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## DEMPSEY WON A DRAMATIC FIGHT

## YACHT EXPLODED AT VANCOUVER OIL DOCK YESTERDAY

### Dempsey Won Big Fight Knocking Out Opponent in the Seventh Round

NEW YORK, July 22.—Dempsey knocked out Sharkey in the seventh round in the big much-advertised contest here last night in which Sharkey was greatly the favorite. The blow that did the business was a crashing left to the jaw following a right to the pit of the stomach. The eighty thousand fans who watched the fight, cheered the ex-champion's comeback by which he earned the right to meet Tunney in a return match.

Sharkey's seconds claimed that a blow in mid-section just before the end was a foul but Jack O'Sullivan, the referee, refused to allow it.

The knockout of the championship aspirant was the most dramatic heavy-weight bout ever staged—a slashing mauling struggle in which Dempsey demonstrated that he had come a long way from the floundering form that cost him his title last fall.

Staggered by vicious left hooks to the jaw toward the close of the first round and jabbed frequently by Sharkey's stiff counter-wallops, Dempsey fought on and won because he refused to be beaten back or balked. He kept plunging in and breaking his opponents' guard with short right hooks. His right eye was cut and streaming blood, his lips were split but with dogged persistence which thrilled the huge throng that watched, he kept going until his great opportunity arrived and then he landed on his opponent and won the fight.

**WAS FAIR BLOW**  
NEW YORK, July 22 (later)—Official slow motion pictures, taken during the fight, show that Dempsey's disputed blow, which contributed to the victory was apparently fair. The majority of sport writers for the morning papers apparently thought it low. Charles Mathison, one of the judges, said he would report to the commission that Dempsey should be disqualified.

The eighty thousand spectators paid in something like \$1,200,000 in cash. The pictures show three blows struck to the stomach instead of one.

**OLD SPEED LACKING**  
Dempsey's old speed lacking as the fight began. Younger, speedier and more clever, Sharkey outstepped and outboxed Dempsey and when he clubbed the ex-champion with a series of terrific blows at the close of the first round, the end seemed near with Sharkey as winner. It was such a first round as that against Tunney but last night he had the gameness to fight back to victory.

Dempsey kept battering and flailing at his rival, growing stronger instead of weaker as Sharkey tried hooks and uppercuts which were beaten off from the second to the sixth rounds. Slashing to the best of the conflict, Dempsey directed a body attack while the other tried to fight his way clear, ripping in left and right hooks which sometimes slowed and cut Dempsey but never stepped the attack.

**BULLDOG GRIT**  
Blood spattered from Dempsey's eye and he spat blood. Only the furious bulldog grit enabled him to hold Sharkey during the third and fourth and fifth rounds. Sharkey carried the sixth, spearing rights and lefts, but the ex-champion made a stashing finish that had Sharkey on the run at the sound of the gong, paving the way for the three short rights to the stomach and the left to the jaw which ended the bout.

**WINNER PLEASED**  
"I'm so tickled and pleased, I'm all up in a heap and don't know what to do," Dempsey said, after the fight.

Sharkey said: "I'll be fighting yet when Dempsey's got grey hairs. It is all in the game. It was just a misfortune."

Tunney said if Dempsey had been away, he has come back. "I never saw him fight better."

**WEATHER REPORT.**  
Terrace.—Clear, calm, temp. 63.  
Rosswood.—Clear, calm, temp. 64.  
Aiyansh.—Clear, calm, temp. 64.  
Alice Arm.—Clear, calm, temp. 63.  
Anyox.—Clear, calm, temp. 64.  
Stewart.—Clear, calm, temp. 66.  
Hazelton.—Clear, calm, temp. 70.  
Telegraph Creek.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 58.

Smithers.—Clear, calm, temp. 82.  
Burns Lake.—Clear, calm, temp. 59.  
Whitehorse.—Cloudy, south wind, temp. 60.  
Dawson.—Clear, calm, temp. 68.

**WAS KILLED BY TRUCK**  
VANCOUVER, July 22.—Andrew William Douglas, 20 years of age, was killed at Bute Inlet by a truck Tuesday.

**KILLED BY FREIGHT.**  
VANCOUVER, July 22.—Sam Smith, 32 years of age, a linesman, was killed near Lytton by a freight train.

**CRANBROOK, July 22.**—Horace Munroe, 38 years of age, was drowned in Premier Lake near here when the canoe in which he was paddling upset.

In 1925 the hydro-electric power stations produced an equivalent of 20 million tons of coal.

**ST. JOHNS, Nfld., July 22.**—The new British steamer Bayrumpet, outbound from Montreal is ashore on the coast of Labrador. She is owned by the Hudson's Bay Co. and was en route with supplies to the company's posts.

**NO GRAIN SHIPPED VANCOUVER THIS WEEK**  
VANCOUVER, July 22.—This is the first week in a great many months when there have been no wheat shipments to report. It is between the seasons and everything now waits the new crop which will begin to move west in September.



AT OTTAWA'S CELEBRATION: Interested spectators and participants in the Confederation Jubilee ceremonies at Ottawa were Sir Henry Thornton, K.B.E., and Lady Thornton. They were present to greet Colonel Lindbergh at the Hunt Club Landing Field.

### Yacht Privateer Exploded at Oil Dock in Vancouver Last Night and Four Were Injured

VANCOUVER, July 22.—Four men were injured when an explosion wrecked the engine room and fore deck of the palatial yacht Privateer refuelling at the Union Oil dock here last night. The most seriously injured was Bain Grant, nephew of W. D. Grant, owner of the vessel, who was attending the engines at the time of the blast and was blown overboard. Unable to swim he was rescued by the heroic action of Eric Suffield, chief officer of the coastwise steamer Lady Evelyn, which also was at the dock at the time. He dived 25 feet into the harbor and managed to sustain Grant until picked up.

Others who were taken to the hospital although less seriously hurt, were Archie Black the famous oarsman; Charles Cummings, vice-president of the Northern Construction Company; and Andrew Kobyn, ship's cook.

Remaining members of the party who intended sailing for Harrison Lake to attend the rowing regatta commencing today were unhurt. Several dock employees were injured. The paint was burned off the entire hull of the Privateer which was apparently undamaged below the water line.

### EARL GORDON BROKE HIS ARM YESTERDAY

An unfortunate accident happened at the Baptist picnic yesterday afternoon when Earl Gordon, son of R. Gordon of Seventh Avenue, broke his arm. During the supper Earl got up and, when running, tripped over a twig. In falling he broke two small bones in his arm. He was brought over to the Prince Rupert Bathhouse at once where Dr. W. T. Kergin met him and set the arm.

### BRIDE AND GROOM HERE TO MAKE HOME: WEDDING AT KAMLOOPS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bartlett Were Married by Groom's Father

Among the arrivals on the Prince Rupert this morning were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bartlett, who were married at Kamloops on July 8 in the Anglican Church. Rev. E. R. Bartlett, father of the groom officiating.

The marriage took place from the home of the bride's brother, Fred Irwin. Following the wedding, there was a reception and the same evening the young couple left for Vancouver, where they spent their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett will live in a cottage on Cotton Street, close to Fifth Avenue.

### Skeena River Sockeye Fishing Only Bright Spot in Season's Drab Outlook Netting Salmon

Salmon fishing on the Skeena River is the one redeeming feature in a very poor season so far this year. On that river the sockeye catch this year so far has been twenty thousand cases as compared with 29,099 at the same time last year. At the Naas River the sockeye catch this year is 3,800 cases as against 6,003 at the same date last year.

Rivers Inlet and other gill netting areas have done no better, about fifty per cent of last year being the rule.

While the gill-netting has been poor, the seining has been disastrous. Practically no fish have been taken so far by the seiners. Throughout the district fishing near the mouths of small streams has been abortive. While it is possible that the lateness of the season may have been partly the cause of the small run so far, it is not expected that the pack will be anything like up to the average.

### EFFORT TO TAX INCOMES ON BOOZE

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 22.—A renewed effort on the part of internal revenue collectors to ferret out bootleggers to impose taxes on their income is expected by the Bureau of Internal Revenue as the result of a Treasury announcement calling attention to a recent ruling of the United States Supreme Court on the right to tax such persons.

### LAURA F. ASHORE MOUTH OF SKEENA

The Laura F. left for the Skeena at a very early hour this morning and on the return journey verified the existence of Kalen Island. Douglas Frizzell who was at the wheel decided that the boat could navigate by itself and was awakened from his sleep when the Laura F. hit the land at the mouth of the Skeena. It was high tide and she "climbed several feet up the bank before stopping. It is hoped to get her off tonight on the high tide.

### NAMING STREETS AFTER LINDBERG

PARIS, July 22.—All the important towns and cities are taking steps to honor Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, New York-Paris flyer, by naming streets after him.

### SILVER LARK WINNER LIVERPOOL CUP TODAY

LIVERPOOL, July 22.—Silver Lark, owned by Mrs. A. Bendir, won the Liverpool Cup today.

### TWO KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Wheel Broke When Rounding Curve at High Speed Near Victoria

VICTORIA, July 22.—Mrs. Edith Barnes, 40 years of age, was instantly killed when an auto driven by her son Lawrence overturned on the West Saenich road near here last night. Barnes sustained injuries which resulted in his death at the hospital three hours later.

Barnes stated before he died that the car capsized when the rear wheel broke as he was rounding a curve at high speed throwing his mother to the side of the road. The third passenger, Miss Goodwin escaped with minor injuries.

### CHICAGO AGAIN HEADS LEAGUE

NEW YORK, July 22.—Through Pittsburgh's loss of a double header, the Braves of Chicago were again leading the National League though they themselves lost to St. Louis.

Cincinnati took thirteen innings in defeating Brooklyn. Bucky Harris of Washington was banished for having an argument with the umpire against St. Louis.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

Pittsburg	1-2	Boston	2-5
Chicago	3	Philadelphia	7
St. Louis	7	New York	6
Cincinnati	2	Brooklyn	1

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

New York	4	Chicago	1
Washington	4	St. Louis	5
Philadelphia	9	Cleveland	8
Boston	3	Detroit	7

### STORMS AFFECT WIRE SERVICES

TORONTO, July 22.—Telegraphic, telephonic and radio communications throughout most of Canada are still suffering from the effects of electrical storms and aurora which disrupted the services last night. The delay last night was one of the most serious in years, holding up the fight services.

### ONLY THREE BOATS BROUGHT CATCHES

A total of 50,500 pounds was sold at the Exchange this morning, the American boat Neptune selling 30,000 at 12c and 6c, and the three Canadian selling 20,500 at 10.50c and 6c. The American boat Visitor is holding over for tomorrow's market while the Franklin took her 39,000 to Seattle, not satisfied with the offer of 10.80c and 6c.

**Fish arrivals:**  
American Neptune, 30,000 pounds, to Booth Fisheries, at 10.50c and 6c.  
Canadian Caygeon, 10,500 pounds to Atlin Fisheries, at 10.50c and 6c.  
Toodie, 5,000 pounds, to Royal Fish Co. at 10.50c and 6c.  
Nuba, 5,000 pounds, to Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Co., at 10.50c and 6c.

### BAD ACCIDENT

Pete Meuse Gashed Himself When Knife Slipped; Doctor Was Summoned

Pete Meuse, skipper of the halibut boat Mulrueg, had a bad accident when unloading at the wharf yesterday. The knife slipped and he gashed his arm at the wrist. Dr. Kergin attended to the injury and tied up the severed artery.

### MOTORS REPLACE CAMELS

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 22.—Motor trucks are to replace camels, donkeys, and their Kurdish drivers on the chief caravan routes of Persia.

### WIRELESS REPORT.

8 a.m.  
DIGBY ISLAND.—Clear, calm; barometer, 30.45; temperature 60; sea smooth.

BULL HARBOR.—Overcast, light northwest wind; barometer, 30.20; temperature 55; sea smooth; 8 p.m. motor-ship Apex, Anacortes to Ketchikan, 264 miles from Anacortes; 8 p.m. Anyox, Ocean Falls to Tacoma via James Island, 336 miles from Tacoma; 8 p.m. Prince John, Rose Harbor for Allison Harbor, 20 miles from Cape St. James; 8 p.m. Admiral Faragut, Seattle for Ketchikan, 255 miles from Ketchikan.

DEAD TREE POINT.—Clear, calm; barometer, 29.96; temperature 59; sea smooth.

NOON  
DIGBY ISLAND.—Clear, calm; barometer, 30.43; temperature 71; sea smooth; 10 a.m. Princess Alice northbound; 12:30 p.m. Cardena in northbound.

BULL HARBOR.—Quite cloudy; light northwest wind; barometer, 30.22; temperature 60; sea smooth.

DEAD TREE POINT.—Clear, calm; barometer, 29.96; temperature 64; sea smooth.

### VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.80	1.84
Coast Copper	12.75	13.25
Dunwell	1.32	1.35
Glacier		.09
Independence		.06
Indian		.09 1/2
L. and L.		.10
Lucky Jim	.18	.18 1/2
Premier	2.09	2.11