

SEASONABLE SPORTS

BURNS IS SURE SOME LOBBYIST

(By United Press Leased Wire.) OLYMPIA, Feb. 17.—Tommy Burns, former heavyweight champion in the pugilistic world, must get the credit of being the most effective lobbyist of the present session. His presence in Olympia for a few short days has accomplished for the boxing game, what no one else could have forecasted would be possible to do, namely: the legalizing of ten-round contests in this state. In the house the victory has been complete. The line-up in favor of the measure remained intact upon five amendments, 51 sticking together from start to finish. The bill must still go through the formality of third reading before the final roll call is made on it, but the battle of Tommy Burns is practically won in the house.

BASKETBALL

Franklin school took the grammar school basketball championship yesterday afternoon. Franklin defeated Horace Mann 24 to 2 and then tackled Edison for the final test for the championship. Edison went down after she had defeated Grant school in a great battle, running overtime, by a score of 8 to 6.

EIGHT BOUTS FOR FRISCO TONIGHT

(By United Press Leased Wire.) SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Eight 4-round bouts will be staged at Dreamland rink tonight by the White Rock club. The two principal events are between Willie Ritchie and Charlie Reilly, lightweight, and Rufus Williams and Sailor Ed Rowers, welterweights.

GIVE UP SMOKER

The militia boys have given up the boxing "smoker" for the armory by which it was expected to raise money enough to open up the gymnasium again and keep things going. There was nothing in the law that permitted the boxing game at all for exhibition purposes and the association will wait for relief from Olympia before attempting any further dabbling with the fight game.

ROLLER HURT

(By United Press Leased Wire.) OMAHA, Feb. 17.—After throwing Westergaard, the Des Moines wrestler, in 26 minutes on the first fall, Dr. B. F. Roller, of Seattle, was severely injured in the second bout and had to retire, allowing the match to go to Westergaard. He will not be permanently injured.

Auto and Airship To Race for \$1,000

(By United Press Leased Wire.) LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—To settle a lengthy dispute, Harry Harkness, driving his Antoinette monoplane, will race Oscar Werner in a 90-horsepower automobile for a \$1,000 side bet at the Los Angeles Motordrome shortly. Whether the race will be one of five miles has not been decided.

BOVING

The Peoples Store defeated Rhodes Brothers in the Commercial league last night, taking two of three games. Score: Peoples Store, 765, 854, 804; Rhodes Brothers, 808, 828, 475. Allen was high man for the evening with 197 in the second game.

"THE PUG'S PROGRESS"

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16—THE GAME GOES ON WITHOUT HIM.

Paragraph on the sporting page of the Sunday Wireless: A traveling man just returned from Buena Vista, N. M., says that "Kid" Biff, the former weight champion, who was John Smith of this city, is in a bad way there. The "Kid" was sent there for his health on a purse made up by a few acquaintances who remembered him as a "good fellow when he had it." He is only 23. (THE END.)

THE MAN-HIGHER-UP

The Story of a True American BY HENRY RUSSELL MILLER

"Why, that almost makes you a friend of the people," Eleanor said, looking across at Bob. He knew that she was thinking of her conversation on the day he had called on her, and he stiffened.

"No," he replied coldly. "It only proves I'm not fool enough to ask the public to support me for nothing."

"O, I see," she said with an air extremely irritating to Bob, who began to find the restraint of his position very irksome. "You offer them the other side's faults and lower taxes by way of a bribe. So they make you boss."

"You don't know much about politics, Mrs. Gilbert," he said with a touch of his customary curtness. "There's no such thing as a boss of the people. A man may boss a government because of personal hold on the officers, but he can't call himself boss of the people who can throw him aside whenever they please."

"Then what is the secret of your success?" she persisted. "Why are you so sure of being elected?" "I say, I'm very ignorant of politics."

"Because I play the better game."

Suddenly Murchell, who had taken little part in the conversation, leaned forward and leveled an accusing finger at Bob.

"That's not true," he said sternly. "It's false to the people of your city and to yourself. You're the shrewdest and shrewdest politician in this state. But your knowledge of the game alone would never make you mayor of your city. No, it will be due to the fact that you are a boss with an ironed machine at your back. You're more than a boss. You have made yourself the leader of the people in their fight against the Railroad-Steel trust. Therefore you will win. Not the machine or the boss of a machine will be elected, but Robert McAdoo, leader of the people. The responsibility will be yours, but it will not be your victory, but the victory of the cause you represent, the victory of the Force."

"The Force?" Bob and Eleanor exclaimed together.

Murchell's hand dropped to the table. His lean, haggard face showed a red spot in each cheek. "Yes, the great Social Force, in whose grip we all are. The Force that, working in all of us from the first man down, has made us dependent on one another for happiness, for life—brothers, children of one Father. The Force that makes the man, the social unit, find his happiness, his welfare, in the happiness and welfare of his brethren, of society. The Force that has given John Dunmeade strength to struggle, libel and misunderstanding, against those who defy this principle of the universe. The Force that has placed in you—forgive my bluntness—the crassest egotist I have ever known, the spirit to defy and fight the same enemy of your brethren. The Force that makes you and John Dunmeade, by grace of a common enemy, necessary to each other, and makes you both necessary to the people of this state. The Force that will give you the victory."

The old politician stopped, his black eyes gleaming fiercely at Bob through the shaggy eyebrows. Of that was going on within him, Bob's masklike expression gave no hint as he met Murchell's gaze impassively. He shifted his glance to the others and found that he, not Murchell, was the target for the eyes. Upon Dunmeade's gentle face was written the exaltation of the martyr who sees into the beyond and beholds his triumph; upon his wife's countenance both triumph and understanding. Eleanor was looking at him with an expression Bob could not understand, though he knew that, for once, it was not hostile. He turned again to Murchell, an ugly glitter in his eyes.

"Do you see, the Force that led you, the first of the school of corporation politicians, to create the very conditions we are fighting?" Murchell did not flinch. "No, I have been of those who abused power, and therefore I have been the greatest criminal of my day. I add, the Force that will lead you two to repair the damage I have done."

Bob's mouth twisted into his sardonic grin. "It's a hopeless theory, Mr. Murchell. You make us all blind automatons. You take away from me—the crassest egotist you have ever known—my individuality, my reason for existence, my life. And you give me in exchange—a species of sublimated socialism."

"Yes," Murchell said quietly, "the socialism of Christ when He commanded 'Love thy neighbor as thyself.'"

"Your Force is as inexorable as God!"

"The Force is God," Murchell answered quietly.

"Yes, Mrs. Dunmeade said gently, 'For God is Love.'"

Bob turned to her and the sneer faded from his mouth. "What does the Force give us in exchange for our selfishness? What have I, reduced to an automaton, to make life a section worth while?"

"The happiness of seeing your fellows happier," she replied. "And Love."

He broke into a rasping, mirthless laugh. "Pardon me," he said, recovering himself. "I'm not laughing at you or your Force, but at a joke I had forgotten. I was introduced to your Force two months ago."

"No, my friend," Murchell said; "at your birth."

CHAPTER XV
The Alliance.

When the men were alone, Bob proceeded to explain his visit. "I had an interview with Henry Sanger, Jr. The interview was at his request. He is backing Larkin. Larkin doesn't know it, but there's no doubt about it. Sanger was

"Nor am I prepared for the known over the state. He has suggestion," Murchell said thoughtfully. "There are several things to consider. First, can he be elected?"

"He stands as good a chance as any one we could pick. He's the most popular man in the Steel City. He has a clean personal record. He's well and favorably

"Then, can we trust him?" Murchell demanded, looking at Bob keenly.

"Yes," Bob answered firmly, almost too firmly, Murchell thought. (Continued Tomorrow.)

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ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 17.—While Knockout Brown has been climbing to the top in New York, and One Round Jack Hogan has been doing the same on the coast, the middle west has been developing Jake Barada of this city, who met Packey McFarland in Kansas City, Feb. 6.

Barada is only twenty and his success has been remarkable. One year ago he fought his first main event bout here and since he has fought some of the best of the second raters at 133 pounds.

He has defeated Tommy McFarland and Chuck Larson of Chicago and Mike Malone of Denver. He became a favorite at Kansas City when he drew with Johnny McCarthy, who recently fought Packey McFarland.

Barada is more fighter than boxer. He has a punch in either hand and covers so well he is hard to reach, even though his opponents outbox him easily. In the clinches he is strong and has a reputation for fighting from going to going.

Barada saves his money and works like a Trojan in every bout. Billy Prescott, who manages the boy, will match him with any lightweight in the country for 10 rounds and will take on any boy near the top of the lightweight ladder for any number of rounds.



JAKE BARADA.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN SATURDAY

How there is to be a cross country run in the Stadium may puzzle some people, but that is what the high school athletes call the running race that is to be given there a week from tomorrow. The contest will be three miles. There will be nearly 40 boys in the match and besides honors for the winner there will be a rivalry between the classes.

PHYSICAL TESTS FOR SCHOOLBOYS

Boys, can you "chin" yourself at times? That is the test of physical proficiency, or one of them at least, that Physical Director Fletcher of the public schools is going to introduce to test out all the "kids" in town.

Every boy who can chin himself six times, who can run 60 yards in 8 3-5 seconds, who can make a standing broad jump of 5 feet 6 inches and can "shove-up" 8 times will get a button.

The "shove-up" consists in lying on the stomach with the toes and hands touching the floor. Then raise up until the arms are straight and then lower until the chin touches the floor with the back straight and nothing touching but the toes and hands.

These tests are only for grammar school boys and any over 16 will not be taken into the game.

HE'S BEST BOWLER

Blouin won the individual championship of the American bowling congress, at the national tournament, St. Louis, gathering 681 pins. Blouin is one of the Chicago bunch, which cleaned up the major portion of the prize money offered for competition.

Ask Congress To Save Elk

(By United Press Leased Wire.) CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 17.—Both houses of the state legislature memorialized congress yesterday to take immediate steps to save the 5,000 elk south of Yellowstone Park. It is said there is not a near enough hay in the section to save them from starvation.

Passing of the World Famous Horses of "Lucky" Baldwin

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 17.—"Lucky" Baldwin's heirs are rapidly getting rid of the horses of that famous stable.

When old "Lucky" died he had about 300 pedigreed horses, including those on the "ranch" and the number in three or four "stables" he had leased to various horsemen. There are probably not half of that number on the ranch now for Administrator Urub is selling them off indiscriminately as best suits his purposes for turning the estate into cash.

The most noted horses now on the ranch are Rey El Santa Anita, Cruzados, Lisaro and Amigo and what they were valued at in the inventory would make some of the old-time sports sick, if they consider the amount that the animals won in bets and purses in their racing days.

Miss Ford, won thousands of dollars for her owner and backers in the old days and was valued at \$5, when she died.

Rey El Santa Anita, 20 years old, and Cruzados, about 10 years old, were put down as being worth \$250 each.

This figure was far out of proportion as compared with their value, but the price was put on them merely to keep any one from taking them away from the estate. Baldwin heirs have announced that they will never start another horse on any track.

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