

BRITAIN CONSIDERS SENDING WARSHIPS TO MEXICO

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION IN NITRO-GLYCERINE WORKS - TURKS ARE NOT YET IN ADRIANOPLE

THE LOCAL BOXER LEM KEGG TRIUMPHS OVER ED. SHANNON

SPIRITED FIGHT OF FIFTEEN ROUNDS RESULTED IN THE DECISION BEING AWARDED TO LEM KEGG—CYC-LONE WON FROM CAMPBELL

The McIntyre Hall was well filled last night by a crowd of keen patrons of sport who had the satisfaction of watching a really good pugilistic contest. Lem Kegg of this city and Ed. Shannon, of Seattle, a pair of well matched lightweights, furnished the sport, fighting out the full fifteen rounds. It was clear from the beginning that there was nothing faked about the fight. The boxers went at it hard from the opening of the first round and if there was no knock out it was not for the lack of trying for one.

for some reason unable to act and another man had to be called on. Eventually a first rate referee was obtained by good luck, from amongst the audience. Mr. Jones, of New York, a stranger to Prince Rupert, but no stranger to the ring, did the work to perfection.

TURKS NOT YET IN ADRIANOPLE BUT THEY ARE GETTING THERE

WE HAVE PASSED THE BULGARIAN FRONTIER AND ARE BURNING VILLAGES AND SACKING TOWNS IN THEIR USUAL MANNER OF WARFARE.

(Special to The Daily News.) Sofia, July 25.—The report of the reoccupation of Adrianople by Turkish troops was shown to be false. It was spread by Bulgarian officials from a city who heard that a reconquering force of Turkish cavalry, commanded by Enver Bey, had been seen in the vicinity. At the news the officials fled, believing that the entire Ottoman army was about to descend on the city.

received from the Bulgarian minister to Paris reports that the Turkish troops have entered the Bulgarian town of Philippopolis on the Maritza River. At the approach of the troops the populace fled and the situation there is reported as being desperate.

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WAS A SALT LAKE IN PREHISTORIC TIMES

Is Opinion of Mineral Expert Concerning Salt Bed Up the Skeena.

A. Forbes, mineral expert for the provincial government, who has been making a report on various mining properties in the north, returned yesterday from a visit to the salt beds at Mile 45, in which F. H. Mobley and others of this city are interested. Mr. Forbes last evening said there was no doubt as to the presence of immense salt beds there and was confident that if the salt has sufficient purity the property is a most valuable one. Two natural seepages at least two miles apart show conclusively that there is a large bed. Mr. Forbes remarked that it would be hard to convince the average geologist that such a salt bed existed in the heart of a range of granite mountains. As a possible explanation of its existence he thought that it had been a salt lake in prehistoric times before the Skeena had made its present course.

AHEAD OF RUPERT

Edmonton's Fine Record for Angel Making.

(Special to The Daily News.) Edmonton, July 25.—In less than three weeks all the available space in the Edmonton cemetery will be taken up if the present rate of mortality keeps up. There are about twenty funerals per week, and space for only sixty graves is left in the burial ground.

TINKERING THE TARIFF

Republican Senators Objecting to Every Clause.

(Special to The Daily News.) Washington, July 25.—Republican senators continued to offer amendments to every paragraph of the Underwood-Simons tariff bill, the Democrats, as a solid phalanx, voting them down. As a result little progress was made in the two hours' discussion.

CANADIAN GARDEN PARTY

Sergeant Thomas Won Queen Mary Prize at Bisley.

(Special to The Daily News.) Bisley, July 25.—The garden party of the Canadian Bisley team was largely attended. The second stage of the shooting for the Queen Mary prize took place yesterday and Sergeant Thomas won Her Majesty's prize and \$50.

ANOTHER REJECTION

House of Lords Gets in Its Fine Work.

(Special to The Daily News.) London, July 25.—The house of lords last night rejected the bill to abolish plural voting by a vote of 166 against to 42 for.

USERS OF TELEPHONES

Last Year Shows Great Increase in Canada.

(Special to The Daily News.) Ottawa, July 25.—The Dominion of Canada is becoming an inveterate user of the telephone. There are 400,000 now in use, an increase during the twelve months of 200,000. The number of companies making statistical returns are 683, an increase in the year of 146.

MILITANTS ARRESTED

One is the daughter of the Earl of Antrim.

(Special to The Daily News.) London, July 25.—Mrs. Pethwick Lawrence and Lady Sybil Smith, daughter of the Duke of Antrim, were arrested yesterday for attempting to hold a suffragette meeting in the central lobby of the house of commons.

BASEBALL

National League. All games postponed on account of rain.

American League. No games scheduled yesterday. Northwestern League. Seattle 11, Spokane 5. Portland 4, Victoria 1. Vancouver 7, Tacoma 4.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall were given a box party at the Westholme Opera House last night. The party comprised Mr. and Mrs. Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Procter and Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman, Mr. William and Mr. Van. Mr. Randall is the architect of the new Premier Hotel.

H. L. Bodwell, of the G. T. P. left here this morning for Vancouver. He will be married there next Wednesday to Miss Hornby of Vancouver, and will afterwards proceed to Fort George, to take charge of the bridge construction there.

F. T. Lucas, of Vancouver, who has been paying a short visit to his brother, Mr. Stanley Lucas, returned south this morning on the Prince George.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gillette and two little daughters returned to Vancouver this morning on the ss. Prince George after spending several weeks in Prince Rupert.

Wilfrid Doughty, of the B. C. Fisheries, Ltd., went south this morning on the Prince George.

Mrs. G. L. Clayton and Miss G. Clayton went south this morning on the Prince George.

C. P. Hickman, provincial inspector of fisheries, went south this morning on the Prince George.

Archie McDougall left for Vancouver this morning.

Assessment Case.

The case of H. O. Richer against the city for over-assessment of the value of property was heard in appeal this morning at the session of the county court. The appeal was made by Mr. Richer against the judgment of the court of revision. The property concerned was blocks 15 and 16 lots 24, section one. The evidence given this morning tended to show that the assessment was considerably too high. The case was adjourned till Monday at 11 a. m., when more evidence will be heard. The assessment had been lowered by the court of revision, but not as much as Mr. Richer deems just.

A simple and excellent way to remove dirty marks from a mackintosh is to cut a raw potato in slices and rub it well on the marks. It will also remove mud stains from dress skirts, children's coats and gentlemen's trousers.

The Daily News has the largest circulation in Northern B.C.

NOTICE.

A general meeting of the Prince Rupert Liberal Association will be held Friday evening, July 25th, at 8:30 o'clock in the K. of P. Hall, Helgerson Block. Good speakers will be present and all who wish to hear the political issues of the day discussed are invited to attend.

P. W. ANDERSON, Sec.-Treas.

FOUR MEN KILLED IN LANSING STRIKE RIOT

Governor of Michigan Sends Two Companies of Cavalry and Two of Artillery.

(Special to The Daily News.) Lansing, Mich., July 25.—Yesterday the governor's office received a telegram from the sheriff of Calumet stating that the place was in the hands of a violent mob of five hundred men and that there was another mob of five hundred on its way to Calumet. Acting upon this information, the governor this morning dispatched two troops of cavalry and two companies of artillery from here to the scene of the disturbance. He has also ordered all the infantry companies of the Michigan National Guard to proceed north to aid in putting down the riots in the copper country, where the striking miners now number ten thousand. It is planned to keep all the men in camp until the whole trouble is over.

Lansing, Mich., July 25.—Four men were killed last night in a battle between the striking miners and the watchmen employed by the Lake Forest Company at Lake Forest. Cabin Creek has been the scene of much fighting and blood spilling since the strike started. Last night the watchmen were making their rounds when they were attacked by a band of men who opened fire on them. Two dead on each side was the result.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT

Militants About to Set Fire to Large Mansion.

(Special to The Daily News.) Glasgow, July 25.—Two suffragettes, Miss Margaret Morrison and a young woman who refused to give her name, were arrested here today. They were about to set fire to a large mansion, the former residence of the late Sir John Muir.

OUTBREAK OF SMALLPOX

Forty-nine Cases in the Auckland Hospital.

(Special to The Daily News.) London, July 25.—The Wellington correspondent of the Times reports a serious outbreak of smallpox there. He says there are forty-nine cases in the Auckland Maoris. There have been ten deaths of Maoris. No fewer than fifty-seven cases are reported in one Maori village. Vaccination is proceeding for both races and in force for all southbound passengers.

AUSTRALIA BUILDING

King George Lays the Foundation Stone at Aldwych.

(Special to The Daily News.) London, July 25.—Amid the greatest of pomp King George, dressed in admiral's uniform, laid the foundation stone of the Australian government building at Aldwych yesterday. George Reid, representing the Australian government, received the King. The King congratulated the Australian government upon the acquisition of such a fine site for the noble structure it is proposed to erect there.

Kitsumkalum Berries.

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Walter W. Baer of Victoria, the Liberal organizer, is in town and will address the meeting of the Prince Rupert Liberal Association this evening in the K. of P. Hall, Helgerson Block.

MEXICAN SQUABBLES ATTRACT ATTENTION OF GREAT BRITAIN

QUESTION OF SENDING WARSHIPS TO MEXICAN WATERS AS BRITISHERS IN REPUBLIC ARE ENDANGERED—U.S. CONSIDERING SUGGESTIONS

(Special to The Daily News.) London, July 25.—Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs, is keeping in close communication with the Admiralty in case British warships in Mexican waters should be considered necessary. The British Minister to Mexico has reported that His Majesty's subjects there are in great danger.

SMITHERS MADE HOLIDAY WHEN REACHED BY RAILS OF G. T. P.

UNBOUNDED ENTHUSIASM WAS DISPLAYED BY RESIDENTS OF BULKLEY VALLEY WHEN TRACK LAYING MACHINE CAME IN SIGHT.

Smithers, B. C., July 24.—Probably the most remarkably welcome ever given to a new railroad in British Columbia was that extended by this town to contractors and workmen when steel of the Grand Trunk Pacific reached here last week. Unbounded enthusiasm was shown by Bulkley Valley residents who have waited for years for the sight of a railway locomotive. When the track laying machine rounded the curve east of Smithers and poked its nose out on the long tangent that passes through the town it was the signal for a big demonstration. Signs of welcome were displayed and people of Smithers and the surrounding country made holiday. They were not slow in displaying their enthusiasm and as the men actually laying the rails and spiking them to the ties were the nearest representatives of the railway available they showered their attentions upon them.

FISHERMAN WAS DROWNED OFF LAUNCH IN HARBOR YESTERDAY

MAN KNOWN AS LAWRENCE BURNS FELL OFF LAUNCH VERA NEAR DAVIS' FLOAT AND WAS DROWNED BEFORE HELP COULD REACH HIM.

A fisherman known here as Lawrence Burns, working for Captain Vincent of the launch Vera, was drowned at 2:45 yesterday afternoon near the Davis float. His real name was discovered from letter and papers in his coat to be Rowland Balsover. Balsover was born in Longsight, Manchester, England, in 1887. He was an able bodied seaman who was paid off the British ship Talthybius at Vancouver in December, 1912, and came here recently. Captain Vincent said that he had known Burns, as the man was called, for fourteen days and had made two trips with him. On the last trip they had had a good catch and having divided the money went up town to make some purchases. They then returned to the launch and put out from shore. When they had left the boat house a couple of hundred feet behind, Vincent asked Balsover to move a case of gasoline from forward to amidships. Just as he was placing the case amidships on a seat the vessel gave a roll and Balsover dropped the case and rolled over the side of the boat, which was under way.

Birth.

Scholey—At Prince Rupert, on July 24th, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Scholey, a son.

toward the neighboring republic. Every kind of plan has been suggested, from a mediation board of Americans to adjust the disputes between the warring Mexican factions to a tripartite commission the latter to be composed of representatives of the United States and of two South American republics. This latter suggestion is finding some favor.

But there will be no definite expression of policy on the part of the government until the conference between President Wilson and Mexican Ambassador Lane Wilson, who is now here. Probably this conference will take place on Monday.

William Dempsey, in charge of the track laying machine, was given an ovation. He said that although he had been engaged in work of this kind for twenty years, he had never been given such a welcome as he had received from the Smithers people.

Meanwhile Vincent was trying to get to Balsover with his launch, but as the boat has a long stern it took some time to turn her. When brought around her faulty keel caused her to go nearly on the rocks. But by this time poor Balsover had sunk for the last time, with the nearest boat only ten feet away. The body has not been recovered.

Read Jabour Bros.' advertisement, page 2.

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**THE GIFT BATTLESHIP
 NEW ZEALAND.**

Much ado is being made by the Conservatives on the occasion of the arrival at this coast of the battleship given by New Zealand to the Imperial navy. In not a few journals this gift has been held up as an example to the people of Canada, who are exhorted to go and do likewise.

Now it is all very well to congratulate New Zealand on what she has done. Her loyalty to the Empire is certainly commendable. She may have taken what was, in face of the existing circumstances, the wisest course. But that does not say that what may be the best course at present for New Zealand is the best course for Canada. It does not even say that it would be under better circumstances the best course for New Zealand. Because New Zealand now contributes to the Imperial navy does not say that she would not employ her money more wisely in assisting Canada and Australia to maintain a fleet on the Pacific if this country would only join in. At present, however, thanks largely to the action of the present government of this country, no such Pacific fleet, supported by the colonies, exists. So our sister dominion pursues what is perhaps the wisest policy for a very small country to pursue.

There are to be considered, too, other things than external efficiency or convenience. New Zealand is peopled mainly by people of British descent and of strong imperialistic tendencies. She has not to face, as Canada has, the great problem of fusing the peoples of diverse races into one nation. Her people being chiefly of one mould the action of the majority in a matter of this sort is not likely to accentuate race division as in Canada.

In this country, on the other hand, the action of the majority should always be tempered by a consideration for the wishes of the minority. If Canada is to be of any use to the Empire it must be a united Canada, and the problem of consolidation is harder of solution even than the task of confederation. The true Canadian statesman therefore must steer a middle course. He must not take measures which are in such direct opposition to the wishes of a large section of the people as to make more acute the division between these and their fellow citizens. He must indeed be imperialistic, but he must, above all things, be national, for the sentiment of all Canada is that of a people realizing that it is approaching its maturity. And the more that feeling is allowed to develop the more united Canada will become, and, therefore, the more efficient a unit of the Empire.

Mr. Borden's apparent policy of contribution to the British navy may have a greater superficial appearance of being imperialistic. It makes a cheaper and more sensational appeal to what is in itself a very creditable sentiment, the sentiment of devotion to the Mother Country. But however flashy and catchy it may be it has not the soundness of imperialism because it lacks the true nationalism of Sir Wilfrid's policy. Give Jack Canuck the gloves and let him prepare to fight his own fight, and he will be ready if Mother England calls him to defend the Empire. But if he pays his cousin John Bull to do the bruising Jack Canuck will find himself doing nothing but trying to settle the quarrels between Jean Baptiste and John Bull's younger brother, who came out here to help build up a greater Britain. And in that case Jack Canuck would be very little good to anybody.



(Courtesy Portland Canal Miner)

**IN THE DAYS WHEN LOCOMOTIVES
 USED TO RUN ON WOODEN RAILS**

RECOLLECTIONS OF AN EARLY ERA IN HISTORY OF RAIL-ROADING GIVEN BY C. P. R. EMPLOYEE — RAIN WOULD STOP TRAFFIC

Few railway-men still in active service have a record extending back to the days when wooden rails were used in place of steel, and trains could not run when it was raining. Of that small bright band one at least is as bright and full of vigor as he ever was. That is Mr. Robert Miller, who occupies an important position in the operating department of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Windsor street station, Montreal. Mr. Miller, who recently celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his entry into railway work, began railroading on July 6th, 1873, on the old Richlieu, Drummond and Arthabasca Railway, one of the wooden railways that had been built through the aid of the province of Quebec a couple of years previously, and taken over by the South Eastern Railway.

"These wooden railways," Mr. Miller told a Montreal Witness reporter, "including the Gouford Railway, now part of the C.N.R. from Quebec to Lake St. John, were heavily subsidized by the Provincial Legislature of Quebec, and were built for \$5,000 per mile, including grading, bridges (excepting the bridge over the Yamaska River), stations, and sidings. The rails were of maple four inches by seven, and were secured to the ties by a notch cut into it four inches deep and five inches wide into which the rail was laid and two wedges tightly driven between the rail and the cut in the tie, so that no iron whatever was used in construction.

"When a rail was worn by the flange of the wheels, it was tak-

en out, turned and replaced, so that a new edge was next to the wheel. A tie clear of knots lasted the railway as a wooden one—about four years—but the knot itself only lasted a few months. "The wooden road could not be operated in the winter, the snow clogging on the rail and the wheels of the locomotive would revolve rapidly without moving forward an inch. It could not be operated during a heavy rain—that is during a two or three days' rain. "The road was eventually put in iron in the fall of 1876, by the Smith Eastern, and run through to Sutton Junction, where it connected with the main line of that road."

BIG LOAN NECESSARY

Three Hundred Million Dollars Needed for Ireland.

London, July 24.—Three hundred million dollars, in addition to the \$625,000,000 already expended, was the estimate given today by Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, for the sum necessary to complete the operation of land purchase in Ireland in accordance with the provisions of the land purchase acts of 1903 and 1909, these acts making it compulsory for a landlord to permit his tenants to purchase the land he cultivates.

Of the \$300,000,000, Mr. Birrell said it would be necessary to borrow only \$120,000,000 through the public issue of land stock.

Few men reach sixty without wishing they had been more economical.



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Wilfrid was sitting on his father's knee, watching his mother arrange her hair. "Papa hasn't waves like that," said the father, laughing. Wilfrid, looking up at his father's bald pate, replied: "No; no waves; it's all beach."

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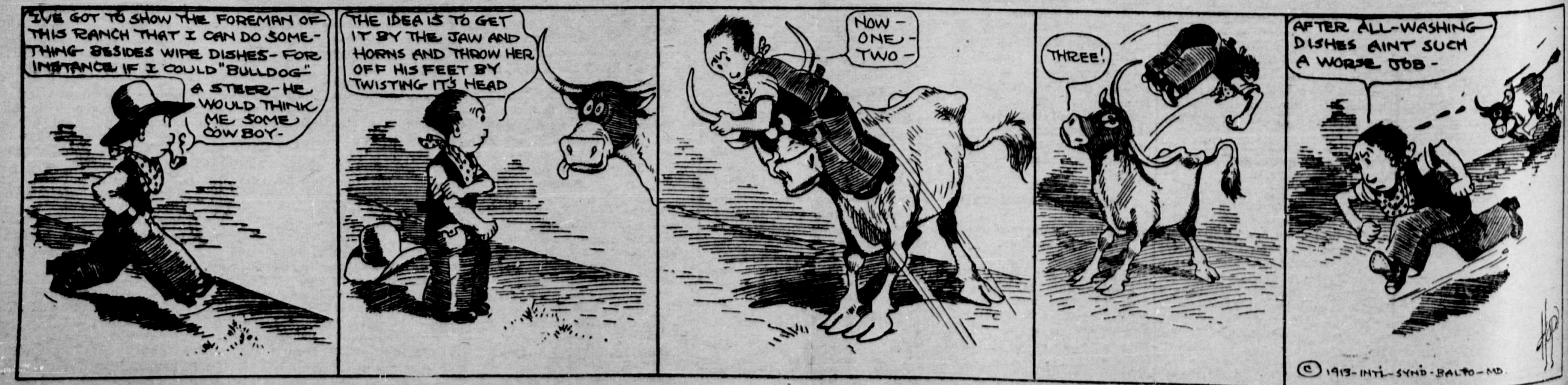
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Miss Clifton went south this morning on the Prince George.

Rev. W. H. Vance, the principal of Latimer Hall, Vancouver, returned to the south this morning.

Mr. Doig, who is in the employ of the Port Edward Townsite Company, went south this morning on the Prince George.

Miss Gamble, who has been visiting here as the guest of Mrs. Ward, left for the south this morning on the Prince George. Miss Gamble is going to London, England, for a couple of months.

J. H. Randall, of Randall & Baker, Vancouver, the firm of architects employed in designing the construction of the new Premier Hotel building, went south this morning after a short visit here. He expressed himself as well satisfied with the progress being made on the hotel.

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THE WEATHER.

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Daily News "ads." get results.

THE LOCAL BOXER, KEGG, TRIUMPHS OVER SHANNON

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of the round and did some effective work with his right.

In the second round the honors were more evenly divided. Shannon started to assume the aggressive, while Kegg maintained a good defence.

The third round opened well for Shannon, who sent good punches to Kegg's head and body. Toward the end of the round Kegg was landing them on his opponent's face without, however, visibly affecting him.

When the fourth round commenced they started to mix it up fast and furious. Kegg maintained his excellent defence, blocking and throwing off his opponent's savage body blows, while he for his part landed Shannon a good one on the face, uncocking his claret.

In the fifth round Shannon for a while pressed Kegg hard, driving him against the ropes while he sent home heavy body blows. Later, however, Kegg reached Shannon's head. Shannon by now was bleeding profusely from the nose.

Shannon went for Kegg's jaw in the sixth round, while Kegg later in the round landed a stinger in his opponent's face.

There were signs of unpleasantness in the seventh round. Shannon claimed that he had been fouled, but the referee would not allow it. With a left for the jaw and a right for the body Kegg forced his opponent against the ropes and played a tattoo on his kidneys. Shannon appeared to be feeling the effects of the fight and claimed that he had been fouled, but his claim was not allowed.

In the eighth round Kegg, who was now easily the winner again started in on the aggressive. Once more he drove Shannon to the ropes, administering stern punishment on the jaw.

Some more fast ones to Shannon's jaw were put in by Kegg at the beginning of the ninth round. This was a series of rushes and clinches, Kegg stopping Shannon's body blows well, while he continued his own effective work on the jaw. Toward the end Shannon came back with a hard punch on Lem's jaw.

Things now slowed down a little. In the tenth round Kegg cuffed the Seattle man's jaw fast and vigorously with left and right, while Shannon seemed somewhat dazed.

Shannon recovered in the eleventh, however, and the fight livened up again, Eddie finding Lem's head with left and right. After that honors were even, each putting in some solid body blows to his opponent.

Kegg claimed that he had been fouled in a mixup in the twelfth round, but his claim was, like Eddie Shannon's earlier claim, not allowed by the referee.

Kegg continued to give some more of his left for the jaw in the thirteenth round. He was noticeably much more able with his left than was Shannon throughout the fight. Shannon's left eye appeared to be closing from the effect of one of Lem's punches.

The fourteenth round was comparatively tame. The end of the fight was felt to be approaching and both men looked to be feeling its effects.

Shannon put in a good one to Kegg's jaw and landed some on his kidneys during the last round, which was fought much more vigorously. Kegg for his part tried to land a blow that would certainly settle the fight and Shannon, too, but did not find his opportunity.

When the decision was given to Kegg both he and Mr. Jones, the referee, were heartily cheered. Kegg certainly deserved the decision by the hard work he had done both during the fight and during the preparation for it.

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