

M'TIGUE HANDED DECISION OVER TIGER FLOWERS

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, Dec. 23.—Starting in a whirlwind of cheers, a series of all-star bouts for the benefit of the Christmas fund, wound up in a tornado of boos and hisses Wednesday night as the crowd of 15,000 objected violently to the decision awarded to Mike McTigue in the main bout with Tiger Flowers.

The Irishman was too clever for the negro, but as Flowers was the aggressor throughout the bout the spectators stayed behind to voice their disapproval of the decision.

Sinking his right hand repeatedly into Flowers' body, McTigue stalled off the negro's savage rushes, but lacked aggressiveness as he always does, and was lucky to win the award.

The best and fastest bout on the card was the semi-final bout, in which Fidel Labarba, world's fly-weight champion, whipped Lew Perfetti of New York, and showed a world of class in doing so.

What the customers, who contributed some \$50,000 to charity and another \$50,000 to the fighters and Tex Rickard, lost on the main bout they made up in this semi-final scrap.

Ernie Jarvis, the "mighty atom" from Great Britain, failed to show much class against Corporal Schwartz and the bout was adjudged a draw. Another disappointment was George Godfrey of Philadelphia, the giant negro outweighing Martin Burke of New Orleans by 45 pounds, battered the Irishman about the ring for ten rounds, but could not put him down.

Despite the almost unanimous disagreement with the decision in the main bout it seemed to those at the ringside that the Irishman scored the most telling blows and thus earned the award. Whether he really earned a bout with Paul Bernbach for the world's light heavy-weight championship is extremely doubtful, for Mike was the cautious, shirking boxer of old.

There was much foul fighting, with butting and low blows during the contest, but the referee at no time saw fit to interfere.

Builds Greatest Bridge in World



Ralph Modjeski, Chicago, world famous as "the king of bridge-builders," is working on plans for the largest railroad bridge in the world. It will span the Mississippi river at New Orleans. The estimated cost is \$15,000,000.

POSTAL RECORDS BROKEN TUESDAY

Four truck loads of mail bags added to the already heavy influx of letters, parcel post packages and the usual run of Christmas parcels poured into the Klamath Falls post office last night and kept Postmaster McCall and his assistants working late into the night, preparing for the day delivery and the distribution of parcels.

It was recorded that more than 20,000 letters were sent out of the Klamath Falls office yesterday to various sections of the United States, surpassing by far the mailing records of the past holiday seasons.

According to Postmaster McCall today's mail is anticipated far beyond the usual run of Christmas deliveries. It is believed by post office officials that the mail will be coming into the city in large quantities until after the first of the coming week as a large portion of the mail is thought to be held up in Portland.

The "mail early" campaign was not without return, however, and if

the public had not responded to requests to send out their Christmas packages early, there would have been nothing short of pandemonium, according to McCall last night.

GIVES PAROLES

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 23.—Ten paroles for convicts at the Walla Walla state penitentiary and 11 for inmates of the Sedro Woolley reformatory have been signed by Governor Hartley. They were all recommended by the state board of pardons and paroles.

No full pardons will be signed by the governor as Christmas presents, however.

TRUE TO BANDIT

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Rudolph Nolan, 29, prospective Christmas bridegroom, participated in a \$1,500 payroll robbery so that he might be financially able to marry Miss Bertha Fanning, daughter of a Missouri farmer.

Wednesday was to have been their wedding day. Instead Nolan sits in a cell.

But when Bertha heard why Rudolph had turned bandit, she declared she would be waiting for him, no matter on what Christmas day he found his freedom.

WILL PURDY DIES

SALEM, Dec. 23.—Will E. Purdy, delegate from Oregon to the Democratic national convention in San Francisco in 1920, and several times a candidate for state and congressional office, died here today. He was 63 years old.

EX-CONSTABLE PARDONED

SALEM (Ore.), Dec. 23.—(United News)—Fred C. Schulte, former Reedsport constable, will receive his freedom from the Oregon penitentiary as a Christmas present. He was convicted of accepting a bribe and was sentenced. Governor Pierce

computed the sentence to three years and gave Schulte his freedom. Gov. Pierce announced that clemency was favored by the district attorney and the judge in the case, and that freeing Schulte was rather a routine matter than any Christmas gesture.

INVESTIGATE RATES

SALEM, Dec. 23.—(United News)—The Oregon public service commission has voted to investigate alleged discriminations in rates from Spokane and Portland to points east of Pendleton. Express rates are said to be lower in that territory from Spokane than for Portland.

MISS GARFIELD WEDS. WILLIAMSTOWN (Mass.), Dec. 23.—(United News)—Miss Lu Garfield, daughter of Dr. Har Garfield, president of Williams College, and a granddaughter of J. A. Garfield, twentieth president of the United States, was married Prof. James Weston Coker of Williams faculty here Tuesday ailing.

N. Y. DEFEATS BOSTON. BOSTON, Dec. 23.—(United News)—The New York Amer defeated the Boston Bruins here Tuesday in a national league game.

EAST-WEST GAME HOLDS INTEREST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Welcomed by the blare of bands, and an automobile parade through the city's principal thoroughfare, "Navy Bill" Ingram's squad of western football stars arrived Wednesday. They will meet a team of Pacific coast players in a benefit game here Saturday.

Outstanding among the visitors are Ingram himself, who will play quarterback; Douglas Wyckoff of Georgia Tech, fullback; George Fry, Iowa, fullback; Ed Garbisch, Army, center, and Ed Slaughter, Michigan, guard.

In the west's line-up will be "Brick" Muller, famous California end; "Babe" Herrill, all-American center of last year's Golden Bears and other stars.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, assistant attorney general in charge of prohibition prosecution will take a hand in the federal probe of the Fort Scott, Kansas, liquor scandal some time in January.

The date of Mrs. Willebrandt's departure for the west, she has informed the United News, depends upon the rapidity with which certain cases she is interested in Kansas come before the courts.

WOMAN TAKES HAND

MERCED, Calif., Dec. 23.—A masked intruder bound Mrs. Charles Sidley to a chair, stripped her of a portion of her clothing and then branded her arms and shoulder with a red hot poker, the woman declared to be in hysterical story Wednesday.

Mrs. Sidley lives in a lonely section some distance from Merced. She said that she was released by her four-year old daughter after the man had left. The torture was inflicted to force her to produce a letter written to her anonymously and warning her of her husband's alleged plan to leave her.

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Tells Why He Can Now Eat Hearty



A letter which I read in the paper about Carter's Little Liver Pills fitted my own case so closely that I could not help trying them and am very happy I did. So writes Mr. Frank J. Trumbull of Jersey City, N. J., whose letter goes on to say, "I had heard about Carter's Little Liver Pills for years but never knew they helped overcome poor appetite and sour stomach, until I read about another man in the same plight who took Carter's with good results. I tried them and can honestly say that they freed me of nasty gas on stomach, so that I can now eat without getting bilious, and they improved my appetite fully 100%." You can rest assured that from now on I will boost Carter's Little Liver Pills whenever I can.

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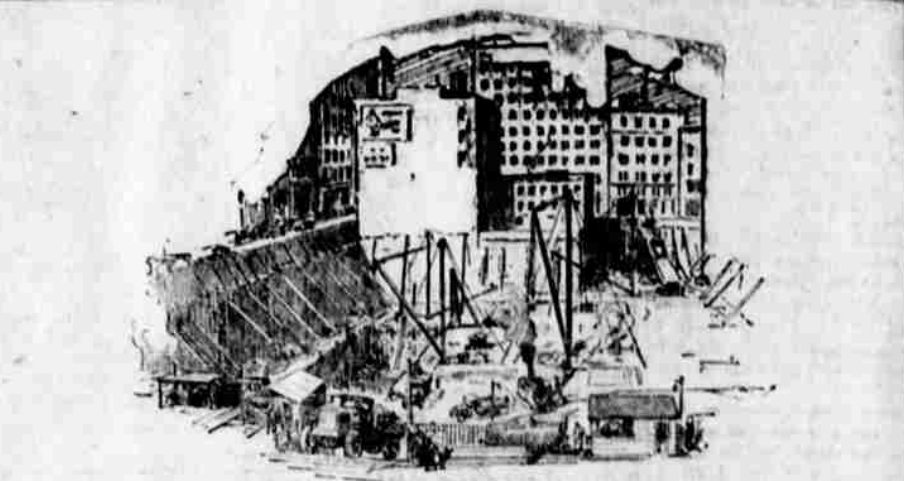
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Similarly capable of meeting the future's needs was the foundation upon which the Bell System has been reared. At a time when a few miles was the greatest distance over which man's wire-borne voice might travel, the telephone pioneers could not, of course, foresee in detail the problems of invention, manufacture, construction and operation which future expansion might involve.

They could, however, and did catch the vision of a national growth which would necessitate a service continent-wide in scope. They could and did provide the foundation for a structure capable of growing with the nation. The proof of their vision lies in the fact that America today has a nation-wide, universal telephone service.

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