

Professional Jealousy is a Terrible Thing

By "Bud" Fisher



NELSON STRONG AT THE END

Wins Decision Over Redmond in Twenty-Round Fight.

PURSUES HIS FORMER TACTICS

Better Allows St. Paul Man to Have It His Own Way During Early Rounds, but Reverses Conditions Thereafter.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 1.—Battling Nelson won the decision over Jack Redmond of St. Paul at the end of a twenty-round bout at the West Side Athletic club yesterday.

The fight was nearly all Redmond's up to the ninth round, when Nelson opened up, after which there was little doubt as to the outcome. In the seventh and eighth rounds Redmond battered Nelson's face almost at will, hammering his nose and ears with rights and lefts and slipping in short jabs to the stomach that appeared to daze Nelson.

Redmond came back confident at the beginning of the ninth, trying for a knockout, but Nelson took a brace and shot in a hard right and then a left to Redmond's stomach and rights and lefts to the face that brought the big crowd to its feet.

From the ninth until the end of the fight Nelson had Redmond backing away and hanging on. There was much clinching and wrestling, increasing toward the close.

Redmond tried to come back in the twentieth, but Nelson's blows on his stomach had taken most of the fight out of him, though he got in two hard lefts to the face in this round. Nelson then shot in rights and lefts to the stomach and ribs repeatedly. Nelson was going strong when the final gong sounded.

MME. DUTCU WINS FRENCH CUP FOR DISTANCE FLYING

ETAMPES, France, Jan. 1.—Mme. Helene Dutcu today made a flight of 24 kilometers (15 miles) in two hours and fifty-eight minutes, thereby winning the Femina cup and beating all women's records for distance.

The Femina cup is offered for the longest continuous flight made by a woman during the year. It was won last year by Mme. Dutcu, who in that competition covered 17 kilometers. At Compiègne, Mme. Jeanne Hervieu, in competition for the Femina cup, covered 28 kilometers (17 miles) in two hours and forty-one minutes.

RIVERS AND CONLEY TAKE REST BEFORE THEIR BOUT

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 1.—Outside the some light weight today Joe Rivers and Frankie Conley, who are to meet tomorrow afternoon at Vernon arena, rested in anticipation of their contest. Conley's handlers said their charge was in as good condition as when he got a twenty-round draw verdict against Rivers several weeks ago.

Rivers said today: "I am going in at my best weight and I am trained to a fine point." Conley is confident of victory.

Knockout Brown Matched.

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 1.—Chicago "Knockout" Brown and Sailor Petroskey of this city will go ten rounds before the Oakland Athletic club tomorrow afternoon. The men are middleweights and Brown rates a 10 to 10 favorite on account of his decision over Holland here recently. The winner will demand a match with Frank Laas of Pittsburgh.

SENATOR LA FOLLETTE MAKES STOP AT DETROIT

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 1.—Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin reached Detroit tonight from Cincinnati, where last night he concluded a speaking tour of Ohio. He appeared only slightly fatigued after his trip and aside from a business in his voice his vocal chords seemed to have recovered from the strain of the last week. The senator went at once to his hotel, receiving no visitors tonight. Tomorrow he will begin a three days' trip through Michigan.

Marksmen From the World to Gather at Camp Perry, O.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Jan. 1.—(Special.)—Captain Morton C. Mumms, commandant of the University of Iowa, and a member of the board of directors of the National association of America and of the national board in charge of small arms practice, today told of plans that the national board was making to celebrate in 1912 the centennial of Commodore Perry's great victory over the British on Lake Erie which is to be held at Camp Perry, O., and promises to be the greatest gathering of marksmen to one spot that the world has ever known.

The big centennial anniversary celebration is to take place during the summer months of that year and will include in competition every known sort of weapon in the world. The affair is to be international in its scope and every kind of arm from a bow and arrow to the latest invention of international warfare will be represented in the tournament.

URGES COMPENSATION FOR INJURED POSTAL EMPLOYEES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The enactment of a law to compensate postal employees including letter carriers, for injuries sustained in the line of duty, but not attributable to their own negligence, is urged in the annual report of C. P. Grandfield, first assistant postmaster general, submitted to Postmaster General Hitchcock today.

There were in operation June 30 last 2,377 postoffices of all classes in the United States. The postal city delivery service is now in operation in 1,841 cities, serving more than 45,000,000 people, and on the 42,000 rural routes 30,000,000 people receive mail. This leaves a considerable portion of the American people, most of whom reside in towns and villages, the report declares, "without any form of free delivery service, and under the present laws there is no way by which the department can relieve this inequality."

RURAL MAIL CARRIERS MUST NOT BE ACTIVE POLITICIANS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Several thousand rural free delivery carriers are barred from active participation in politics by an order signed by President Taft today. The order forbids the carriers from engaging in polemical activity in politics and empowers the Civil Service commission to dismiss those found so engaged. The rural carriers, like other postoffice employees, are not to be denied the right of political belief and discussion, but their active participation will be stopped.

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COLD WEATHER PREDICTED FOR COUNTRY NEXT WEEK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Wintry weather will be general during the greater part of the coming week, according to a bulletin issued last night by the weather bureau. Stormy weather is also predicted over the north Atlantic steamship routes, the British isles and northwestern Europe.

"A marked change to colder weather will overpread the region east of the Mississippi river within the next thirty-six to forty-six hours," continues the bulletin. "With the line of freezing temperature extending southward to the gulf and south Atlantic coasts and to northern Florida. Unseasonably cold weather will continue the next several days in the middle west and southwest and the Rocky mountain region.

Babies Threatened

By croup, coughs or colds are soon relieved by the use of Dr. King's New Discovery, 50 cents and \$1.00. For sale by Boston Drug Co.

Pardon Refused to Charles W. Morse

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—It was announced at the White House tonight that the report of the army medical officers who have examined Charles W. Morse, convicted New York banker, serving a sentence in the Atlanta, Ga., federal penitentiary, does not warrant immediate interference by the president and the pardon will not be granted at this time.

The physicians made a physical examination of Morse in the military hospital at Fort McPherson, where the banker is being treated under guard. They also studied his mental condition and transmitted their findings to President Taft through Surgeon General Torney yesterday.

The physicians find that Morse is suffering from arterio sclerosis, valvular trouble of the heart, Bright's disease and has but recently suffered from an acute attack of congestion of the kidneys. They found no paralysis.

The doctors pronounce Morse's condition necessarily incurable, but do not expect immediate death. Their recommendations are such that President Taft found no reason to depart from the attitude he has assumed in the Morse case. It is generally understood President Taft is unwilling that Morse die a prisoner, but he does not intend to grant the pardon until he is convinced the prisoner is in a dying condition.

THAWING FROZEN WATER PIPE

Electricity Put on the Job and Quickly Delivers the Goods.

The great winter problem for those of us who live in the northland is the thawing out of frozen water pipes. Try as we will every now and then Jack Frost will steal a march on us and when we wake up in the morning the water pipes will be frozen tight.

Applications of hot water may remove the ice in the pipes if it happens where the water can be applied without removing the plaster and spoiling the wood work. Once in a while a hot flatiron will do the trick but, often enough, the frost will have a grip on the pipe in a place where flatirons cannot be applied. Holding a lighted lamp under the frozen part has been known to work but it is just as apt to set the house on fire.

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Tragedies Told in Headlines

"She Had Married Him to Reform Him." "Motorcycle Collides With Street Car Uninjured." "Happened to Catch His Fiancée Smoking." "Tries His New Teeth on a Restaurant Steak." "Fat Man Sneezes While Descending Elevator Station Stairway."

DAFFYDIL CONTEST RULES

Answers must be addressed to Daffydil editor of The Bee and reach The Bee office not later than 5 p. m. Insurance must be paid and must be considered prize award of that week. Contestants may submit one or more answers for any of the prizes. Winners to be selected by each advertiser on Daffydil contest page and also announce prize for next contest. A cash prize must be written on separate sheet of paper and must designate the advertiser for whom it is intended. Winning Daffydils will be chosen for their originality, wit and humor and preference will be shown those pertaining to name or business of the advertiser. Winners must call in advertiser for prize at advertiser's place of business. In addition to advertiser's prize The Bee will award five \$1 prizes to the five next best Daffydil writers and will print them together with all others worth publishing on Daffydil Contest Page.

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ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF STEALING FROM FREIGHTS

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 1.—Accused of rifling Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound freight cars along the line from Seattle to Butte, "Foxy" Wilson is under arrest here. According to the police, Wilson admits having committed three such robberies within the last few weeks. The alleged robberies were committed in nearly every railroad yard west of Butte and it is believed a band working systematically from some central point where they cached their loot and disposed of it through agents.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS

NEW YORK Arrived. BOSTON Arrived. PHILADELPHIA Arrived. PITTSBURGH Arrived. RICHMOND Arrived. WASHINGTON Arrived. BALTIMORE Arrived. CINCINNATI Arrived. CLEVELAND Arrived. DETROIT Arrived. INDIANAPOLIS Arrived. KANSAS CITY Arrived. LOUISVILLE Arrived. MEMPHIS Arrived. MILWAUKEE Arrived. MINNEAPOLIS Arrived. OMAHA Arrived. PORTLAND Arrived. SALT LAKE CITY Arrived. SEATTLE Arrived. SPOKANE Arrived. VANCOUVER Arrived.

Inspector Killed by Farmer

STOCKTON, Cal., Jan. 1.—John Goetz, federal inspector directing a squirrel poisoning squad in this county, was shot and killed today by Harry Ashland, a farmer. Immediately after the shooting Ashland surrendered at police headquarters. He said his wife had been attacked by Goetz.

Three Burn to Death

SUFFERN, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Mrs. James Baker and her two children, Lillian and Ethel, 5 and 3 years old, lost their lives here early today when fire destroyed their home.

Suicide Pact Successful

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 1.—William E. Ebling, 36 years old, is dead and Mrs. Oina Couch, 27 years old, is dying as a result of what is thought to have been a suicide pact. The couple were found in a hotel room with the gas jet above their bed turned on full blast.

Lynching of Negro Follows Crimes at Benefactor's Home

SALLISAW, Okl., Jan. 1.—For the murder of George Casey, a white farmer living near Muldrow, twelve miles east of here, and a subsequent attack on Mrs. Casey, a negro named Turner was taken this morning from the Casey home, where he lay in a drunken stupor, and hanged.

Turner, to reach Muldrow, had stolen an Iron Mountain railroad engine from the round house at Van Buren, Ark., on Saturday evening and had driven it to Muldrow, Okl., where it was derailed by the station agent, who had been advised of its coming.

Turner, two miles further on, reached the Casey home, at which he applied for admission, pleading he was half frozen. Mr. Casey let him in to sit by the fire and returned to bed.

Later Turner, it is declared, murdered Casey as he lay asleep, using an ax, and then overpowered Mrs. Casey. When the negro fell asleep Mrs. Casey made her way to Muldrow in her night clothing and told of the crimes. A posse was formed quickly and found the negro asleep as Mrs. Casey had described him.

MILLIONS IN ASTOR ESTATE

Enormous Value of the Family Property in New York City.

The total assessed valuation of the property on Manhattan island owned by Colonel John Jacob Astor, his cousin, William Waldorf Astor of England, and the estate of William Astor, the father of the present John Jacob, in which various members of the family hold interests, is \$107,560,300. The Astor estate, therefore, is New York's largest taxpayer by a wide margin. Of this enormous amount of realty scattered all over the city, William Waldorf Astor is the greatest holder, his possessions being assessed at \$60,200,000. John Jacob Astor pays taxes, according to the present tax records, on \$41,300,000, while the holdings of the William Astor estate are assessed at \$15,000,000. Despite the increased assessments in recent years, it is safe to say that the entire Astor holdings are not taxed on much more than 60 per cent of what the holdings would bring at private or public sale, so that the marketable value of this \$107,000,000 worth of property would doubtless reach \$150,000,000.

The list now prepared shows nearly 700 parcels of real estate, much of it in the choicest parts of the city. It is difficult to say at first glance which is the more surprising, the magnitude and value of the holdings or the wide distribution of the properties. Every section of the city is represented, and in nearly every section a large part of the best properties bear the imprint, as it were, of the Astor name. The Fifth avenue holdings are enormously valuable, so are the Broadway portions, many of the latter being in the Times square district, where values have jumped miraculously within the last few years. Then there are blocks in the best apartment house district on the west side, and the east side tenement house area, contains whole rows of houses from which a steady income flows into the Astor coffers.

The Waldorf-Astoria hotel stands out as the most valuable single piece of property held by the Astors on the tax books. The Thirty-fourth street half, owned by John Jacob Astor, is assessed at \$5,500,000, while the Thirty-third street half, owned by William Waldorf, and which has just been transferred in trust for his son, Waldorf, is valued at \$5,500,000, or a total of more than \$11,000,000. The Hotel Astor, in Times square, is assessed at \$4,000,000.

The founder of the Astor fortune has been dead but sixty-three years, and the \$20,000,000 which it was estimated he left has increased to many times that amount. The figures from the tax books represent but a portion of the real Astor fortune. No estimate is made of the large holdings of the affiliated members of the family, the Chanlers, Van Alenx, Jays, Draytons, Kansas, Langdons, Delanos and

others, who inherited from time to time valuable portions of the old Astor estate. The enormous growth of the estate is due in great measure to the marvelous growth of New York, and its business and residential expansion, which almost overnight has made portions of the city hitherto deemed of little value worth millions.—New York Times.

When a man and his wife are congenial it is a sign that they can spend a rainy Sunday together without having a tiff. The average man's idea of the way to have a good time is to spend the money he needs in his business for things he doesn't need in his bosom.

When a very rich man marries a very poor girl, that's romance. When a very rich girl marries a very poor man, that's fiction.

This much is certain—If Dame Fortune ever knocks on our door she is going to get kissed, even if she looks like Lyla Pinkham.

As a general thing the kind of married man who is inclined to get romantic in the moonlight ought never to be allowed to leave home without taking one of the children with him.

If the statistics were available probably it would be found that there are 88 percent fewer young men who want to be an angel than who want to court one.—Dallas News.

Prizefight Postponed.
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 1.—The fifteen-round bout between Jimmy Rowan of San Francisco and Chalkey Germain of St. Louis, scheduled for tonight, has been postponed on account of Germain's illness. He has a severe case of tonsillitis. The bout probably will be staged next Monday night.

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