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# EX-CAPTAIN WHEELER SHOWN UP

## HERMAN-ROJAS FIGHT THURSDAY

First Outdoor Match Of The Season To Be Held July 31

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Omaha is gittin' on the fistic map, more an' more, day by day and month by month. Now guys, look what's a comin! None other than the big prune from the home of Chili sauce, one Romero Rojas by name. He is to fight wee Tiny Herman right here in our own back yard next threesday night, Julia the 31st.

This is not the first time we have had the pleasure of entertaining a prominent far southern guest, however unless all signs fali, this newest of South American tourists will be more joyfully received than was the Bull from the Pampas.

Firstly, as we ministers say, he has no set up, secondly, Rogie as we usually call him while on our annual visit to his native haunts below the equator, has to actually fight at every entertainment he gives, as he does not and can not fight on false reputation as did the honorable mister Firpo. Rojas can fight like hell and does that very thing every time he enters the ring. That he will have to fight the same way during his first appearance here goes without saying. If he don't he will go back to that dear od Chili, sans reputation, sans mazuma, sans his cauliflowed ears an' everything.

Rojas has won five of his six fights in this country and has fought some mighty good men in the east. He was a wonder down in his own country winning over the best men in South America. Eventually he attracted the attention of Tex Rickard, master machanic of the fistic world. Since he has been under the protectwing of the great Tex, Romero has shown a world of stuff and will no doubt put up one of the greatet rough and tumble fights of his meteoric career when he meets the indomitable Herman.

Now, ladies and gints, les'say something about Herman, that you don't know nothin' about atall. Or it you do you have overlooked it. Jack Lewis took over the big boy a couple of years or so ago. At that time Have Not Been Given Full Credit about the best could be said of him was he was husky, carried a wollop and had plenty of guts, the kind that wins fights. Jack being a real judge of fighting material grabbed the big wars have not come in for the praise title of Australian champion today.

The record to date shows that Tiny (a hell of a name to fasten upon him) wires out to Salt Lake determined has been in 24 fights since he has to bring home the bacon and they claimed Omaha his home. Out of the two score fights he has not had over that not less than ten thousand deletwo set ups, a record we believe for gates including their relatives and men of his ability. On fifteen different occasions he has won by the knockout route. He won five other fights on decision, got two draws and it has ever been called upon to do. lost but two scraps. If that is not a record for a heavyweight then it of green cheese.

Let your mind travel back to the days when Jim Corbett ended the fighting career of John L. Sullivan, if you are old enough, and see if you can recall any mit slinger with a similar record at the top weight They aint none, as Judge Cooley used to say. Whoa, back up baby, there the hotel register, Thomas Gibbons,

Renault and to Fred Fulton. That make a mighty good man. Anderson young Leopold on too rich food so saves space which would be occupied is a disabled veteran of the world State's Attorney Crowe should inin telling of his numerous victories, war. having been the first Omahan vestigate him. Funny story is connected with the returned from France because of Fulton fight, funny for everybody German buliets. except Jack Lewis and his ace in the hole, Herman. In the seventh inning GOOD BYE MISTER CARPENTIER of their eight round bout down east, Tiny floored Fred and according to no less a boxing authority than Tom heavyweight in the business when he He writes the Mediator that it is Dennison, one single second of time licked the daylights out of the once "God's country," and he is glad to see lost Herman the bout and Jack ten popular Georges Carpentier. There the Mediator out there. thousand cold simoleons. In that round Herman caught Fulton flush chance with him at equal weight, horn, in Estes Park, Colorado, where on the jaw and dropped him cold but he being Tommy Gibbons. They are he apparently is having a big time the old ring general come out of it the two lads to fight it out for the Loyal knows how to enjoy himself, rushed with work but always able to just before the judge in the roped chance to swap wollops with Demp- too. The bootleggers are noot bother- handle more. The shop was formerly will carry Nebraska as well as the time will tell which will appear to arena was ready to give him ten and sey. Carp may now go back to that ing him out there and he dont care

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For Bringing Their National Convention To City

The Disabled Veterans of Foreign boy, who could rightfully claim the they deserve in bringing the national convention to Omaha next year. This organization sent a bunch of live did that very thing. It is estimated friends will attend. If the figure things. proves correct this city will have about the biggest job of entertaining

but what it lacks in numbers it makes is a fact that the moon is made out up in pep and ginger. The memberdisabled in foreign lands or in foreign waters. The people of this city limit and see to it that the members dog days. get their just dues all the times.

#### ANOTHER CITIZEN FOR OMAHA

Omaha gained a new citizen Wedis one and only one and he signs on nesday when a ten pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Anderson, 2424 Pierce street. If he grows He is there all over and never took Big Jeems Herman tost to Jack up to be the man his dad is he will a drink in his life. Erick raised

Gene Tunney, Thursday night proved once more he is the best light honeymoon in the Rocky mountains. is but one man living who has a costs. The next round saw Herman's dear old France and live in luxury the if he never gets back. He expects to plant and was established forty belt with the possible exception of the Democrats have the better of the rest of his life on American dollars. remain in the Park some time.

#### ENDRES HAVING A

FULL OF PEP It is just one damn thing after another with Sheriff Endres these as democratic candidate for governor pears to have lost most of his friends grade or not remains to be seen. and to have accumulated many addi- Most people in this part of the tional enemies.

> torial sarcastically says that perhaps of harmony. the sheriff is not making a dime on the feed graft and says a lot of other Meantime a bunch of Germans are

saying that Mike double crossed them doled out to the prisoners. Pretty

#### ERIC THE COOK DRIFTS INTO TOWN

Eric the cook, is in town, used to cook for the Leopolds in Chicago. Now does his stuff for Ed. Peterson.

#### LOYAL COHN IN MOUNTAINS WITH HIS BRAND NEW WIFE

Loyal Cohn, owner and proprietor of the Loyal hotel is enjoying his

Cohn and his wife are at Matter-

#### DEMOCRATS SELECT STRONG HEAP OF TROUBLE MAN AS GOVERNOR CANDIDATE

J. H. Norton has been nominated sweltering days. When he was elect- after more or less of a bitter fight. ed he had thousands of friends and He is well qualified for the job he some bitter enemies. Now he ap- seeks but whether he will make the

state believe John Hopkins would have He retained the jail feeding graft been a better selection both as to and that is the cause of his latest qualifications and vote getting abitroubles. The Bee claims he is lity. Hopkins showed his fine spirit of the Vinton street car barn. After most cruely assaulted her so it is grabbing off something like 20 thou- and genuine democracy when he resand dollars a year on the graft. moved himself from the race to pre-The World-Herald in a stinging edi- vent a deadlock and in the interest

#### SIGNS INDICATE OMAHA IN

FOR PERIOD OF PROSPERITY Omaha and Nebraska are in for a period of prosperity this fall unlesss and are waiting for the opportunity al signs fail. The farmers are going The local chapter is not overly large to get even with him. The prisoners to make a nifty profit on everything are saying little because they dare they sell. After four years of advernot. Perhaps are unable to speak sity during which time they have ship is limited to veterans who were because of being overly fed up on been unable or unwilling to spend the rich foods that are no doubt money, they will now be in shape to stock up. When the farmers buy must back this organization to the tough to be in politics during the Omaha is prosperous, and Omaha merchants can use all the loose change that will no doubt come their way this fall.

#### SEE WHAT TULSA DID TO WESTERN LEAGUE LEADERS

hands of the Tulsa Oilcans. Never got a hit or run while the souther- quarters. ners were piling up 22 pearies. It is one of these things that makes parts can not conceive such a possibaseball what it is. The best team in the Western sometimes gets theirs by the political progastinators under crat as La Follette is a republican. usually rubs it in.

#### BUSINESS GOOD AT THE ARTHUR EDSON PLANT

Lots of business men are complaining about business but not socialist who carries the republican are familiar with the voters. So do Arthur L. Edson, proprietor of the banner for office getting purposes automobile repair and rebuilding shop and Burton Wheeler a run away demon north Fifteenth street. He is ocrat. known as the A. J. Simpson & Son other states in the corn and wheat the majority. Just now it looks like years ago.

## CHARACTER BROUGHT MEN WHO KNOW HIM BEST

Was Cleared Of Dastardly Crime Committed, Through The Efforts Of Political Friends

## ASSAULTED CRIPPLED CHILD IS CHARGED

Man Now Circulating Petition For Recall Of Henry Dunn And Asking To Be Elected Commissioner Unfit To Mingle In Decent Society-Drove Child To Riverview Park Where He Brutally Assaulted Her Is One Charge Against Him.

Lyman H. Wheeler, former police captain, is asking the people of Omaha to join him in a supreme effort to install himself as police commissioner while at the same time he is asking the voters to remove the present police head, Henry Dunn. Whether his efforts should be awarded or not is a question for the people to decide. Before signing a petition to this effect we believe citizens of this community will naturally want to take a peek behind the scenes and find out for themseslves if there is any hidden motive and if so just what it is.

Without doubt the average person will also want to know just what sort of a man Mr. Wheeler is before they sign on the dotted line, a petition that would have the effect of removing Mr. Dunn and at the same time electing Ex-Captain Wheeler to the position to which he aspires. With this in mind the Mediator will attempt to give the facts in the case as near as possible, beginning with this

First of all we presume that the better element of our citizenship is anxious to learn the facts concerning the personal character of the gentleman who now apparently feels it his duty to initiate a move in his own behalf and against Mr. Dunn who has been his superior officer for many years. This they are entitled to and we are only sorry that we can give but a few of the many incidents in the life of this former officer who claims he has started the recall simply because he is a 100 per cent American and looks forward only to seeing that justice will eventually reign supreme in this fair

Believing that the ends of justice will in fact be attained this paper makes bold to add to his efforts by showing the people just what sort of a man the former officer is, so that they may judge for themselves and determine whether or not an election should be called at Mr. Wheeler's request.

One incident in the life of Lyman Wheeler should be sufficient to forever remove him from the spotlight of politics and should have sent him to the penitentiary for many years according to some who knew the inside facts at the time the alleged crime was committed. Before stating the facts in the case, let it be said that through the influence of a man prominent in local politics an alibi was framed up for Wheeler which resulted in his freedom. It might also be mentioned that Mr. Dunn who was at that time chief of police, in order to uphold the morale of the force, re-instated Wheeler, who at that time was one of the few motorcycle policemen.

The story concerns an assault case on two little girls of which those in on the know say that Wheeler was one of the guilty parties and instigators of the dirty diabolical plot, to ruin the lives of these two children to satisfy his distorted passions.

duced her to get asride the handle position to know. bars of his motorcycle and go for a spin. Innocently enough she agreed. that comes to an innocent child after With his prey secured this man who

On or about the seventh day of now claims to be such a perfect July 1912. Wheeler with another speciman of the lately heralded 100 officer met or accosted the little per cent American citizen, drove her girls, both of whom were under 15 at breakneck speed to Riverview years of age. This took place in front park where he in his wild animal lust cajoling one of the girls Wheeler in- claimed by those who are surely in

> Bedraggled and torn with the fear (Continued on page 3)

## EASTERN POLITICIANS FEAR LA FOLLETTE WHILE WESTERNERS THINK HIM WEAK

Davis or Coolidge Seem Able To Overcome All Independent Opposition-Bryan May Swing Nebraska If He Makes Popular Gubernatorial Recommendation—Dawes Will Start Things When He Arrives.

Political managers profess to be Bob makes his home. Neither old a bit concerned about the election party candidate is particularly popusentatives. Such a thing is possible major presidential candidates. Our Omaha baseball team got an but not probadle. Those doing the awful drubbing Thursday at the worrying are the eastern directors of the Democratic and Republican head- a republican but gives the republi-

The average citizen living in these Sentae is in session. bility. Nebraska is not in the north and other northwestern states in following the fortunes of the much pompadoured Bob LaFoliette, a sort of established democraic principles that

Not a chance. Coolidge or Davis Wissconsin where the self appointed

results in the northwest with the lar out here but Bryan and Dawes may possible prospect that the election be expected to overcome any prejuwill be decided in the house of repre- dice that may exist against the

The selection of Wheeler rounds out the Independent ticket in splencans little or no support while the

Likewie Wheeler is a democrat, a Wheeler democrat as it were, that is in the league such as the Buffaloes west geographically but is put there to say he is the same kind of a demoand when they do the opposition the assumption that this state as Out here in the west we do not take well as Kansas will join hands with our politics that way. A man to get the Wisconsin, Minnesota, the Dakotas vote of the corn belt region must stand for something besides himself.

Davis and Bryan stand for certain Coolidge and Dawes. These principles are in some ways decidedly different but they are basic and have their own particular appeal. Only

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#### WHEELER AND HIS TROUBLES

For unadulterated nerve, or in coarse words, gall, the action of Lyman Wheeler, once charged with aiding and abetting delinquency of a woman, or rather a mere child, and a deformed child at that, in setting himself up as the master mind and the emblem of purity, as police commissioner, to succeed Henry Dunn, at present holding good died-in-the-wool democrats, who that place, is the limit of everything that can be thought of and want to be loyal to the party but not not in the dictionary.

This man Wheeler, whom the testimony in the child delinquency case in question showed, rode this child to Riverview park on the handle bars of his motorcycle, and what he did at the park is unmentionable. And this man, in the face of these charges, has the guts to set himself up as a candidate for Mr. Dunn's place on the city commission. Worse and rottener things may have occured in Omaha, but they have never been told. Just now they are trying for murder in Chicago two boys for crime against society that could be little worse than the crime charged against this grown man Wheeler.

The difference is that these Chicago boys will probably go to the electric chair or hang from a beam because the authorities are able to convict them. In Wheeler's case, he was befriended by the man whom he is now trying to insult, and who in the interest of society and the morale of the police department, used the influence bernatorial banner a good selection. in Wheeler's behalf and managed to have the matter quietly dismissed. This is an awful indictment, and one which the sober and well raised people of Omaha will condemn from the start.

We can have no brief for any city commissioner nor for Tom Dennison, but we will say truthfully that they are both saints, as compared with this man Wheeler, whose actions in this recall stuff

Incidentally, we are reliably informed that this is one of the results of having in our midst a few misguided persons who have tied up with and become a part of the Ku Klux Klan. From the same source, too, we are informed that Wheeler is a member of this body. despite any assertion he may make. We are not in a position to say how this information comes to us, but it is sufficient to say that its source is unquestioned. Wheeler is also given credit for being the practice of determining whether the Omaha representative of the Klan Kourier, being sold on the the cat is out. If he is the rear door streets once a week, and whose particular businesss it is to throw brickbats at our Fair city.

This Klan paper has been actively engaged in an attempt to destroy everything of any value in the city, and the Klan is helping along all it can. This institution is of the sort that takes up and ing. the door was still ajar and the supports he actions of men like Wheeler and declares it is 100 per cent American. It has instituted on office in the Peters Trust building from which Wheeler is working, ably assisted by Dudley, Herman Metz, Emil Larson & Drury company. It has taken on the I. W. W., the Anti-Saloon League, Jennie Calfas and others of that ilk, who are assisting in the attempt to pull down the work of the people of Omaha. They are all down and outers, who are attempting to build a new organization similar to the one Dean Ringer got to working a few years ago, and which ended with the burning of Omaha's million dollar court house, the hanging of a man and untold other damage.

Will Omaha people of the better class permit this kind of people live in our fair city, and even dare to attempt to run it. Once should have been enough to learn them their lesson.

The quicker this blackleg Wheeler is gotten rid of the better off will Omaha be for it.

#### Won't Get Up and Work, Wife Hurls Hot Water

Oakland, Cal.-Joseph Cabral, fortysix, said he was too ill to work and remained in bed. His wife, Mary, demanded he rise and seek a job. When he refused, she poured a kettle of boiling water over him, he told police at the county hospital, where he is being treated for severe burns on arms and chest.

#### Meets Dad in Jail

Atlanta, Ga.-Father and son were reunited when John L. Gunn of Memphis. Tenn., entered the federal penitentiary here, where his father, John G. Gunn, is serving a sentence for violation of the anti-narcotic law.

#### Aged Man in Prison

Sioux Falls, S. D.-Prison doors closed at the penitentiary recently behind Arthur J. Ferguson, seventy-five years, for killing his wife in 1922. While awaiting trial Ferguson attempted suicide, but failed.

#### Child Scalded to Death

Reelfoot Lake, Ky.-Stumbling into a kettle of boiling water on the floor, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs Floyd Wallace was fatally scalded.

#### Aerial Causes Death

Easton, Pa.-When a radio aerial he was trying to string touched a live wire Daniel Sullivan was electrocuted.

#### EASTERN POLITICIANS FEAR LA FOLLETTE

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argument but it may look different in November.

In showing how well Wheeler fits in with La Follette and the general scheme of things from the new party stand point, one eastern writer points out that the Montana senator is under federal indictment. According to Washington dispatches, whatever the outcome of that case may be, La Follette figures Wheeler can be payed up as a martyr, something after the order of Gene Debs.

The Wisconsin senator probably has in mind that Debs, while serving a federal sentence at Atlanta once polled a vote of nearly a million for the presidency. Others point out that Wheeler's removal as district attorney for Montana for alleged affiliation with the I. W. W. and anti-war activities ought to make secure the following of the wobblies.

LaFollette did not pick Governor Bryn as a running mate, not because the Commoner's brother is not a progressive but because he is not the kind of a progressive that would appeal to ultra radicals, not a man that would fit in with his high sounding, meaningless platform.

Governor Bryan can do more for the democratic presidential nominees in Nebraska than any other one man or set of men. He can at the same time, do more damage by promoting any undue discord in the ranks of Nebraska democracy through demanding that the democratic committee select some candidate to succeed him as governor who will represent some particular faction and cause ill feeling with hosts of other like to be tramped on politically than any other man.

Mr Brvan has been able to handle these questions quite satisfactory in the past and it is not to be doubted that he will be equal to the occasion at this crucial period. There is surely some man in the state that is big enough to be governor who would be satisfactory to democrats in Omaha as well as out through the state, and he may live right here in Omaha.

Even as this is being written, word comes that Norton has been elected to carry the Democratic gu-

#### Essays Role of Tom Cat Then Ransacks the House

Rockford, Ill.-Among Rockford's four burglaries in one night, following six the night before, was one in which the robber substituted himself for the family cat.

At the home of the R. Krebs family the large black tom eat has night privileges. So solicitous has the family been for Tom's rights in the home that the members have followed is left open for his return.

It was during such a period that the hurgiar entered the house and ransacked ff.

When the family awoke in the morncat was home.

#### Auto Falls 60 Feet; Occupants Unhurt

Hornell, N. Y.-Two smashed headlight bulbs constituted the only damage when a closed automobile occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bump crashed through the guard railing on an overhead bridge late at night and dropped 60 feet to the railroad tracks below. Bump was hurrying to the bedside of his mother, who was reported to be near death.

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#### LAST CAR LEAVES

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- 1	Cuming12:45
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such a heinous butchering, this poor minds of most people is worse than the little cottage she called home, there to unfold her story to the only one who could know and sympathize. to appear in court she faced this that can be charged against a man.

Wheeler was acquitted of the crime but that makes him no less guilty of the dastardly act according to those who know how it came about that he was freed of the charge. His petition, it is even possible that he alibi was framed by several people swearing that his motorcycle was broken down at the time and that it would have been impossible for the if any mothers will sign the petition officer to have made the ride after learning the facts concerning No one knows better than Wheeler himself that it was through the influence of a local politician that he lieve that the motherhood of our fair was freed of the charge and at that time felt under everlasting obligations to him.

The complaint was made at the time by Howard Kennedy and the late do we believe the men voters of the "Mogy" Bernstein, officers of the ju- city will stand for a man of Wheelvinile court in 1912. When the trial er's calibre who after having been was over which so many people claim associated with Henry Dunn for 20 was a farce and a travesy on justice, the officer walked out a free man, escaping the penitentiary through the friendship and energetic efforts time have elected him. of others, it is said. The charge made at the time was aiding and abbeting delinquency. The trial came up before Judge Foster on October 29th. Four days before that time Wheeler was suspended because of the complaint filed with the department by the juvenile court.

His freedom on the no doubt true charge worked to his advantage in as much as the police chief felt it best for the morale of the department to re-instate him which was done stortly after the trial.

This is but one of the things Threatens to Leave, charged against Wheeler who now has the unlimited and unmitigated guts to ask the people of Omaha to little victim of a crime that in the recall Commissioner Dunn and to Bula Gunn, thirty-five, were killed, and elect him to the all important place murder, wearally wended her way to as head of the police department. Other charges of a less revolting nature have been made by acquaintences and former associates, all of Later when the little child was able which no doubt will come to light at the proper time. Meanwhile it will man Wheeler and charged him with be interesting to see what Mr. Wheelthe most damnable and fiendish crime er will have to say about the crime he is alleged to have committed on that poor little ragged girl back in

It is possible that Wheeler will get several thousand signers to his will have enough to demand an election, though not probable. One thing we will venture is the fact that few the alleged brutal assault by Wheeler on an innocent girl. We do not becity will tolorate for a single minute a man of the character of Wheeler, not as their representative on the city commission leastwise. Neither years finds out all of a sudden that his late chief is unfitted for the position that the people for the second

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Kills Himself While

Family Is at Church Chicago.—Colles Engh, fiftyeight, used a shotgun to kill himself while his wife and two sons were at church. Despondency because he had been unable to obtain work is believed by the police to have led him to take his life.

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shooting affray at the Cage home. Cage, who is said to have become enraged when his housekeeper resigned, shot her as she was leaving his home with her belongings, wounded the cab driver who had been engaged to take her to Portland, and then turned the gun ch himself.

## Girl Mourns Tresses,

Ends It All in River Norfolk, Va.-Grief over her shorn tresses is believed to have caused Miss Virginia Jones, seventeen-year-old member of the Maury high school graduating class, to end her life. The young woman crept out of her home at 4 a. m., after taking her father's automobile key from his pocket. A few hours later the automobile was found on the waterfront in Lafayette park.

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Non-resident Defendant: You are hereby notified that Euilar Brown filed her petition in the District Court of Douglas County Nebraska, March 29, 1924, to obtain divorce from you on the grounds of non-support and cruelty. You are required to answer said petition on or before August 11, 1924.

7-11-4T. Euilar Brown, Plaintiff

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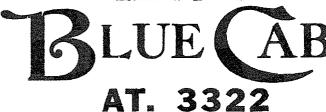
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L. K. Bell, of Washington, D. C. vice. The postage in this case being traffic manager of the air mail service, in a talk before the executive two days in delivery. A letter from committee of the Omaha Chamber of Omaha to Indianapolis or Toledo, and Commerce, explained the manner in other points in the Cleveland, Ohio which the air mail and railway mail zone, will be carried by combined air schedules are co-ordinated so that mail and railway mail service for hundreds of towns within a 500 mile 16 cents, and to such eastern points radius of each of the tran-continental as Washington, Boston or Philadeldivision points of the airway can save phia, is forfarded by rail after reachfrom one to two days in the delivery ing New York from Omaha by air of mail to destinations in every state. mail. The cost of sending such mail by airplane and railway service combined its development to both Omaha and is the same for these cities as for Nebraska has been pointed out by those located along the route the postoffice and air mail officials, their high social position. mail planes travel.

addressed to Louisville, Kentucky, highway and the hub of the entire for example, are forwarded by rail- system. Headquarters for the disroad to the nearest division point on tribution of this mail, east and west, the air mail route, which is Omaha. are located in Omaha. Success of Many society girs find that their Then such mail on which the air mail the new service means its expansion postage is affixed, or the required with correlating lines bringing mail amount of postage with "Air Mail" at high speed through the air from written below the stamps, is picked other cities, north and south, for disup by the air mail service at Omaha patch east and west on the main, and shot through the air to Chicago transcontinental airway. Such develat a speed of more than 100 miles an opment will make Omaha the possible hour, then reforwarded without de- distributing center for the bulk of lay by railway mail service to Louisville, reaching there the next morning The air mail postage required in this been started to urge the business instance is 8 cents, since that is the men of Omaha and Nebraska to patrate between cities in the same zone. ronize the air mail service at every A special delivery stamp on the let-opportunity.

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comedy cast headed by Dorothy De-

talents in many dangerous situations.

heights and risks her fair neck in a

Playing opposite Miss Devore, is

mattresses and other accessories to get her out of her predicaments.

terization in "Hold Your Breath." Jimmie Harrison and Priscilla Bonner

up the less serious parts of this pro-

Frank Roland Conklin wrote the

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> San Francisco.—Trapped by rising tides, two Oakland youths clung for their lives to a wave-swept rock off Land's End all afternoon and until noon of the next day.

The thrilling tale of their struggle through the night was revealed when Francis Drake, nineteen, and Adreon Ferray returned to their east bay homes while Oakland and San Francisco police were searching for them.

Drenched and exhausted they told their parents of the night-long vigil on the rocks.

The youths, both of whom are employed in an east hay automobile factory, went fishing. It was 3 o'clock when they clambored onto a rock that jutted out from the shore line near Land's End.

Found Themselves Trapped.

Four hours they fished. Then as dusk began falling, they said, they turned to make their way home. But in the meantime the tide had come in and they found themselves trapped on wore who is called upon to display her their percarious foothold and deep



Waves Broke Over Their Foothold.

water all around them. Neither of the Finds Purse; Gets Reward youths is a good swimmer, so after Atlanta, Ga.-Catherine Hogue, aged trying in vain to attract the attention fifteen, has \$250 and Mrs. James Holloof persons ashore they chose clinging man has her purse, containing money to the rock rather than the attempt to and fewelry to the value of \$5,000, again safely in her possession. The swim to land. Throughout the night they struggled valuables were lost and the girl picked them up in the street in front of the

to keep awake, while waves broke over their foothold. They fought fatigue lest they fall asleep and slip into the

Dawn found the tide still too high to attempt making land. It was not until just before noon that the ebb tide had sufficiently lowered the surface to make it possible for them to

wade to safety. In the meantime parents of both youths had telephoned the police. Search was started, which was halted only by the arrival of the youths at their homes shortly after 1 o'clock.

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The picture is in reality a page of true life, dealing as it does with a situation now existing—an asset to be bartered and sold to add Rojas with a still better man. wealth or prestige to her family. husbands are "picked" for them by parents, who see in the marriage a combination of two mighty fortunes or as in the case of "For Sale," the marrying of a daughter by a family which feels that it is falling from social power.

In "For Sale" the principal character, that of Eleanor Bates, a victim of her parents' selfishness, is played by Claire Windsor, one of the screen's most famous famous beauties. Replete with a number of highly dramatic situations the picture play offers to this talented young actress still another big opportunity to prove her versatile talent. The "For Sale" part is considered by Miss Windsor as her greatest emotional characterization.

The cast opposite her—in the role of the young American who loved and almost lost-is Robert Ellis, another screen leader whose recent work for the films has classed him among the few movie topnotchers.

One of the most interesting figures in the play is the character of "Joseph Hudley," a social climber, who endeavors to use his wealth to "buy" the girl. This part is most ably played by Adolphe Menjou, of the Woman of Paris" fame.

The remainder of the imposing cast of "For Sale," includes such film luminaries as Tully Marshall, Mary Carr, Vera Reynolds. John Patrick, Phillips Smalley, Frank Elliott, Jean Vachon, Marga LaRubia and many others.

Arrested on Honeymoon St. Paul, Minn.-Charged with steal-

ing \$200 from his employer to finance his honeymoon, Red Ackerson was arrested. Ackerson had been given the money to deposit in a bank, police say but used it to pay for a honeymoon to Kansas City, Kans.

HERMAN-ROJAS FIGHT THURSDAY

(Continued from page 1)

finish and the ten grand varnish. Such is life in the big show.

But about the coming fight. It will probably be the most interesting of the season. In the first place it is to be the first open air fight of the year which will help a lot or ought to from a gate receipt standpoint. Then again it is to be held Which is the stronger—a girl's under the auspices of the Veterans duty to herself and the man she of Foreign Wars and lastly the proloves—or the duty to her parents? | moter says that he will guarantee There are the questions answered every son-of-a-gun that planks down these here parts.

One thing certain, the fight will ciety girl who is virtually placed on not get busy in which case the bout the auction block by her parents to will be staged at the Auditorium. goin' to be a glass of jelly there or should we say a jam.

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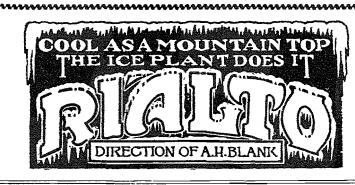
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