but was met with upper cuts on the chest and a clinch followed. Jeffries sent his right to the body, with Tom hooking three rights on the head. Tom swung viciously for the head, but missed, and Jim hooked a left hard to the jaw, staggering the sailor. In a clinch Tom slipped to the floor, pulling Jim's glove with him as he fell. The referee picked up the glove and tried to adjust it, meanwhile Sharkey tried to get at the Californian. Jeffries broke away from the referee as Sharkey led for him with his right, and Jim sent his right over Sharkey's shoulder. The referee then got between them and as he did so, the bell rang ending the fight. The referee then decided Jeffries the winner.

SHARKEY TALKS.

Sharkey said: "Jeffries did not win that fight. Giving the decision to him was the rankest kind of robbery and Jeffries was not the only man who was in on the deal either. Why that big stiff was laying all over me half the time, and fouling me time and again. I asked him to break away and he would not. It was more like wrestling than anything else."

"Jeffries says you fouled him," said one of those present.

"He's a liar," exclaimed Sharkey. "I never fouled him."

"What do you think of Jeffries as a fighter and how does he compare with other men you have been against?"

"He's a big kid. All he's got is strength. He doesn't know anything about fighting at all. He has not got the least bit of science. He knows how to wrestle and that's about all he does know. He can't

fight and I'll bet he does not hold that belt a year.

WHAT JEFFRIES SAYS.

"Sharkey is the hardest and best man I ever met, and I hardly expect to meet any better. With in six months I have met and defeated the best two men in the world and will now take a long rest, probably nine months or a year. Never again will I fight under the same conditions. The best of the lights overhead tended to take away a great deal of my steam and the glare from the floor weakened my eyes. My left arm, the one that was injured while training, gave out in the fourth round and I could not use it properly for the rest of the battle, or the result would have been different, for I think that I could have knocked him out. Sharkey is a game man and hard to beat, but I had no thought of any different result at any time during the battle. After my rest, which I think the public will agree that I deserve, I will again be ready to meet any and all who aspire to my title."

Fen and Scissors.

If advance polls of the senate can be relied upon, Quay will be seated, regardless of precedent.

The welcome given Admiral Schley in the South was warm enough to console him for the administration's cold shoulder.

More money has been spent by the republicans in Ohio during this campaign than was spent in that state to elect McKinley.

With a handful of rich New Yorkers the most important question of the day is, "Will automobiles be allowed in Central Park?"

"Teddy" Roosevelt has been helping Boss Platt read Whitelaw Read and his paper out of the republican party. As they had already knocked Whitelaw out of an ambassadorship, they seem disposed to pile it on.

Notwithstanding claims which have been put forth, we decline to admit the existence of such a thing as a "McKinley democrat."

The man who calls himself such is merely trying to apologize to himself for having become a republican.

It would seem that a decision of a Georgia justice of the peace, that it is a violation of law for a man to carry a bottle of whisky in his buggy when he goes to a country church, is a serious infringement of the personal rights of the individual. Had the j. p. made the same ruling in the case of the man who carried the whisky to church in his stomach he would have set an example worthy of emulation by every judge in the land.

Peasant Culture.

The Grant County News is in receipt of a sample of the Spanish variety of peanut raised on Hank Weckins' ranch near Mt. Vernon. The seed was planted on the last day of May and the nut taken from the ground on the 29th of October. In size the specimen is below the average, but the kernel is exceptionally sweet and if the plant had had the advantage of time and the manner of cultivation thoroughly understood, the peanut would no doubt have been more satisfactory. Enough has been proven by the experiment, however, to satisfy Mr. Workins that a superior quality can be produced on his place and that the soil is adapted to its cultivation. If his judgment is correct, a new industry will have been discovered that will prove of localizable value to farmers having land on which it is possible to raise more tender plants.

Arizona wants statehood.

INTERESTING ITEMS

Called From Exchanges Surrounding Burns.

(Malheur County Herald, Nov. 24.)

Geo. Vanderhoof is home from his trip to Burns and Cord. Mrs. Vanderhoof and the children arrived Thursday and will make Vale their permanent home.

Money who is charged with alleged larceny of a horse, had a preliminary examination at Ontario Wednesday, and was bound over to await the action of the circuit court in the sum of \$1500. He immediately gave the bonds.

S. P. Stacey dropped in to see us Tuesday and stated that he had secured 100 signatures to the petition protesting against the leasing of the public domain. A new petition was handed him and he says he will have no trouble in obtaining 100 additional names in this precinct. Let the good work go on.

(District Silver Advocate, Nov. 1st.)

W. D. Hanley shipped a train load of cattle east from this point Sunday.

H. E. Thompson of the hardware firm of I. S. Geer & Co. of Burns, arrived in the city Monday on his way to Pocatello on business, and states that he may visit Butte before he returns.

Three rooms of the new brick building on main street will be ready for occupancy the 10th, one will be occupied by Mrs. Sterns who will put in a Racket store, another by Walter Snyder's barber shop and bath rooms and Frank Gibbler's notion store will occupy the third.

Random News Notes.

Major C. U. Gantenbein, who was recently appointed adjutant-general of Oregon, took up his duties the 2d inst.

General Miles and party arrived in Seattle last week and went from there to inspect the new army fortifications at Port Townsend.

The defeated cup challenger, Shanrock, and Sir Thomas Lip-ton's steam yacht Erin, left New York on November 24, homeward bound.

One million eggs of the Chinook salmon are to be sent by the United States fish commissioner to New Zealand. The eggs are from a hatchery in Oregon.

The Winnemucca Silver State says that a few days ago J. H. Thies of Lovelock sent as a present to a San Francisco friend thirty-two potatoes weighing 101 pounds.

General J. C. Breckinridge, inspector-general of the United States Army, is in San Francisco, and will remain on the coast some time in the discharge of his official duties.

Van C. Alexander, who was indicted jointly with John Barkley and F. Ferrans for robbing the United States mail, entered a plea of not guilty and his trial was set for November 25.

The treasure brought down from Alaska by the steamer Portland, which arrived at San Francisco the latter part of last week, exceeded \$1,000,000. Most of the gold came from the Nones district.

J. R. Willard, who murdered T. D. Perry on the latter's farm, three miles from Salem, recently, has been held without bail to await the action of the next term of circuit court of Marion county.

The six soldier boys from Big Timbers, Montana, who served in the Philippines, were accorded a royal reception on their return home. Each was given a gold watch, suitably engraved.

Admiral Dewey announced to some of his more intimate friends a few nights ago the fact of his engagement to Mrs. W. B. Hazen, of Washington. She is a sister of J. R. McLean, Democratic candidate

for governor of Ohio. She has no children and is a woman of large means, about 40 years of age, and popular in the best society circles of Washington.

The three ex-cruisers of the Spanish navy at Manila, the Isla de Cuba, Isla de Luzon and Don Juan de Austria, will be placed on blockade duty in the Philippines. The three cruisers were sunk at Cavite by the ships of Dewey. The estimated cost of repairing the ships, exclusive of armament, was \$304,600.

The monthly statement of the director of the mint at Washington, shows during the month of October last, the total coinage of the mints of the United States was \$11,818,100, as follows: Gold, \$8,220,000; silver, \$3,313,569; minor coins, \$284,540.

United States transports Pennsylvania and Olympia sailed from Portland for the Philippines on the night of November 2, with the Thirty-ninth infantry and two companies of the Forty-fifth infantry on board.

The Yukon and its head waters closed for steamer navigation October 20. On that date the river steamer W. S. Stratton, owned by Alex McDonald, got caught in an ice jam and sank in 50 feet of water.

The Evangelical Alliance, composed of the pastors of all denominations in St. Louis, has unanimously adopted a resolution protesting against the seating of Congressman Roberts, of Utah.

Oregon's Registration Law.

The new registration law for Oregon goes into effect January 1, 1900. From that date until May 15th voters will be given an opportunity to register their names and answer numerous questions to gain the privilege of voting. Voters will be required to give their names in full, age, occupation, the country of his birth, if naturalized, when his place of residence and whether or not he can write his name. The clerk may add any information he sees fit for the information of the judges of election.

The institution of marriage keeps the moral world in being, and secures it from an untimely dissolution. Without it, natural affection and amableness would not exist, domestic education would become extinct, industry and economy be unknown, and man be left to the precarious existence of the savage. But for this institution learning and refinement would expire, government sink into the gulf of anarchy, and religion, hunted from earth, would hasten back to her native heavens.—T. Dwight.

It is pitiful to contemplate the distress which would be brought upon the country if the war in South Africa should bring on a diamond famine just at the beginning of winter.—Kansas City Star.

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