

### Marriage Licenses Stolen from Clerk

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 4.—Four pages of license records were discovered torn out and stolen from the marriage registers at the city and county clerk's offices here Wednesday.

The records were believed stolen to cover up a bigamy case.

Four sets of brides and bride grooms are listed on the missing pages. The district attorney is holding the names of the eight secret until all of them have been questioned.

### Editor's Sentence Held Vindictive

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 4.—Petition for a writ of habeas corpus to free Alfred Lindsey, editor of the Humboldt News of Eureka, from the county jail, where he is serving 1,000 days for contempt of court was filed with the state district court of appeals here Wednesday.

The petition vigorously denies that any contempt was committed and declares that Judge Denver Sevier who sentenced Lindsey because of an article appearing in his paper, exceeded his jurisdiction.

The claim also is made that the sentence is excessive and cruel.

### PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF JAPAN VISIT U. S.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—(United News)—Their imperial highness, the Prince and Princess Asaka of Japan made a demure Oriental bow to New York Wednesday night.

Small and slender, displaying royally restrained smiles, the couple arrived here on a steamer from Paris. A large and friendly crowd, including many wealthy Japanese merchants here greeted them and escorted them to the Waldorf Astoria.

An hour later, garbed in conventional evening dress, Prince and Princess Asaka attended a reception and banquet tendered by the Japan society.

### Local Briefs

**Son Is Born**—Mr. and Mrs. John Goetz are being congratulated upon the arrival of a baby boy born yesterday in the Klamath Valley hospital. This is the second child born to Mr. and Mrs. Goetz, who are well known residents of Alkoma. They are recent arrivals from Germany.

**Here from Malin**—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor are well known residents of the Malin district, who are spending some time in the city from their ranch.

**Visiting in City**—John Spolek of Malin is included in the business visitors in Klamath Falls this week.

**Beauty Visitor**—F. J. Schmitz, well known resident of the Beauty country, where he conducts a store, is among the visitors in Klamath Falls this week.

**From the Fort**—Jerry R. Sismore, T. J. Dixon and Ruth Nichols are among the Fort Klamath residents in the city this week. They arrived in Klamath Falls last night.

**Boiler Inspector Here**—George E. Goodell, state boiler inspector, is included in the visitors in Klamath Falls this week from his home in Grants Pass. He is stopping at the Hall hotel while in the city.

**Leaving for South**—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson are leaving this morning for San Francisco, where they plan to spend the winter. On Thanksgiving a re-union of all members of the Wilson family west of

the Rocky mountains will be enjoyed, the first re-union to be had for some time.

**Rebekahs from Ashland**—Members of Hope lodge of Rebekahs, Ashland chapter, will arrive in Klamath Falls today to put on the degree work and initiate a number of candidates in the Klamath group. A dinner will be served tonight in the Presbyterian church in their honor.

**In from Olene**—Mrs. Dora Anderson is included in the many visitors in the city yesterday from her home in Olene.

**In Wednesday**—Out of town visitors in Klamath Falls yesterday included Mrs. Ben Mitchell of Klamath Agency, who spent the day visiting with friends and shopping.

**Wren Returns**—Carl R. Wren, the "Jack Holt" man, sheep buyer from Redding, is in the city again after a brief absence. Wren recently purchased several thousand head of sheep and is forth to again repeat the record.

**Contractor in Klamath**—J. S. Ragenovich of Bonanza, where he holds a contract for highway contracting, is in the city on business for several days.

**Worden Visitor**—Out of town visitors in the city last night included A. H. Gunn of Worden.

**Malin Guest in City**—Among the many guests in the city from out of town recently is J. Micka Jr. of Malin.

**On Business Here**—Business visitors in Klamath Falls this week include Ernest Trulove of Merrill, who spent yesterday in the city.

**From Merrill**—Included in the many visitors yesterday from Merrill was C. P. Casey, rancher of that vicinity.

**Here from Chiloquin**—L. V. Corbell of Chiloquin, is included in the business visitors in the city yesterday.

**Harvest Home Fete**—Of interest to scores of the younger set is the Harvest Home Fete to be given in the Presbyterian church Friday night with the Christian Endeavor Society serving as the hosts. Husking corn will be one of the interesting features of the evening as well as other games and contests reviving the old farm days. Guests will come as couples as Mr. and Mrs. Well Fixed, Mr. and Mrs. Scar Face, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Pumpkin and Mr. and Mrs. Al-

falfa Hay. Those who adhere to one special group are divided into families and the families to have contests between themselves. Guests are invited to attend the affair which will include all members of the younger set from the sophomore high school class on up.

**Married Sunday**—Of interest to a number of Klamath county residents is the announcement of the marriage of Farrell Hilyard and Miss Frances Short, well known Merrill residents. Their marriage was an event of Sunday. Both the bride and groom are members of prominent valley residents who have lived the major portion of their lives in the Klamath country.

**Return from Portland**—Mrs. Charles Thomas and Mrs. Alvin Hamuel returned the early part of the week from Portland, where they were sent as delegates to the state convention of Parent-Teachers association from the Fairview school. Their report of the convention will be given in the near future.

**Miss Lindley to go Home**—Friends of Miss Katherine Lindley will be glad to know that she is highly improved, following an operation for the removal of her appendix, and will be able to be moved to the family residence on Riverside street, within a few days.

**Redding Visitor**—W. W. Shipley of Redding, representing Dodge cars, and W. S. Schweninger of San Francisco, are among the business visitors in Klamath Falls this week.

**Triple A Man Arrives**—H. E. Gale of Grants Pass, connected with the American Automobile association, arrived in Klamath Falls last night to install the Klamath branch of triple A. The branch will be located in the chamber of commerce, with Mrs. Leah Smith in charge.

**Here from Lakeview**—H. N. Peterson of Lakeview has returned to Klamath Falls, after spending a week in the neighboring city on lumber business. Peterson is stopping at the Arcade hotel.

**From Chiloquin**—Out of town visitors in the city this week from Chiloquin include F. L. Geis.

**Here from Eastbrook**—Harry B. Howard is a visitor from Eastbrook, located above Chiloquin eight miles.

**On Business**—Valley visitors in Klamath Falls this week include a number of guests from Ashland. An Ashland resident here this week is J. E. Welch, who makes frequent business trips to the city.

## SPORTS DONE BROWN

By NORMAN E. BROWN

There always will lurk in the minds of many fans the suspicion that, had Stanley Harris sent Marberry into the seventh game in the seventh inning, before Hazen Cuyler socked out the home run (produced to two bases by ground rules) that the Senators might at least have had a fighting chance for the game in the remaining innings. Johnson had been in trouble throughout the game. It would have been a logical move to have yanked him in the fifth. All fair-minded fans, however, realize the battle that Stanley Harris waged with himself throughout the game. He must have realized that Big Walt was in trouble, had but a slim chance of holding the Pirates in check. But he also knew what the game—and the honor of pitching it and winning it—meant to Johnson, who had struggled 19 years to reach that moment. So it was a battle between sentiment and baseball. And Harris let sentiment rule. He cannot be censured for it. But his failure to send in the great relief pitcher in baseball at the crucial moment undoubtedly cost the Washington team the world's championship.

terrible injustice being reeked on Harry Wills, negro-challenger for Jack Dempsey's title.

For years we have heard how the fact he was black prevented Wills from getting fair consideration at the hands of promoters, fighters and managers in general and from Jack Dempsey and his manager, Jack Kerns, in particular.

Oh, it was simply terrible, the way Dempsey was letting the world's cleverest fighter—the reincarnation of Peter Jackson no less—waste away while waiting for a chance, and a rightful one, at the heavy-weight championship.

Mr. Wills got a crack at Luis Firpo, wild man of the Argentine pampas, after the Bull had been partly tamed, and Harry's ability to duck the wild one's haymaker punch only added to Wills' cry.

The poor old shell of Charley Welbart was dusted off and stuck into the ring for Mr. Wills, and the latter's ability to hammer the old can into a battered state added fire to his righteous indignation.

"Bring on Gibbons. Bring on Dempsey. Bring on anybody, oh, anyone, just so I can fight," wailed Wills.

About that time Young Mr. Gene Tunney put Mr. Gibbons in the ash can, which cleared Wills' path Wills

wanted to meet Tunney then—until the chance was offered him. Then Manager Paddy Mullins had business some place else—on the same date.

Then came the surprise act. Wills and Dempsey, meeting in a room over a drug store or some place, in Niles, Mich., signed to meet in a titular bout. Just where, at what time, for how many rounds, and other details were lacking.

Things finally looked good for the ambitious Wills. The date was placed far ahead. Wills needed action meanwhile.

So he signed to meet Tunney, Paul Berlenbach and Jack Delaney. Yes he did.

The first bout in which he appeared was the dance act in Jersey City against Floyd Johnson!

Look that one over. Imagine the greatest negro fighter of the time—the logical opponent of Jack Dempsey—side-stepping every-

body but poor old Floyd Johnson has been in for several years. He feeble attempt to win night by climbing into a bout with Jess Willard. Big Boy was preparing with Luis Firpo—a batt would carry him to Dempsey.

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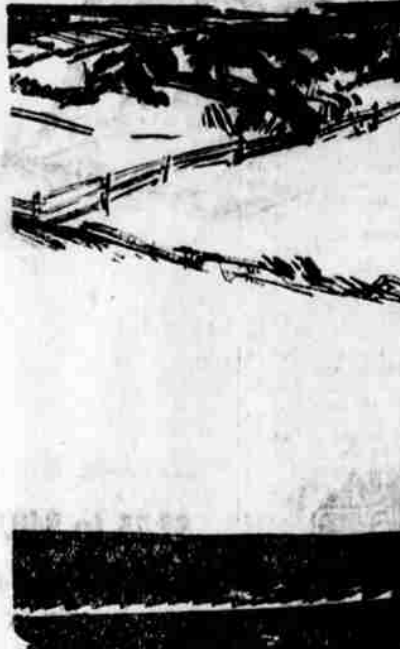


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