

WILLARD, FIRPO TO BATTLE JULY 12

New York, June 5.—The proposed bout between Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion, and Luis Firpo of South America will be held at Boyle's Thirty Acres, Jersey City, July 12. It was learned last night, Tex Rickard declined to confirm the report that the change was agreed upon yesterday afternoon.

It was planned originally to hold the bout July 7, but because many fans desired to go to Shelby, Mont., to see the title bout between Champion Jack Dempsey and Tom Gribbons of St. Paul, which is to be held July 4, the change was made.

Rickard announced that the semi-final of the Willard-Firpo bout will be between Floyd Johnson of Iowa and Jack McAuliffe II of Detroit. Willard knocked out Johnson and Firpo knocked out McAuliffe at the milk fund bouts May 12.

GIBBONS OFF FOR WEST TODAY

St. Paul, Minn., June 5.—After delaying his departure for a day because his friends and admirers here wished to give him a good send-off, Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul heavyweight title-seeker, is scheduled to leave here at noon for Shelby, Mont., to begin training for his July 4 bout with Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion.

Today's plans include a parade through the downtown district to the Great Northern depot in honor of the St. Paul challenger. Gibbons, accompanied by his wife and three children, is expected to reach Shelby Wednesday night and to begin training the next day.

Willard-Firpo Bout on July 12 in N. Y. Report

New York, June 5.—Although official confirmation could not be obtained it was reported on good authority today that Tex Rickard intends to advance the date of the Jess Willard-Luis Firpo bout from July 7 to July 12. This decision, it is said, is prompted by a desire to avoid conflict with the Dempsey-Gibbons bout at Shelby, Mont., July 4.

McAuliffe-O'Grady Stopped.

Detroit.—A scheduled 12-round bout between Jack McAuliffe of Detroit and Martin O'Grady of California was stopped at the fifth round because of indifferent fighting.

President Harding to Give Golf Cup

By Universal Service.
New York, June 5.—A golf cup donated by President Harding is a prize dangled before the eyes of public links golfers throughout the United States.

James D. Standish, jr., chairman of the United States Golf Association's committee on public links, announced today that President Harding had offered the prize, to be known as the Warren G. Harding cup, and to be played for in connection with the public links championship at Washington, D. C., June 26-29.

Play for the Harding cup, however, will take place June 23, preceding the championship action. Any city may enter a team of four men for a total of 18 holes, stroke play, and the total of the four will be counted. The winning team will hold the cup for one year, the prize being placed in competition annually.

Swiss Want Roth to Meet Dempsey

Rome, Switzerland, June 5.—What Luis Firpo is to Argentina, what Jim Tracy was to Australia, that's what Robert Roth is to Switzerland.

Roth, a young giant standing six feet two and one-half inches, is being groomed for a possible match with Jack Dempsey for the heavyweight boxing championship of the world.

Roth formerly was a wrestler. He won the heavyweight wrestling championship at the Olympic games in 1920. For the last year he has been changing his style, learning to handle the padded mitts.

From a physical point of view the Swiss outclasses Dempsey. Here are the figures:

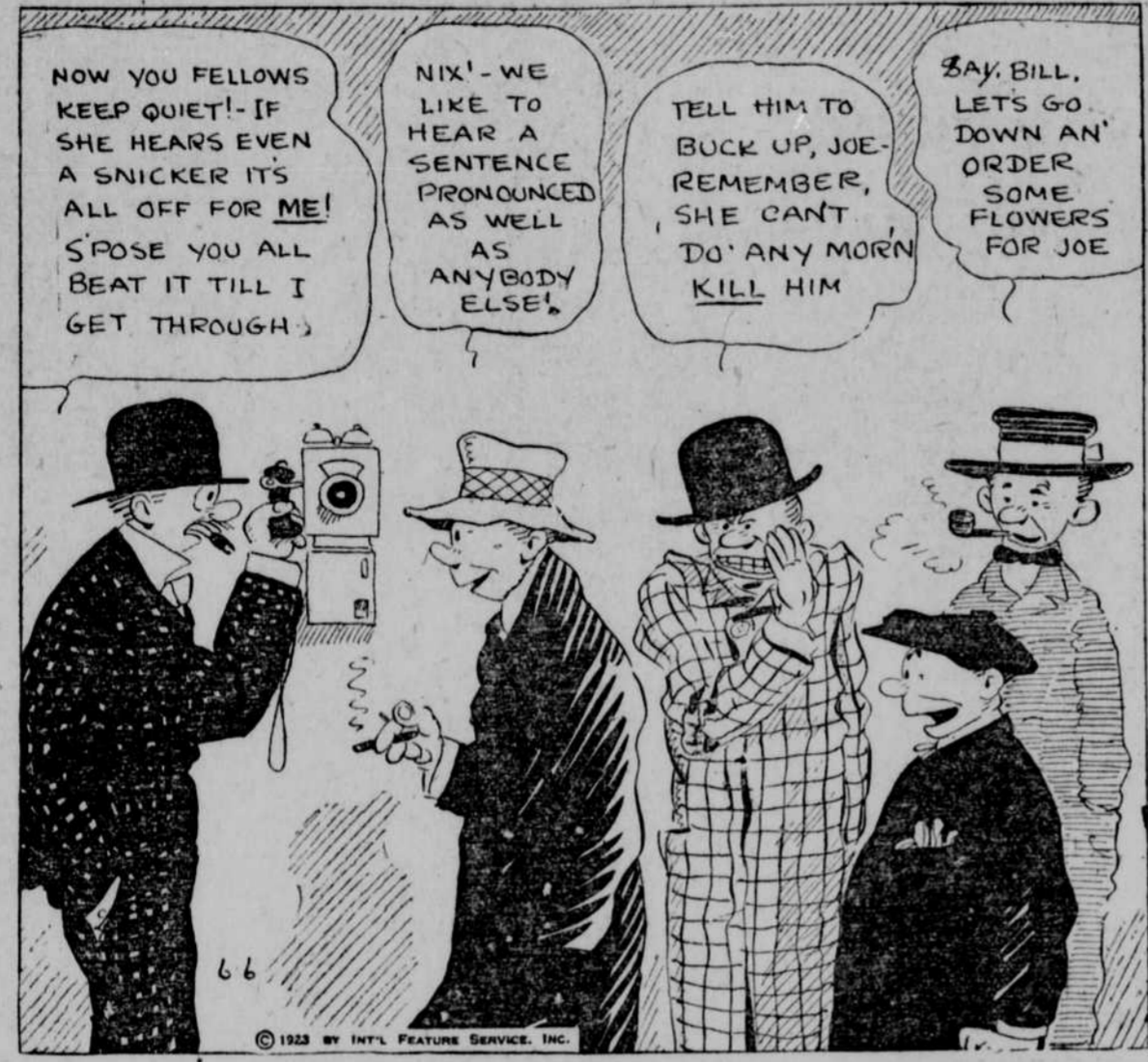
Roth	Dempsey
24 lbs	130 lbs
6'2 1/2 in	5'8 in
42 in	38 in
38 in	34 in
32 in	28 in

It is hoped that this move will bring about more intimate golfing relations between the various cities and which may result in a number of inter-city team matches during the following years.

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EDDIE'S FRIENDS

Crepe Hangers on the Job



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Iowa State College Leads Valley When It Comes to Developing Distance Men

MES has never won a Missouri Valley Conference track meet since the initial contest in 1908, but it always a factor in the yearly conventions. The Iowa farmers are not much in field events, yet we find Wilkin vaulting 12 feet, 1 inch in 1917. His record was good for five years and was fractured when Captain Rogers of Kansas at the last meet bested the mark by half a foot.

In track events and especially in the runs, Ames can always be counted on to score. This year McIntire and Bierbaum were high men in the mile run, and Hammerly in the half, was but a stride behind Gardner, doughty little Cornhusker who won Schenck's only first. Last year at Lawrence, Rathbun set a new valley record in the two-mile. Frevet was third in the mile, Higgins, with the aid of Wolters, took the half mile, while Wolters, Western Conference middle distance champion, won the 440 and was content with second in the half. At St. Louis in 1921 Rathbun won the two-mile, Webb and Higgins tied at 135 in the half and Graham took second in the mile.

Ray Watson, Kansas Aggie speedster, whose tilts with Jole Ray have aroused much comment, won the mile in 4:22.5. The year prior Rathbun, Webb, Higgins, Cromer and Wolters all made points for Ames in the runs. In the past four meets in the half, mile and two-mile Ames has placed 19 men and has won five firsts, seven seconds and four thirds and as many fourths.

Ames distance stars in relay combines have repeatedly won at Drake and have at least on one occasion showed their heels to the best in the east at the Penn classic.

To go back still farther, Hawthorne was unbeatable in the two-mile six or seven years ago and in 1913 Parquaker set a record of 4:22.5 in the mile, which has since been equaled but once in Conference meets.

In cross-country Ames ranks ace high. In 1920 at Grinnell, five Ames men crossed the tape after the five-mile grid before anyone else showed up. And they repeated in 1921.

Iowa State college doesn't win conference meets, and they lose dual meets regularly, but when there is an Ames man on the scratch in a race where the starter instructs them to go two or four or eight laps, you can lay odds that this same speed demon, whether engineer, "ag" or "vet," will come romping home in the money.

Titleholders in Des Moines, Minneapolis, St. Louis and Omaha in 36-Hole Foursome

THE golfing fraternity of Omaha is in for a new treat sometime in August or September when it is planned that the city champions of Minneapolis, Des Moines, St. Louis and Omaha engage in a 36-hole foursome on two of the local courses. This move will be an innovation in middle western golfing circles and will bring together the best golfers in Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri and Nebraska.

Omaha's city champion will be crowned during the week of August 6 when the Metropolitan tournament will be held over the links of the Omaha Field club.

The move to bring together champions of the four large middle western cities was decided upon some time ago by officers and members of the Metropolitan Golf Association of Omaha. The other cities also have taken up with the plan. However, the dates of their city tournaments have not as yet been decided upon and the title play in Omaha may go over until September.

It is planned to play a morning match of 18 holes over one of the local courses, perhaps Happy Hollow. The afternoon round of 18 holes will be played perhaps over the Omaha Field club course. A spectators greens fee will be charged to defray expenses of the visiting golfers.

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Speaker Urges Interest in Vote

Brother of K. M. Landis Declares U. S. is Playing Role of Rip Van Winkle.

"Unless we of the United States begin to take more interest in voting we should amend our constitution and get our presidents and statesmen from Sears-Roebuck."

So declared Frederick Landis, former congressman of Indiana and noted author, playwright, statesman and lawyer, who spoke at the Advertising-Selling league meeting last night on "Americanizing the Americans."

"Our ancestors lost sleep winning near elections and we are making up the sleep for our ancestors," continued Mr. Landis, who is a brother of K. M. Landis, former federal judge. "Nevertheless, we should be proud of our record—we are the only people who ever played Rip Van Winkle longer than Joe Jefferson."

"Men who used to go into politics for the good of their country are now going into the money-making business for their own good. The people seem to demand cowards in political office. With a few notable exceptions, such as Theodore Roosevelt, our politicians who show any signs of bravery are penalized. The old fellows who built our nation thought we'd care about it, but we don't seem to."

Although insisting that things, particularly in politics, are drifting into a bad groove, Mr. Landis is confident the country will have a rebirth. He attributes the decadence of the real American spirit, for one thing, to the vanishing of party newspapers.

Suits Against Maternity Act Are Dismissed

Washington, June 5.—The supreme court refused yesterday, to pass on the constitutionality of the Sheppard-Towner maternity act, in cases brought by the state of Massachusetts and a Boston taxpayer. Both suits were dismissed for want of jurisdiction.

Unanimously the court held that an attack on the validity of the statute by a state did not present a judicial question. As to the suit instituted by Mrs. Harriet A. Frothingham, the court declared her status as a taxpayer did not entitle her to challenge the law.

Discussing questions of jurisdiction raised by the Massachusetts case, the court's opinion, delivered by Justice Sutherland, declared that "looking through forms of words to the substance of their complaints, it is merely that officials of the executive department of the government are expecting and will expect an act of congress asserted to be unconstitutional, and this we are asked to prevent."

2 Die from Heat.

Baltimore, Md., June 5.—Max Wray, 55, president of the city board of election supervisors, died today, a victim of the heat.

Use soda and water to clean the refrigerator.

Lead Snooker Tourney.

J. O'Hara, Alexander, Claris, H. Kane and Morey are the five leading players of the round robin snooker tournament, now in progress at Nick Wranic's Paxton billiard parlor.

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Roscoe Showered With Flowers in Come-Back



Roscoe Arbuckle

Chicago, June 5.—Roscoe C. (Fatty) Arbuckle, motion picture comedian, appeared before an audience at a summer garden here last night for the first time since his trial on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Virginia Hill. He was given an enthusiastic ovation by a packed house.

Smiling happily at the applause and cheers, Arbuckle in a brief speech said:

"I thank you from the bottom of my heart. It's the first time I've had a real smile in a long time."

The foyer of the garden where "Fatty" has an indefinite engagement in a single act comedy skit was lined with flowers from his friends in all parts of the world. Telegrams and messages wishing him good luck from his former associates on the screen and a number of his local admirers, were tacked to a bulletin board in the lobby.

With his appearance here last night it was learned that when Arbuckle first announced his intention of returning to vaudeville, his friends advised him against making his debut in Chicago. They pointed out that Chicago was the birth place of Miss Rappe, and, besides, was a "cold, hard-boiled city."

These facts were said to have made him all the more determined to make a new bid for public favor here. In Chicago he was quoted as saying, he would meet the acid test.

It was estimated that a house of 3,500 watched him "come back."

Hunt Big Bootleggers.

New York, June 5.—The big fellows in the bootleg world will occupy the attention of the small force of federal prohibition agents in New York from now on. R. Q. Merrick, federal enforcement officer for the state, said today after a surprise raid last night on the Hotel Pontchartrain. The raid was the most important since the repeal of the state enforcement law.

To Suppress French Royalists.

Paris, June 5.—Firm measures to suppress the royalists' frequent resort to force were approved by the chamber of deputies this afternoon during heated political maneuvering designed to compel Premier Poincare to come forth with a strong statement promising vigorous action against the royalist organization.

Bryan Upholds Language Ruling

Supreme Court Decision Based on Free Speech Idea, Says Governor.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.
Lincoln, June 5.—Next I'd like to see Lincoln withdrawn from the Ruhr valley."

This was a statement made today by Governor Bryan on the action taken by the United States supreme court yesterday in holding the Reed-Norval language law invalid. The governor, in commenting on the supreme court's action, expressed belief that such action would meet with more approval now than it would three years ago when war feeling was at its height.

"The decision of the supreme court should be based on the well established idea of a free press, free speech and a right to worship one's God as his conscience dictates," the governor said. "The Reed-Norval and Simon laws were passed at the close of the war and action was a result of war feeling and a belief that it was not contrary to our constitution."

The governor declined to make any definite answer to a question as to whether he believed the bill introduced and killed by the last legislature repealing the Reed-Norval law should have passed.

"Inasmuch as my only son served in the world war and commanded colored troops, I don't believe anyone can question my patriotism," the governor said.

Lions Club Nominees Are Made Public at Luncheon

Frank Meyers and J. Dean Richter are candidates for the presidency of the Omaha Lions club. They were chosen by the nominating committee which reported at noon luncheon at Hotel Fontenelle yesterday.

Other candidates chosen by the committee are: R. A. Swanson and Leon O. Smith, for first vice president; P. J. Vollman and William E. Hayes, for second vice president; H. T. Cutler and J. T. Brownlee, for treasurer; Clark S. Haas and T. H. Maenner, for secretary.



RUNNING RACES! TODAY--2:30 P. M.

AK-SAR-BEN FIELD

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"Reincarnation and the Pilgrimage of the World"

The lectures are free and the public is invited.

"Curbstone Sheiks" Sent to Jail for 5 Days Each

John Foster, 2831 Avenue A, Council Bluffs, and T. John Wright, 2748 Avenue J, Council Bluffs, "curbstone sheiks," were sentenced to five days in jail each in municipal court yesterday.

They were arrested Monday night at Twenty-second and Farnam streets. R. Morris, 313 South Twenty-fifth street, and James Minor, 715 Dorcas street, arrested on a similar charge, were discharged.

Arthur Davis, 625 W. O. W. building, forfeited his bond.

The Brandeis Store Restaurants

The following program will be given in the Brandeis Restaurant Italian Renaissance Room:

Wed. June 6, 1923
12:30 to 2:00 P. M.

By Arthur Randall's Royal Orchestra

Columbia's Call - Bob Wyman
One Good Time - From "Cinders" - Rudolph Friml
Down in Sweetheart Town, - - - Williams and Short
Goodbye - - - - Tosti
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