

# IN THE REALM OF SPORT

## DEMPESEY SAYS SHARKEY LEADS HEAVY WEIGHTS

### Manassa Mauler Might Re-Enter Ring to Settle Title.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13. (AP)—So far Jack Dempsey is concerned, the heavyweight champion of the world is Jack Sharkey of Boston.

Ranking the boxes in each division for The Ring, a flat magazine, the old Manassa mauler places Sharkey at the top of the heap and terms him the "accredited world's heavyweight champion."

#### List Not Formidable

Back of the Boston sailor Dempsey ranks Max Schmeling of Germany; Tuffy Griffiths of Sioux City, Ia., and Phil Scott of England. Then he groups seven men—Tommy Loughran, Otto Van Post, George Godfrey, Johnny Risso, Victorio Compo, Young Strickling and Paulino Uesodon. The rankings were made before Paulino's victory over Van Post in the Madison Square Garden Friday night.

#### May Try Come Back

Of his own plans, Dempsey says little that is definite. He believes that Sharkey is good enough to repel all attempts to take the heavyweight title out of this country but hints that if the sailor fails, he (Dempsey) may try another come-back. "I still feel," says Jack, "that even with my long absence from ring competition, I could give a good account of myself with any of the present crop of heavyweights. On the face of things, however, I feel that I am done as an active participant."

#### Submits Rankings

Dempsey's rankings succeed those made for the ring for several years by the late Tex Rickard.

#### Here's the way Dempsey ranks the leaders in the other divisions:

- Light heavyweights—Masey Rosenbloom, Jimmy Slattery, Lou Soosa, Leo Lomaki.
- Middleweights—Mickey Walker, Dave Rhade, Rene Devos, Ace Hopkins.
- Welterweights—Jackie Fields and Jimmy McLarnie.
- Lightweights—Sammy Mandell and Tony Cassoneri.
- Featherweights—Kid Choccolio, Earl Mastro and Nat Battalino.
- Bantamweights—Al Brown and Bushy Graham.
- Flyweights—Black Hill and Midge Wolgast.

## Portland Police Solve Mystery of Missing Porkers

PORTLAND, Jan. 13. (AP)—Two men were under arrest, the carcasses of three pigs were in custody, the "death car," a taxi, had been identified, and a bloody bathtub spotted of butchery, as police announced solution of Portland's "mystery of the missing pigs."

The men are George Langlois, 42, and George Currie, 44. They were arrested last night as police lay in wait for them at a dilapidated house on Union avenue. The men were hilariously intoxicated, the officers declared, and slighting from a taxi they walked into the arms of the waiting police.

The pigs were stolen from the farm of G. S. Toshida. They were killed and bled on the spot, police declare, were then loaded into a taxi cab, covered with coats, and delivered to the Union avenue house.

The bathtub in the house made an excellent vat, police said, and its bloody walls spoke eloquently of the butchery of the missing pigs.

**LA GRANDE WINS**  
LA GRANDE, Ore., Jan. 13. (A P)—La Grande high school won its first victory in three starts by defeating Joseph 23 to 13 here Saturday night.

**NORMAL BEATS DEVILS**  
LA GRANDE, Ore., Jan. 13. (A P)—The East Oregon Normal concluded its pre-college basketball season Saturday night at Heils, defeating the Red Devils 36 to 20. East Oregon Normal and Cheney Normal will play here Tuesday.

## Pup Missing Ten Days Found With Head Fast in Log

CALEDONIA, Me., Jan. 13. (AP)—Shorty Hull's dog is recovering nicely, thank you, after learning that "temperance in all things" is a virtue more to be coveted than cotton-tails. Hunters found the dog yesterday with its head firmly fastened in a hollow log, where it evidently had tried to pursue a rabbit. The pup had been missing ten days. Although unable to walk when released, the dog rallied quickly after being fed.

## Cleveland First Sacker Leading American Batsman

CHICAGO, Jan. 13. (AP)—Low Fosseck, whose Major League baseball career apparently was over when he was shipped to the minors by the Philadelphia Nationals four years ago, was the leading batsman of the American League last season.

Fosseck, playing first base for the Cleveland Indians, won the league batting title with the lowest average since Ty Cobb's 1914 championship mark. Fosseck batted .556 times in 149 games, hitting safely 299 times for an average of .349, ten points under Leon "Goose" Goslin's 1928 mark and a point higher than Cobb's 1914 average.

Al Simmons, outfielder of the world champion Philadelphia Athletics was runner-up to Fosseck, with an average of .345, and Harry Manush, St. Louis Browns outfielder, was third with .335. Manush finished second to Goslin in 1928. Goslin made a disappointing showing, failing to finish in the 200 class.

Others in the leading ten were Jimmy Fox, Philadelphia, .334; Tony Lazzari, New York, .331; Bob Fothergill, Detroit, .330; Earl Combe, New York, .325; Babe Ruth, New York, .324; Harry Hillman, Detroit, .324; and Dale Alexander, Detroit, .315.

Habe Ruth drove out 44 home runs to retain his title, while Joe Sewell of Cleveland, led in sacrifices with 41. Sewell also tied his own world mark of striking out but four times in 152 games. Combe was credited with the most singles, 151.

## Boy Scout Lost In Snow Covered Hills

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Jan. 13. (AP)—Sheriff's deputies today headed a posse into the San Bernardino mountains to search for Richard Crawford, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Crawford, reported lost yesterday in the snow covered foothills.

Richard accompanied a group of boy scouts on a hiking expedition and when about seventeen miles from the city he was noticed to lag behind. Shortly afterward he was missed by his companions, who were unable to locate him when they retraced their steps. Darkness ended the search, with the youthful hiker still missing.

Fears for his safety are acute, as the snow is drifted high in sections of the mountain area where he was last seen. The section, however, is thickly dotted with cabins, and members of the hiking party believe the youth may have taken refuge as darkness approached.

## Rockne Goes to Florida to Rest

CHICAGO, Jan. 13. (AP)—Greatly improved in health, Knute Rockne, Notre Dame football coach, today was journeying toward Florida for further recuperation and sunshine.

Rockne, who has been suffering from a blood clot in his right leg, is able to walk with the aid of a cane. He was accompanied by Mrs. Rockne and their son, Jackie, and will stay at Miami for two months.

## DAMP WEATHER FAILS TO HALT RIVIERA PLAY

### Denny Shute Leads Fifty Purse Seekers In Open Tourney.

By PAUL ZIMMERMAN (Associated Press Sports Writer)

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13. (AP)—Half a hundred select wanderers of the nation's fairways today put two distressing rounds of golf over the rain-soaked, wind-swept Riviera course behind them as they prepared to continue play in the Los Angeles \$10,000 open tournament, cheered by the prospect of a clear sky.

Shute Leads Smith  
A young professional from Columbus, Ohio, Denny Shute, who yesterday conquered the treacherous course and the rising elements to shoot a 74, three over par, headed this array of qualifiers with a score of 147. This gave him a two-stroke advantage over his nearest rival, Young Horton Smith of the Missouri Ozarks.

Haig Drops Out  
Among the discards—the eighty who failed to shoot 159 or better—were some of the country's golfing elite, including the veteran campaigner, Walter Hagen. The Haig, whose nearly a score of years in professional play led him to most of the major championships of the world, yesterday picked up his ball at the end of the eighth hole and announced that he had enough.

Storm Favors Shute  
What quarter was given by the elements was received by Shute in his round saw him go out in 28, three over par, and come home with an even par, 36. The tempest came with all its power as the young Ohioan led out on the 18th. Smith, on the other hand, was caught with the storm at its height. The torrential rain, driven before an ocean gale, caught the Missourian as he went to the sixth green, and did not let up until he had completed the thirteenth.

Horton Shoots 76  
Grouped with MacDonald Smith, the defending champion, and Cui-ci, Horton grimly fought his way through for a 76, while his partners took 82 and 84 respectively. MacDonald Smith turned in a 159 for the 36 holes, just enough to permit him to stay for the third and final rounds today and tomorrow.

The best eighteen was chalked up for Neil Christian, Portland, Ore., pro. The exponent from the Northwest also had the favor of the elements when he shot a 73 for a 152 standing. His in card included four consecutive birdies.

## Tunney May Have To Go Under Knife

NEW YORK, Jan. 13. (AP)—Gene Tunney, retired heavyweight champion, is under observation at the Presbyterian hospital for a kidney ailment. Dr. George Winthrop Fish Tunney's physician, said he would issue a bulletin this afternoon at which time he would know whether an operation to remove a stone from the right kidney would be necessary. The physician's statement put an end to the secrecy which has surrounded the case. To be near her husband, Mrs. Polly Lauder Tunney has taken an adjoining room at the hospital.

## Hack Getting Tired of Great One's Jibes; Wants to Fight

CHICAGO, Jan. 13. (AP)—His pride nudged by some remarks made by Charles Arthur (the Great) Shires, and his imagination troubled by Chicago promoter Jim Meilen keeps saying about \$15,000 for a fight, again have aroused Lewis (Hack) Wilson.

The Dempsey of the Angouts has made his reply to Shires' assertion at Boston last Friday night, that "I didn't want Spohrer. I wanted Wilson."

Wants Shires Badly  
"I want Shires just twice as bad as he wants me," Wilson said, in breaking his long silence at his home at Martinsburg, W. Va.

Added to what he considered belittling remarks by Shires, Wilson has had another offer from Promoter Mallico, asking him to meet Shires at White City arena—for \$15,000.

Shires Aimed to Retire  
Shires was all wound up to retire from the flat-fighting business, but his triumph over bald-headed Al Spohrer, Boston Braves catcher, and some offers from here and there, have served to whet his desire for more glory, money and publicity. Among the reported offers was one from the Pacific coast for a bout with Walter "Duster" Mails, former Cleveland pitcher now with the San Francisco Seals, and the first to nominate himself as "The Great."

Wilson said he would come to Chicago within ten days to seek permission from Wm. L. Veck, president of the Cubs, to fight the great one for the honor of the National league—and \$15,000.

## LAKEVIEW TO PLAY PELICANS

year's high point man with 393 points.  
The Pelicans have played six games and run up a score of 354 to their opponents' 156 already this year. Last year they totalled 1265 points to their opponents' 614.

The lineup for Tuesday's game will be: Miller, center; Chat Sessler, forwards; Peterson, center; Walker, Dewey and Anderson, guards, and Dewey and MacDonald will sub. Dewey played last year. MacDonald came from Washington State.  
Teams wishing games should call or write Ed Arthur at the Pelican club, phone 1710.

Flames a million miles long leap out into space from the sun, yet they are secretly visible to the naked eye.

Led by Peterson  
The Pelican team, led by Walter Peterson, the Goliath of the Pelican five, have improved easily 100 per cent over last year and will be hard to beat this season. Peterson, last season shot 271 points and will come near doubling that mark this year.

The two Sesslers, Chat and Mill, are two of the best forwards seen in action in Klamath Falls and play a passing attack game. They have played together for several years and know just what to expect from each other, which means a lot in basketball. With them passing to tall Pete, who is playing up this year, it is almost always a cinch try for a close-up or set-up shot.

Guards Fast  
Curly Wakeman, Steve Beck, "the Pelican flash," and Louis Anderson are three fast guards. Each plays a different style of guarding and this makes an ideal combination to check visiting forwards. Beck, without exception, is the cleverest man in these parts with the ball and the hardest to take a ball away from. Once he gets that ball it gets to offensive territory. Curly Wakeman, last year's only regular guard to make the team, plays a faster game and is shooting much better than last year. He is passing with more speed, and working with the "flash" is one sweet guard.

"Little" Louis Anderson, "speed ball" of the team, is now playing at a guard position and is working in fast. Louis scored 225 points for the Pelicans last year and will be in there checking them up again this season. Louis played opposite Red Wenner, last

## NAME JUSTICE COURT JURORS

### List for 1930 Selected By Justice and Two Free-Holders

Justice of the Peace W. B. Barnes Saturday announced the justice court jury list for 1930. During the year jurors will be selected from the list to serve on the justice court juries. J. E. Faney and Parry O. DeLap were selected and aided in the selection of the list. Klamath County, Or.

The list follows:  
Howard Abbey, T. S. Abbott, Earl Alexander, H. W. Ayres, C. Ball, F. C. Bamber, Howard Barnhisel, John R. Beall, Nate Biden, Frank Blair, Jack Bowring, E. M. Bubb, R. M. Butler, G. L. Black, J. N. Bramhall.

Roy Call, Noble Carter, F. E. Cantrill, T. N. Case, E. M. Crambitt, Lee Carter, George Chastain, Fred Cofer, Alfred Collier, W. W. Conners, Hogue Dale, Elmhurst Dalley, Emil Drcher, J. P. Duke, Otis Dean.

J. S. Edsall, J. S. Elliott, M. P. Evans, Ross Finley, J. E. Frazer, George Fife, J. F. Flock, George O. Gates, N. B. Glinbach, J. M. Glover, J. F. Goeller, F. R. Hamblett, Frank Hamm, G. H. Hancock, Marion Hanks, B. L. Hardenbrook, A. C. Hayden, H. E. Hauger, O. M. Hector, Floyd Henriot, John Houston, C. L. Harvey.

Glenn Jester, M. L. Johnson, Joseph M. Justin, L. F. Kirkpatrick, E. C. Knight, C. H.

## DRUNK DRIVER HITS BOBSLED

One Boy Killed, Several Boys and Girls Badly Hurt in Colliding Accident at Seattle

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 13. (A P)—A boy was killed, four girls were reported near death by physicians and six other young people were in hospitals here after their bobsled had crashed head-on into an automobile in the Queen Ann hill district last night.

Ray Whitman, 15, driver of the sled, died while being rushed to the hospital. Had Jensen, 22, driver of the car, was held in jail for investigation after Police Captain George Comstock, who questioned him, said he had been drinking. Sixteen were riding the sled.

The four girls reported in a critical condition in hospitals were: Helen Haw, 15, head crushed; Margaret Chadburne, 16, head and body crushed; Tess Matthews, 16, serious internal injuries; Ann Egan, 1, head injuries. Two others in serious condition were William Walters 18, suffering brain concussion, and Clyde Tucker, 22, serious head injuries.

**DONS MITTS AGAIN**  
CHICAGO, Jan. 13. (AP)—George (Super) Grant, one and only conqueror of the Great Shires, will resume work on his boxing career at the Jai Alai front of Thursday night. Grant will meet Rudy Hoffman in a four round bout.

**MONEY TALKS**  
ORMOND BEACH, Fla., Jan. 13. (AP)—John D. is in the talks. Mr. Rockefeller made a speech for the films to help celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of Standard Oil.

**HONEST**  
BUFFALO, it took Dr. Robert S. Hambleton 53 years to pay off a debt, but he finally did. When he visited his home town of Midway, Ky., he paid his old grocer \$12.50 a debt contracted 53 years ago. The grocer, according to Hambleton, transferred the money to the persons to whom he sold his business some years ago.

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