

SPIDER KELLEY IS ALL TO THE GOOD

Splendid 20-Round Fight Seen by San Francisco Fans—Gleason Leaves For North to See Jeffries.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 29.—Spider Kelly, ally sided and abetted by Tommy McCarthy, stood cyclone sunny Thompson off for a twenty-round draw at Dreamland last night after one of the busiest, most blistering fights ever witnessed in a local ring. The statement that Kelly earned the draw is made advisedly, for if even a man fought a great battle it was the Spider. Never once in all of the many fights that the great second has participated, either as principal or adviser, did he work as hard as he worked to save McCarthy from defeat, and when Referee Hanlon, at the close of the twentieth round, held up the arms of both little gladiators, the Spider was both happy and exhausted.

Throwing heart and body into the fray, Kelly held up the fast-weakening McCarthy in the last seven rounds of the battle by his steady flow of advice and blarney, kept up the fighting spirit of his boy, pulled him out of many a bad hole, showed him when and where to even things up and in the end had the satisfaction of getting a split from the referee.

McCarthy Good Fighter.
It was the general impression among men who have followed the fight game in San Francisco for years that with a bit more seasoning and experience McCarthy will make the best of them hurry.

The bricklayer displayed a coolness that would have done credit to Nelson and a kick with either hand that bodes ill for a man of less iron than Thompson.
The first four rounds were McCarthy's, without a doubt. Until the eleventh matters were even, McCarthy punching away the lead Thompson gained by his pushing tactics.

The twelfth and seventeenth were Thompson's, with McCarthy fighting bravely and determined to stay. In the final two periods the local boy, although so tired even his teeth were easy, waked up and landed punches that made even the cast-iron Cyclone take his head.

Referee Hanlon's decision was right. It couldn't have been anything else. McCarthy demonstrated that he has a right in the future to meet the big man in his class. Already they are clamoring for another match between the two.
Gleason to Portland.
Jack Gleason leaves for Seattle tomorrow night to have it out with Sam Berger and Jim Jeffries as to the probable battle-ground for the Jeffries-Johnson fight. In making the announcement Gleason today gave his first intimation that he may fall into line with Tex Rickards' way of thinking and permit the big fight to take place in Salt Lake.

"When I get to Seattle," said Jack, "I will have a long talk with Jeffries and Berger and get their views as to the battle ground. If I find that they will be satisfied to fight in Salt Lake I will go to the Utah capital and see Governor Spry for the purpose of satisfying myself as to his attitude. He has the last word, and if he says the fight cannot take place in Utah, well and good, but if he shows an inclination to let down the bars, then the big fighters will fight there."
In connection with this statement by Gleason, the old rumor was revived that the Rickard-Gleason joint debate is merely a scheme to smoke out local capital with which to finance the battle. As the story goes, Rickard, "low down" would rather have the fight take place here, but he wants to be shown. Salt Lake merchants have promised substantial backing, but as long as San Francisco falls to come through in kind 'ex is going to stick by the Mormons. However, should San Francisco money be behind him, he will not hesitate to come here.

BAPTIST CHURCH CALLS NEW PASTOR

Rev. A. A. Holmes, late of Corona, Cal., Will Succeed Rev. L. G. Hall—Reception Planned.

The members of the First Baptist church of Medford have called Rev. A. A. Holmes of Corona, Cal., to succeed Rev. G. Leroy Hall as pastor of the church. Mr. Hall's resignation was tendered some time ago, but his successor has only recently been selected.

On the evening of February 10 a reception will be given at the church to Mr. and Mrs. Holmes by the ladies of the congregation, to which all members of the church and congregation are invited. Plans are also being considered for the complete renovation of the interior of the church, to be undertaken by the Ladies' Aid society.

Dorris Tunnel Opened.
The long tunnel on the California & Northwestern railroad near Dorris, has been completed and trains are now running through it. The shoe-fly track which has served for temporary use in crossing the summit while the tunnel was being completed, is now being torn up. The Dorris tunnel is nearly half a mile long.

What Do You Know About That?
A Marion county farmer's seven cows produced butter fat during December last to the value of \$1.05. The dairy is only a side issue on his farm, but it came in very handy for the first winter month, and the cows are keeping up the same gain for the current month.

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HEARST BACK OF SLOGAN "TED-'12"

Higgen Starts Boom for Roosevelt—Would Link Independence League With Insurgents.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 29.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt as a candidate for president in 1912, through a coalition of the forces led by William H. Hearst, the Independence League and the disgruntled insurgent Republicans, is the boom started here today by Thomas L. Higgen, who was the Hearst nominee for president in 1908.

Higgen said that the Hearst forces and the Independence League has no chance of success when in the field alone. He added that the insurgents under La Follette, Bulliver, Cummins and Murdock would face a like condition should they attempt to fight the regular Republican nominee single-handed. Higgen also declared that Colonel Roosevelt, popular as he is with the people of the country, would make but little headway against the power that would be opposed to him.

Higgen, speaking for the Independence League, declares that the organization leans to Roosevelt and wants him for its leader in 1912. He expressed confidence that the insurgent Republicans with their large following would join in Roosevelt's support and that the coalition would carry enough votes to defeat both the regular Republican and the Democratic candidates.

MEDFORD LOCATION OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY

B. F. Mulkey Will Locate Here Permanently After February 1—Offices Now Fitted Up.

District Attorney Mulkey will have his main office in Medford after February 1, as all preparations for the moving of the office have already been completed. The prosecuting attorney will have his offices in the Jackson County Bank building, adjoining those of W. H. Canon, United States commissioner, justice of the peace, mayor of the city and police judge, so that the "powers that be" will be in position to see that the wheels of justice keep turning, albeit slowly at times.

Mr. Mulkey recognizes Medford as the center of the commercial, and consequently the legal, transactions which may be brought to his attention during his term of office, and naturally desires to be on the firing line. Hence his move to the principal city of Southern Oregon.

HOOPER DENIES THAT HE HAS TREES IN CAR

L. E. Hoover denies the implication that he has fruit trees in the car of California trees held up by the inspectors. "I have never handled a California tree during my whole career as a seller of trees in this valley," said Mr. Hoover, "nor do I intend to. I had a few grape and gooseberry vines in that car, and they are in the same fix as 'old dog Tray'—caught in bad company."

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IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE

Associated Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The statement of the Associated banks, issued today, is as follows:

	Increase.
Reserve on all deposits...	2,264,109
Reserve on all deposits other than U. S. deposits...	2,224,459
Loans	17,484,200
Specie	10,987,290
Legal tenders	72,000
Deposits	27,094,400
Circulation	562,000
Total loans	1,218,476,900

Decrease.
The surplus of the banks is \$34,078,000, as against \$28,665,950 last year and \$55,782,725 two years ago.

Range of Wheat Small.
CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 29.—Range of the wheat market was rather small today and reflected a red condition in the trade. Closing was 1-8 to 1-4 cent a bushel higher than Friday.

At the opening of the market sentiment was mixed, but the views of buyers were not very far apart. In May there was no change in quotations at the start. July was 1-8 cent higher than yesterday, while September was 1-4 cent lower.

Liverpool was not very brisk, closing values being down to 1-8d higher than yesterday.

Market Gets Support.
NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The stock market today was tendered aggressive support, it apparently being fears of the government's decision of continuing the Union Pacific suit would cause further liquidation. In addition to this support, it seems only natural that the shorts who have made considerable headway during the last week should desire to secure some profits, and in accordance with their operations for the most which contributed to the better feeling during the day's session.

A wealthy colorado was reported as having changed their attitude toward the market, and as a result bought freely during the day's session.

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GENERAL BADLY HURT IN BATTLE

Most Trusted Lieutenant of General Estrada Led Charge Which Turned Tide and Is Badly Wounded.

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, Jan. 29.—General Chamorro, the most trusted and efficient lieutenant of the revolutionary commander, General Estrada, lies seriously wounded in a hospital at the front, according to dispatches brought here today. Chamorro personally led the attack upon the government position near Acayapa during the bloody battle of January 25, in which each side lost more than 200 men killed or wounded.

A battery at the center of the Madrid line apparently was the keystone of the government troops' defense. It was manned, according to the insurgents, by Englishmen.

Knowing that his success in the engagement depended upon the silencing of these guns, the general led a detachment of his men upon it in the face of a withering fire. He was wounded twice, but did not retire until his task had been accomplished. The capture of the battery turned the tide in favor of the insurgents.

Revolutionists Denounce U. S.

BLUESFIELDS, Nicaragua, Jan. 29.—Sympathizers with the revolution are bitter in their denunciation today of the attitude toward the Madrid government which the stand which has been taken by Rear-Admiral Kimball.

They declare the statement warning Americans to take no part in the war he issued, was an indirect justification of the execution by Zelaya's men of Leroy Cannon and Leonard Groce, American citizens, who cast their lots with Estrada's cause.

Such a stand, they further assert, he would not dare to take unless he were absolutely sure of the position of the state department of the United States. It is they profess to see a veiled approval of Madrid by the United States, and predict that if the government's troops are successful in keeping the revolutionary troops from Managua, Madrid will be recognized as ruler of Nicaragua.

BATTLED FOR 23 DAYS TO KEEP SCHOONER AFLOAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 29.—After fighting night and day for 23 days to keep their little craft afloat, the members of the crew of the schooner Eva are resting here today while the ship is being made seaworthy again.

The Eva put out of Mahukona, Maui, T. H., for Eureka, January 4. The following day Captain Olsen discovered four feet of water in her hold.

Realizing the danger he was running, he decided to try to make San Francisco before putting into port for repairs. Off the California coast, however, the Eva encountered a series of head winds, accompanied by unusually heavy seas. Her officers and crew were almost spent by the unending vigil and toil over the pumps of the long three weeks.

Captain Olsen declared today he will finish his run when his ship is again ready for sea.

On November 16, 1906, the Eva also crept into port in a badly waterlogged condition.

TRAINMEN RESIST ALL FEDERATION INTERFERENCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Alleged interference by the American Federation of Labor with the affairs of the trainmen and conductors of the railroads of the east is being resisted by railroad employees. President Lee of the trainmen says that his men would not submit to dictation by the American Federation in their difficulties with the railway companies.

Recently the men demanded an increase of wages, but the demand was refused by the railroads. The road officials, however, offered to meet a body of the trainmen in conference for the purpose of adopting a compromise wage schedule. The trainmen decided to do so, and negotiations are now under way with fair prospects of amicable termination.

NEW MONSTER ENGINES TO CLIMB SISKIYOU

It is reported that the Southern Pacific will soon send two of their big new Mallet compound engines, their latest experiment in monster locomotives, to Ashland, to be put in the helper service across the Siskiyou to Hornbrook. These monster machines have a weight of 390,000 pounds on the drivers, as against 150,000 for the big moguls now in common use. They are over 90 feet long and on account of this extreme length the engineer's cab is placed in front and ahead of the boiler to enable him to see the track ahead.

The Mallet compound is virtually two engines in one. There is no turntable on the shafts division at present large enough to handle one of these monster machines which would have to depend upon a "Y" track to make a turn.

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\$13,000—Thirty-two acres, close to Medford; eight acres in Newtowns and Spitzenbergs 5 to 7 years of age; 14 acres in alfalfa; three acres in peaches; two acres in berries; irrigated; buildings.

\$13,000—Twenty acres; 16 acres in 7-year-old Newtowns and balance in 3-year-old Bartlett pears; no buildings.

\$7000—Ten acres, all planted to Newtown and Spitzenberg apples, 7 to 11 years old.

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