

WINS 50-YARD DASH
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 27. (U.P.)—George Simpson, former Ohio State speed demon, flashed his old-time style tonight to win the 50-yard dash and put the Los Angeles Athletic club, which he now represents, in an early lead of the Kansas City Athletic club's indoor track carnival.

NEWS OF THE SPORT WORLD

OVERTON, ON OWN COURT, WINS OVER VEGAS 'CATS BY 28 TO 14

Crowded Floor Crabs Style Of Local Hoopsters

Meeting another jolt in their state title climb, the Wildcat hoop squad was defeated, 28-14, by the Overton quintet last night at Overton.

The Wildcats were handicapped by the small gym in the valley town and were unable to rely on the long arched shots of Speer and Foremaster for counters.

The locals caged only two field goals in the entire contest, the remaining ten points being made on free throws.

The game was uninteresting due to the close calling of fouls. There were 43 fouls called, Overton being charged with 28 of them. Six men were forced out of the game on personals, Jarrett and Nay from the locals and the other four from the Overton squad.

Jarrett was high point scorer for the locals, making four points, all free throws. Kay and Nay were respectively the strangest official award of a golf title, reading:

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Harry Steward, well known U. P. fireman, has returned from Los Angeles, where he has been visiting his parents, both of whom are very ill, the mother with double pneumonia and the father paralyzed. They are two doors apart in the hospital. When he left both were improving.

Word from Engineer Toarler, who is in the hospital at Los Angeles, states that he is getting along well.

Engineer Art Pletham has been compelled to lay off on account of enough miles.

Engineers Day and Osgood, the two regular shop hostlers, are both marked up on the layoff board.

J. W. Burnett, assistant general superintendent of motive power, is going over the line on an inspection trip and will probably visit Las Vegas Sunday.

International settlement and at the Woosung forts, at the other extreme of the battle line north of the city, the really heavy fighting has been in the center sector, in the area ringed by the towns of Chenju, Kiangwan and Tazang.

The casualties there have been great. The Chinese estimated their

TWO TON SHARK CAPTURED OFF PACIFIC COAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27. (U.P.)—A 4,700 pound shark, subdued and killed only after several shots from an elephant gun had been pumped into him, was brought in here today by the crew of fishing boat No. 8 of the San Francisco International Fish company's fleet.

The shark was said to be the largest caught on the Pacific coast in years.

According to Captain Pete San Filippo, the shark, leading a school of other monsters, became entangled in the boat's sardine net off Santa Cruz. Thrashing about, it destroyed a \$4,000 net and ruined the boat's chances of sardine fishing, he said.

The huge fish measured 26½ feet from snout to tail.

VEGAS VERDE North Las Vegas

Albert Murchison and sister, Naomi, are visiting with George Bevin and family.

Robert and Tommy Caldwell are ill with an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Roy Newman underwent an operation Saturday morning, Dr. Van Meter attending.

Allan Reno is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Frakes.

The recent rains caused springs west of Vegas Verde that are sending a stream of water down Rose avenue that amounts to a small creek. Mr. Cohn, chairman of civic committee, has requested that a water course be opened to allow the water to cross Main street at the intersection of Rose avenue and Fifth street and to follow a natural course east across the McGrath tract.

casualties at 3,000, while the Japanese were believed to have suffered about 1,000 in killed and wounded.

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The northwestern army division, commanded by Gen. Sun Chieh-Yuang, also started for Shanghai, as did Gen. Feng Yu-Hsiang, the veteran Chinese fighter.

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SHARKEY HAS NEVADA TEAM CORNER ON TITLE

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CHICAGO, Feb. 27. (U.P.)—The heavyweight market today seemed to be cornered by Jack Sharkey, blustering Bostonian who has made a success of failure.

Sharkey, who has been flitting around the heavyweight throne for five years, is matched to fight Max Schmeling for the world's heavyweight championship in New York June 16, and he isn't counting on blowing another chance at fistiana's greatest prize.

But if he should, he has an ace in the hole in Ernie Schaaf, 24-year-old German-French-American who gave W. L. (Young) Stribling of Georgia the worst beating of his career last night in a 10-round bout in the Chicago stadium.

Sharkey owns half of Schaaf's contract. Johnny Zuckley, Sharkey's manager, owns the other half. They bought it for \$12,500 in 1930.

Schmeling, who has dodged Sharkey for two years since he won on a foul from the loquacious Lithuanian in the summer of 1930, finally has maneuvered himself into a lion's den. He now has to fight two instead of one.

When Schmeling gets back from Germany he'll find he not only has to whip Sharkey but Schaaf as well before he can proudly wear the heavyweight crown over his raven pompadour.

Temporarily at least Sharkey has the upper hand over the man who looked like an uncrowned champion against Stribling. Schaaf gives the impression that he doesn't yet know just how good he is. Stribling says he can k. o. Schmeling.

Stribling, his face a mass of bruises, bumps and cuts, returned to Georgia today. He had seven stitches taken in the two wounds under his eyes. Reports that Stribling will retire are false.

"W. L. will lay off a few months and will build himself up to about 194 pounds for his return to the ring," said Pa Stribling. "I am just as proud of my boy as if he had won and he is a long way from through."

If Bill Hall will call at the box office, he will receive a free ticket good for today only at El Portal theater.

NEVADA TEAM ANNEXES TITLE

RENO, Feb. 27. (U.P.)—Starting cautiously, the University of Nevada basketball team was extended to its utmost before winning the second of a two game series tonight from the California Angles, 35 to 29, and thus annexed the season's far western conference championship.

BULLET PLAYS PART IN TILT

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ESTABLISHES NEW RUNNING RECORD

NEW YORK, Feb. 27. (U.P.)—Gene Venzke of Boyertown, Pa., reigning sensation of the current track and field season, established a new world's record of 3:53.4 for the 1,500-meter run in the annual Knights of Columbus games tonight.

The old record of 3:55.8 was set by Lloyd Hahn, in Washington, in 1925. A crowd of approximately 10,000 saw the record run.

VINES EXTENDED
SEATTLE, Feb. 27. (U.P.)—Ellsworth Vines, national singles champion, was extended here tonight in defeating Lloyd Nordstrom, northwest net luminary, 8-6, in the feature exhibition before approximately 1,000 local tennis fans.

BREAKS HURDLE MARK
NEW YORK, Feb. 27. (U.P.)—Percy Beard, Alabama professor, won the 60-yard high hurdles at the annual Knights of Columbus games before a crowd of 9,000, in Madison Square Garden tonight. His time was 7.5 seconds.

CAMPBELL PACKS UP SPEED AUTO

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 27. (U.P.)—Sir Malcolm Campbell's record breaking attempts for this season are off.

The English speed demon today announced he would make no further attempts for automobile records and that he has already ordered his famous Bluebird crated and shipped home.

Campbell reached this decision after taking an early morning spin on the beach. He found the course unsatisfactory for further trials.

COAST LEAGUERS OPEN TRAINING

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27. (U.P.)—Contract wrangling, player trading and other between-season pastimes of baseball men were banished today as Pacific Coast league players settled down to spring training in earnest.

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