

SPORTS NEWS AND FEATURES

LEAVITTE SCORES OVER O'NEIL WHO SUBS FOR VANISHED MR. GOTCH

Uses One of His Noted Thousand Holds To Paralyze O'Neil

By JAMES FLEMING

Freddie Leavitt won over Jack O'Neil in last night's main wrestling event at the American Legion stadium after sixteen minutes of wrestling.

He took the first fall of the match with a peculiar leg lock which paralyzed O'Neil's leg. O'Neil was unable to continue.

GETS COLD FEE. O'Neil substituted for Young Gotch, whom it was announced, got cold feet after sizing up the Frenchman.

The match started out cleanly, which was a welcome diversion with Leavitt clamping on a head scissors and then two flying scissors.

O'Neil returned with an arm lock. Leavitt then reversed matters with a head scissors, then two flying scissors. O'Neil returned with the same, which was promptly broken.

Freddie displayed a few of the reputed thousand holds in a series, winding up by a mean split. O'Neil pulled hair for a break.

Freddie clamped on an arm lock which almost won the first fall. O'Neil breaking it with a mighty surge.

It would have been much better for Mr. O'Neil had he not broken it, as Freddie immediately bore down with his leg lock which ended the bout.

O'Neil showed great intestinal fortitude, though not much discretion, by sticking it out for over twenty minutes. He was in very poor condition, probably not having trained for the bout.

He showed signs, however, of knowing what it was all about.

Ed Jensen was referee. Man Mountain Johnson challenged the winner from the ring.

SECOND MATCH. Roughhouse Johnny Lamar met Bob Neiter in a two out of three fall match, time limit one hour.

Bob Neiter out-roughed the toughhouse from St. Louis in the second match of the evening. Neiter took the first and third falls to win.

A comic burlesque rather than a wrestling match, with absolutely foul play on both sides. Biting, kneeling and hair pulling featured this match. The fans were in gales of laughter throughout most of the affray.

Ed Johnson refereed. Ed Jensen, "pride of the Rain-bow club," won the first match of the evening over Kansas City Johnnie O'Brien with a toe hold in twelve minutes and thirty-two seconds of a scheduled thirty-minute go. Much dirty work, prize fighting and pulling of hair featured the event.

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MAYOR ELECT IS HOME FROM RENO. Mayor-elect and Mrs. Ernie Cragin arrived home yesterday morning after a trip to Reno and coast cities.

With them came Mrs. J. E. Yerby, mother of Mrs. Cragin, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Miller of Calexico, her uncle and aunt.

RIO PALACE BAN NOISE. RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, May 22. (U.P.)—A noiseless city is now proposed by this city's police department. Cut-outs, horns and shouting street vendors are tabooed.

SETS NEW DIVORCE RECORD. EUGENE, Ore., May 22. (U.P.)—A touch of Reno was displayed in Judge Skipworth's court here when a record of eighteen divorces were granted in one day.

HEADS VETS



J. Lavalle Stuart, San Diego veteran, who this week was named department commander of the United Spanish War Veterans at the annual encampment session in Vallejo, Cal. Stuart succeeds Frank B. Graves of Oakland.

Baseball Results

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
	R	H	E	
First game				
Brooklyn	3	7	1	
Philadelphia	2	7	1	
Batteries: Vance, Flynn and Lopez; Bengé and Davis.				

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
All games postponed, rain.				

COAST LEAGUE				
	R	H	E	
Portland	7	14	1	
Sacramento	0	8	0	
Batteries: Bowman and Fitzpatrick; Viney and Wurt.				

Seattle	1	8	3	
Oakland	3	8	1	
Batteries: Luther and Gaston; Wortman and Read.				

Missions	3	7	1	
Los Angeles	4	7	1	
Batteries: Leiber and Brenzel; Nelson and Shully.				

VISITS HERE. Harry Hedges of Milford, Utah, was visiting with friends in Las Vegas Thursday.

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DEMPESEY WILL HOLD BAER IN CAMP

RENO, May 22.—Followers of Max Baer, Livermore heavyweight prodigy, who have any doubts about his being in real fighting trim when he meets Paulino Uscudun, Basque brawler, in Reno on July 24, should squint Jack Dempsey.

JACK CLAMPS LIP. It is going to be early to bed and early to rise and no foolishments for Max when he arrives in Reno on June 1 for a month of conditioning for his 20-round battle with the Pyrenees woodschopper. There will be no night-crawling or soup-and-fish strutting for the Livermore brawler, Jack Dempsey, himself says so—and it is he who is promoting the Baer-Uscudun affair. It will be the first time Baer has ever essayed the 20-round route.

Four or five months ago Max was the sensation of the heavyweight world. He was a two-handed knucker-out with a Joe Grim jaw and a Stanley Ketchell heart. His California admirers would have bet their shirts or what-have-you Baer would be heavyweight champ within a year.

CYANIDE PUNCHES. Then Baer went east. Nobody knocked him out or licked him by more than a hairline margin. But he had left his cyanide punches back home. He just didn't get anywhere in particular. Too much playboy and Great White Way stuff received the blame.

"Nothing doing on the playboy stuff for Max in Reno," says Dempsey. "He will be in the ring with one of the toughest heavyweights in the business. Max's contract stipulates specifically that he must buckle down to serious training and be in lippy shape for a 20-round bout. If he can't toe the mark, we don't pay him off."

KNOWS THE GAME. Dempsey, having gone through numerous hard training stints himself as former heavyweight champ, should know whether Max is skylarking or soldiering on the job.

DEMPESEY MAY STAY IN RENO

RENO, May 22. (U.P.)—Residence requirements of Nevada's new divorce law were fulfilled today by Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion, who announced shortly after his arrival here that he intended to file suit for divorce from Eselle Taylor, movie actress.

He now has resided in Reno six weeks and may file a complaint anytime he desires. But had not taken advantage of the opportunity late in the day, nor had he given any indication he planned to in the near future.

Dempsey has sent for his office equipment in Chicago and claims he is making his permanent residence here, buying a house near the city and planning a championship fight for Reno in the fall.

GET BIG STRAWBERRY CROP. NEWBERN, Tenn., May 22. (U.P.)—One of the largest strawberry crops in recent years is being harvested here. Nearly two hundred acres are in cultivation.

RENT GUNS FOR SUICIDES. ST. LOUIS, May 22. (U.P.)—Three men have committed suicide with guns rented at a shooting gallery here recently.

MODERN DIANA



Alicia Patterson, daughter of Joseph Medill Patterson, Chicago publisher, who arrived in San Francisco Wednesday on the liner Chichibu Maru after a six months' big game hunting tour of the Far East, hunting in Indo-China, Miss Patterson bagged one of the world's rarest wild animals, the long-horned sladang.

WORLD'S LARGEST AIRPORT TO BURY ALL BUILDINGS IN N. Y. GO

PARIS, May 22. (U.P.)—Office buildings, sheds and repair shops will all be underground in the new French airport, the largest in the world, which it is planned to establish in the region northeast of Paris.

The field will have an area of 30 acres and a diameter of 1 1/2 miles. The promoters propose to connect it with Paris by aerial trains having a speed of 112 miles an hour.

MAY END FRENCH MONOPOLY. RIO DE JANEIRO, May 22. (U.P.)—Insistent reports are to the effect that the monopoly exercised by French manufacturers in supplying the Brazilian army with aviation material is soon to be broken.

The combine was first effected 12 years ago when the French army mission first came here. Break of the monopoly would allow other nations to enter bids for aviation materials.

SWISS CLAIM CHAMPION COW. GENEVA, May 22. (U.P.)—Switzerland proudly lays claim to being the ancestral home of the world's champion bovine milk-giver. The cow in question, which is of the Swiss Simmenthal breed, beloms at present to the Hungarian estate of Kisderog near Tolny.

Her daily output of milk is 51.5 kilograms or about 105 pounds.

GROW 52 KINDS OF BLOOMS. COOLIDGE, Ariz., May 22. (U.P.)—A flower show here at the Women's club house disclosed that Coolidge women have fifty-two varieties of flowers growing in their home yards.

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LOCAL TEAMS MEET SUNDAY

A city championship baseball game will be staged at the Union Pacific baseball park Sunday afternoon at 2:30 when the Las Vegas Merchants outfit crosses bats with the Tigers, colored team that keeps the fans in an uproar.

The teams have met twice before on the local diamond and each gained a victory. Tomorrow's game will award the local pennant to one of the two teams.

Tigers	Merchants	
Rice	c	Swartz
Wilson	1b	Corcoran
Boese	2b	Becker
Red	3b	Hernandez
B. Pulliam	ss	Horne
I. Pulliam	lf	Wright
Roy	cf	Kramer
Courtney	rf	Brayer
Tex	p	Smith
Ruell	p	Bates

RENO SEEKING JACK JOHNSON

RENO, May 22. (U.P.)—Anell Hoffman, representing the California young heavyweight, Max Baer, announced he had practically closed with Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion of the world, to come here as Baer's sparring partner in preparation for the twenty-round bout that Jack Dempsey is promoting on July fourth.

Johnson successfully defended the world title here in 1910, beating the former champion, Jim Jeffries.

SEEK "LOUISIANA LOU." NEW ORLEANS, La., May 22. (U.P.)—They're looking for "Louisiana Lou" in New Orleans. She was the theme song lady of the Spanish-American war song, and local veterans are seeking copies for printing and distribution at the convention of the National Spanish-American war veterans here in September.

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EDITOR



To this pretty Los Angeles co-ed, Catherine Spaulding, goes the honor of editing the Stanford university daily paper. She is the first girl ever to hold this post.

STEAL BOA BY MISTAKE. HAMBURG, May 22. (U.P.)—The thieves who stole a wicker basket in a vaudeville theater here, on inspecting their booty will probably have been taken aback in the fullest sense of the word. The basket contained a full grown boa constrictor.

NAME NEW BISHOP IN CANADA

HAMILTON, Ont., May 22. (U.P.)—The Rt. Reverend Monsignor J. A. O'Sullivan was recently elevated to the position of bishop of Charlottetown in St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, where he was rector for several years.

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