

# GOT TO FIGHT IN THE ARGENTINE

BOXERS GOING ON SOUTHERN TRIP FIND AUTHORITIES STRICT—NOTES OF ATHLETICS.

New York, June 8.—The boxers who will make the trip from this country to Argentina to compete in a series of bouts in Buenos Ayres will find conditions governing contests there considerably from those existing in North American rings. According to the regulations, which are to be made part of the contracts, the pugilists will not receive the sums stipulated in their arrangements unless the spectators are thoroughly satisfied with the contests.

While boxing is still far from an established institution in Buenos Ayres, the city authorities have certain ideas regarding the conduct of the sport, one of which is that the pugilists must give the spectators their money's worth. As a result the principals are never paid until those who purchased tickets have signified that they are satisfied with the exhibition. This has been made clear to the boxers who will shortly start for Argentina, by the explanation that if the spectators are not pleased with the efforts of the pugilists their money is returned to them before they leave their seats and the contestants get nothing.

In the party will be four negro heavyweights, Sam McVey, Joe Jeanette, Sam Langford and Harry Wills, and the understanding is that they will box a round-robin tournament for the negro championship of the world under these conditions. The men will be drawn by lot for the battles, the two winners to meet in a semi-final and the losers to meet for third place. All the bouts will be twenty round contests with a referee's decision if they go the limit. These bouts will be fought during July and August and before the completion of the tournament it is expected that arrangements will have been made with Jack Johnson to box the winner for the negro title. Johnson is at present in Spain where he has figured in two recent bouts and it is understood that he has tentatively accepted the proposition to appear in the Buenos Ayres ring.

The promoter of the bouts in Argentina is an amateur boxer of considerable repute and a man of wealth. He has spent several months touring the various countries in search of pugilistic talent for the coming ring tournament. During his recent trip to France he offered Georges Carpentier, the French champion, something like \$100,000 for two bouts in Buenos Ayres, with a further percentage of the gate for the French Red Cross fund. He secured the official consent of the French army authorities for a three-months furlough for Carpentier, but when he made his offer to the pugilist the latter replied: "No, I fight not for money now, but for France. When the war ends, if I survive, I will fight in your country, but not before."

Cornell University oarsmen have been trying out another rowing innovation in training which is reported to work successfully. It is nothing more than an adaptation of the mirror system used during the indoor training season. It consists of a bright silver disk, which is fastened to the oar handle in such a manner as to be parallel with the blade. In connection with the disk is a cleat which prevents the oar handle from being gripped except in one way. As a result, the oarsman, by glancing at the disk, can see the exact position of the sweep blade during any motion of the stroke. It is said that there has been a decided improvement in the uniformity of the blade work since the installation of the device.

## ELDERLY WOMEN PARTY DELEGATES



Mrs. Cornelius Cole of Los Angeles, at top, and Mrs. Abbie E. Krebs of San Francisco, at bottom, are the two oldest women delegates at the republican convention in Chicago. Despite their age they have been active in women's political affairs in California and were selected to represent the state on the convention floor.

The demand for accommodations over Saturdays and Sundays at several of the larger eastern golf clubs had led to the erection of a number of portable cottages adjacent to the club houses to handle the overflow of members who desire to spend the week-end on the links. All the rooms are fitted out for sleeping purposes, the occupants lounging and dining in the main club house when not on the course.

## LUCKY FOR THIS MARINE THAT IT WASN'T SAME ELEPHANT

San Diego, Cal., June 8.—Having heard of the length and tenacity of an elephant's memory, and remembering a trick he had played on one year before, Private Don O. Davis, of the United States marine corps, begged to be excused from participating in the elephant maneuvers recently held by marine on the exposition grounds in this city.

"I remember, when a kid, of slipping a fine large 'chaw' of plug tobacco into the throttle of a pachyderm that strangely resembles that big fellow over there," he told his commanding officer.

But marines never flinch—no matter what the danger—and Davis was ordered to take his place by the side of the elephant he feared.

And then—nothing at all happened. And then—nothing at all happened. The elephant by Davis' side was not related—not even by marriage—to the elephant he had wronged in his youth.

## FIRST WHITE MAN TO HOLD THE JOB

Washington, June 8.—President Wilson today nominated John D. Costello, democratic national committeeman of the District of Columbia, to be recorder of deeds for the District. Costello will be the first white man to hold the position since Cleveland inaugurated the custom of appointing a negro for the place.

## NEW JAPANESE AMBASSADOR TO U. S.

Washington, June 8.—Amoro Sato, Japanese ambassador to Austria, has been selected as ambassador to the United States to succeed Viscount Chinda, whose transfer to England was recently announced. Sato is a brother-in-law of Chinda and with him was a student at DePaw University, Indiana. He spent much time in America.

**General Trend.**  
"Those chorus girls can dance."  
"Yes, you see some rather scientific dancing among chorus girls these days."  
"Quite so. In the chorus as well as in the prize ring, science seems to be supplanting beef."

## ARMORED AUTOS FOR THE CITIZENS TRAINING CAMP

MANY APPLICANTS PROVE PATRIOTISM OF U. S. — CAMPS OPEN JULY 5 TO OCTOBER 5.

Indianapolis, June 8.—The citizens' military training camps, which will open at Ft Benjamin Harrison, near here, July 5 and continue through to October 5, will have the use of four armored automobiles, according to word received here by Lew Wallace, Jr., adjutant of the local committee arranging for the camps. The machines will be sent here by the Northwestern Military and Naval academy of Lake Geneva, Wis., and will be in charge of students from the school.

The committee also announces that more than 2,000 applications for entrance to the camps have been received already, which insures a good attendance at all three camps, and many more are expected before the first camp is opened. The camps will be for a month each. The first will be from July 5 to Aug. 4; the second Aug. 4 to Sept. 6, and the third from Sept. 6 to Oct. 5.

A United States army corps ambulance also will be provided for the camp, and the executives in charge have secured the promise of many of the largest business organizations in the cities throughout the territory of the central department to permit a certain number of their employees to attend the camps without loss of salary.

## LIBERTY'S VOTE FOR CONGRESSMAN

Liberty county's vote for congressman, as received in a wire to Mr. Kehoe's headquarters last night, was as follows:

	1st Choice	2nd Choice
Kehoe	143	53
Smithwick	104	55
Watson	236	
Stevens	61	

In Wakulla, according to advices received, Kehoe and Smithwick were about equally remembered by the voters, with no great advantage by either man.

## WHEAT CROP WILL BE MUCH SMALLER

Washington, June 8.—The department of agriculture today forecasted the winter wheat crop of four hundred and sixty-nine million bushels and a spring wheat crop of two hundred and forty-six million bushels. Both are much smaller than the crop of last year.

## Demure Little Frock of White Organdy



By BETTY BROWN  
An airy, fairy dancing frock is this thing in French organdy and flit lace, designed by Mme. Ripley of the Fashion Art League of America for a Newport debutante.  
It is simple and so demure I see no reason why girls may not develop the design in 35-cent organdy or 35-cent lawn.  
The skirt is full, gathered at the back to suggest a bustle. But the newest and oddest thing about it is the collar which looks like a hood. The girle is in apricot satin. Point d'esprit, which fashion is bringing back to favor, would be charming in this model.

## SQUIRREL FOOD

(ISN'T IT SO?)

By AHERN



## W. O. W. MEMORIAL BEEN POSTPONED

The W. O. W. annual memorial service, which had been planned for next Sunday, has been postponed a week, and will take place on the afternoon of June 18, one week from next Sunday. Several reasons were responsible for the postponement. All Woodmen from other parts of the county and state, who are contemplating making a trip to Pensacola to witness the ceremonies, are urged to be governed in accordance with the above.

## DISPLAY CASE OF KNIVES IS ROBBED

Early yesterday morning a carrier boy employed by The Journal discovered that a display case of knives, at the old Porter store, on East Wright street, had been broken, and a number of knives taken. The police were notified, and during the day two white boys about 14 years of age, were placed under arrest. Some of the stolen knives were said to have been found in their possession. They will be returned over to the probation officer this morning, if this claim is sustained.

## R. R. FIGURE SHOW INCREASE OF PROSPERITY

Louisville, Ky., June 8.—Estimated operating revenues of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad for May increased \$1,134,812 over May, 1915, and \$759,234 over the same period in 1914, according to a statement of the comptroller made public here today.

From July 1, 1915, to May 31, 1916, the statement shows, the increase over the previous corresponding period was \$7,750,007, which was a decrease of \$268,245 under the same months in 1913-14.

The Louisville & Nashville serves a large territory in the South. Its statement is taken to indicate that the high level of business expansion continues in that section.

## MEETING AT THE HOME FOR COLORED ORPHANS

A meeting will be held at the Colored Widows' and Orphans' Home on Sunday, June 11, at 3 o'clock. It is for the benefit of the new building by August 1. Each colored pastor is asked to come and bring his congregation; also each society and the different clubs of the city are invited to attend. Rev. S. M. Shelton will preach.

## CHARTER BOARD WILL ORGANIZE NEXT MONDAY

It is announced that the recently-elected charter board will get together and organize on next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, meeting in the city hall and in the council chamber for the purpose named. It is thought that there will be much interest manifested by the general public in the organization, and all seats will be occupied.

The city commissioners will hold the final meeting of the present board, and Mayor Greenhunt will preside until all business before the present board is closed up. Then he will turn over his office to his successor, George Hnricks. The commissioners will then get together and apportion the different commissioner-ships. One will be elected as mayor, one as police and fire commissioner and one as street commissioner. The mayor, by the law, will also be commissioner of finance. Following the important ceremony, the commissioners will get together in the selection of different department heads, and will name the city attorney, engineer, building inspector, chiefs of the police and fire departments, comptroller, city clerk, tax assessor, tax collector, plumbing inspector, electrician, superintendent of the water works, etc.

Ouch!  
"If America really is in a heroic mood it will take such a fall out of Candidate Roosevelt that he will remember it until the next campaign—almost.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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## To the Voters of Escambia County!

I sincerely thank my friends and supporters for the splendid vote I received on Tuesday, and to those who did not vote for me, assure them there is no feeling on my part, for the office is not mine, but belongs to the people and is theirs to give or take away at their pleasure. I fought against great odds and feel that the large vote I received was a vindication of my official record. I shall always hold in grateful remembrance the large majorities the voters of this county have always given me in the past and want them to know I am accepting defeat as manfully as I have ever rejoiced in victory, and will be the same good fellow and loyal friend in the future as I have been in the past.

SCOTT M. LOFTIN.

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depends upon his power to produce what the world recognizes as of value.

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Grape Nuts comes ready to eat, is easy to digest, nourishing, economical, wonderfully delicious—a help in building men of worth.

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## To My City and Country Friends:

I am deeply grateful to you for the splendid vote you gave me Tuesday, and I wish to take this means of thanking you for your esteemed support and confidence in me shown by the gift of your vote.

Like some of my fellow-candidates, the votes did not fly thick and fast enough to land me in the office I sought, but my gratitude is just as sincere for what you did for me in this election as if I had won. Perhaps we may try again and fare better. The fates may be kinder next time.

Again thanking you for your kind efforts in my behalf, I am

Sincerely yours,  
CAPT. BOB EDMUNDSON

(Paid Advertisement.)

## To the Voters:

I appreciate most heartily your generous support in the primary of June 6th and assure you that I will merit your confidence.

Sincerely,  
JAS. MACGIBBON,  
Clerk Circuit Court.

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