JACK JOHNSON ANXIOUS TO BE GOOD U.S. CITIZEN

JACK JOHNSON, NO LONGER WANDERLUST VICTIM, WANTS TO RETURN TO UNITED STATES

Negro Now Residing Evening Ledger Decisions "Somewhere" in Spain-Will Go Next to Buenos Aires

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL

TOHN ARTHUR JOHNSON, pre-Havana heavyweight champion of the world is tired of being a "man without a country" and is planning to return to these United States in the near future and spend his



her colontes, John-son now is sojourning "somewhere" in Spain, taking life easy and preparing for a trip to Buenes Aires. From there,

If his nerve holds, Jack will plunge into the United States to occupy space in the hooch-gow operated by Uncle Sam. A year's layoff will put Johnson in good condition, and he believes he then will be able to whip all of the heavyweights now fooling the public.

Trained Smoke

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This information was handed out by Barney Malone, Johnson's former trainer and sparring partner, who has just returned from England. Malone was with the Smoke for six months and appeared with him in England. Scotland and Ireland. Barney also trained Jack for his battle with Tommy Burns in Sydney, Australia, when the championship changed hands.

According to Malone, Johnson lost at Bloated Bondholder least \$1,000,000 when the British authorities requested him to seek a healthier elimate. Jack was coining money with his theatrical troupe, and in addition to that he made quite a little money sell-ing automobiles, tires and headlights. His ing automobiles, tires and headlights. His constant clashes with the police, however, made him quite unpopular. Once he was fined \$500 for using foul language in the streets and another time he paid the court \$100 for slugging his stage manager. These, with his daily fines for speeding in his auto, made him a familiar figure in all of the police courts in the large cities.

Johnson's show made quite a hit and played to capacity houses. It was called the "Broadway Revue," and presented a galaxy of stars, the most luminous being Mr. Johnson. Jack. in addition to putting on his sparring act, sang a sentimental song entitled "Chicken," His stuff went big, probably because he was the ex-heavyweight champion and thunderous ex-heavyweight champion, and thunderous applause always greeted his efforts. The only thing that interfered with his success as a singer was his voice, but a little

thing like that was overlooked.

Jack also was master of ceremonies.

He did all of the announcing, ran the how and collected the money at the box office. Profiting by his experience with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, when Jawn bought out the house at the National when they boxed and cleared many thousands,

THE WEATHER

Official Forecast

WASHINGTON, April 5.
For eastern Pennsylvania and New brsey: Fair tonight; Thursday partly Jersey: Fair tonight: Thursday partly cloudy; not much change in temperature; light west winds.

The disturbance that was central near Smiley at the Olympia Monday night, also

ward with diminishing energy, causing light rains from New Jersey and eastern Pennsylvania northward. The disturbance in the far southwest has continued the showers in Oklahoma and portions of the borderic Stories. bordering States. An area of high baro-metric pressure, attended by moderately low temperatures, is central north of the Dakotas and overspreads the Missouri and upper Mississippi basins. It has caused a sharp drop in temperature in Minnesota during the last 24 hours.

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of Ring Bouts Last Night

SPRING GARDEN—Voune Jack O'Brien stopped Joe Buller in the fifth, Leo Uncent knocked out Joe Brock in the second, Al Thum defeated Walter Brown, Indian Russell stopped Willie Lang in the first, Eddie Larkin beat dinny Dunn in two rounds.

NORRISTOWN—Eddie Resulter wan from dark Mctarem, Joe Hunting defeated Sol O'Donnell, Willie Mossman knocked out Young Latza in the second.

NEW YORK — Charley Weinert heat Parks Fism, Young Pink; Burns outstudent Frankle Bell, Johnny Herman defeated Soldier, Epstein, Joe Brudles.

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Wille Beecher. COLUMBUS - Frankle Callahan wan from Johnny Harrey.

foliason did the same thing at the music halls. He gave the management 35 per cent, of the receipts for the use of the building for a week and took his profits out of the remainder. In Liverpool, he cleared \$26,000 in one week,

But it is an an auto salesman Johnson shines. He drives a big 80-horsepower car and attracts no more at-tention than a circus parade. Orders come in to him from all parts of England and Scotland and his commissions are said to be enormous. In one night, ac-cording to Malone, he sold to high priced cars. Jack does more work than any other 10 enlesses in the country.

other 10 salesmen in the country.

"Johnson is in great shape now," said alalone. "He weights 250 pounds, but is not very fat. He is living well, drinks the best of wines and takes life easy. The only thing that seems to worry him is his home in Chicago and his anxiety to see his mother again. He is the same happy-go-lucky fellow we must to see here in Philadelphia and were it not for his constant clashes with the law, he would be the most popular man in England to day.

"I have seen several stories that Johnson was broke and down and out. Don't you believe it. Jack has more than \$100,000 right now, and it will take him some time to spend it. He has been making money since the Hayana affair, and would have been a millionaire if he had not been deported. His show had two more years to run, and then it was planned to take it to Africa and Australia. But after his last battle with the courts, the contract was worthless, and the company disbanded.

"That story given out by the Aberdeen, Scotland, papers regarding the Willard fight are absolutely true. Johnson says he laid down for Willard, and was to have received \$100,000 for the privilege. He did not get the money, however, and that is why he is sore. He made curtain speeches at his show telling the whole story, and the people believed him. He said he saw a chance to make enough money to retire for life and return to his home without spending a year in prison. Everything went wrong, however, and Jack was lucky to get back to Paris.

"Johnson told me that he was to 'flop' in the 27th round. He said that he could have stopped Willard at any time in the early part of the battle, but as it pro-gressed, it would have been more difficult. Jess assimilated all kinds of punishment. he said, which was handed out to make the bout look good in the pictures. All Johnson wants now is another chance at the champion.

Sure to Return

"There is no doubt but that Johnson will return to the United States some time and take his medicine. He wants to come back, and he envied me when I left. He will not remain long in Spain. He will

ras yesterday has moved northeast-with diminishing energy, causing Cohen says that Johnson admits he faked t with Willard, and in his addresses to the audience explains everything.

VILLA FLEEING SOUTH AFTER SECOND CLASH

Continued from Page One gone into the thick of the pursuit of Villa.

He was at Guerrero yesterday, Mayor Sample believes the advanced American columns are sparing neither man nor beast in the chase for the fleeing Villa and his scattered bands. Information today located Villa south-

Information today located Villa south-east of Camargo, continuing his retreat toward Parral. If these reports are trus-Villa is within 5 miles of Santa Rosalia on the Mexican National Railway, from Chihuahua City to Torreon. When it was suggested that large Carranza forces in that district apparently had allowed Villa to escape Mexican officials said that Gen-eral Luis Herrera was pursuing Villa. The bandit leader had only a few followers when at Camargo. when at Camargo.

Commenting on Colonel W. C. Brown's defeat of a Villista force 39 miles north of Guerrero April 1, Funston peinted out that the troops under General Pershing available for pursuit were undoubtedly now far south of the scene of this engugement, which resulted in the killing of 30 Villistas.

There were no casualties among the 200 negro troopers in Colonel Brown's 16th Cavalry command.

Cavairy command.

Official reports of the clash were sent from a place near Rubio, where Major Evans, of the 10th Cavairy, halted yeaterday. Major Evans reported that on Saturday Colonel Brown had encountered a band of Villa's men and was pursuing them through San Antonio, Chihuahna Soon afterward Mexicans who arrived from that vicinity declared that he had overtaken the wandering bandits at the village of Aguas Calientes. 20 miles southeast of Backinaba. Villa's men appeared wholly unsuspecting of the presence of an

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GAVIRA HALTS EXECUTION OF THREE VILLISTA PLOTTERS

EL PASO, Tex., April 5.—General Ga-vira, Carranga communior at Juarez, to-day indefinitely postponed the execution of three men who had been sentenced to death for plotting a revolutionary upris-ing that had for its aim the capture of Juarez and re-establishment of Villaism of the Nevisian town recent the headt the Mexican town across the border

from El Paso.

A firing squad was ready to carry out the sentence of death, and in their musty cells the three convicted men awaited the summons to march out to the adobe wall, already marked by hundreds of builtets, when General Gavira issued his order to

in addition to the three men already doomed to death, two dozen others are awaiting military trial. Officers of Gaira's staff said today there was conch evidence against all that they shared the 24 hours before the revoit was to occur. id that execution would be the lot of all

U. S. TROOPS START TRENCH DIGGING IN MEXICO CAMPAIGN

COLUMBUS, N. M., April 5.—The presence of small bands of Mexicans lurking in the foothills along the American lines of communication has resulted in the oints, according to incoming motortruck drivers today

"I don't doubt that our men are en-At Boca Grands, 32 miles south of the border, it was said that actual dig-ging of trenches had started.

108 MORE MOTORTRUCKS SENT

TO MEXICO; RAILWAYS USELESS

enemy a minute before they were attacked. It was about noon when Colonel Brown brought his cavalry within easy range. The Mexicans were lying about the place, many of them asleep, and all their horses were grazing, in many cases some dis-tance from the men. tailroad.

Secretary Baker announced that four additional companies of autotrucks of 27 each would be sent immediately to the border, as well as two tank trucks for the Officials here are confident that this

force of trucks can transport sufficient supplies for the army without serious difports that General Funston was urging the War Department to insist on the use of all Mexican railways. He said there were no developments in the situation as to the use of the railways.

General Function today sent to the War Department the following dispatch he had received from General Pershing:

Met Colonel Dodd at Providencia and discussed with him the exception-al march with the 7th Cavalry, and the work done by that organization

to overtake Villa deserves the highest

General Funston gives Colonel Dodd full credit for the victory.

The offer of the Aero Club of America to sell two flying machines to the army for 31 each for use in Mexico was refused by Secretary Baker on the ground that a congressional automobilities had resident sional appropriation had made the

OF DANGER IN MEXICO

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Senator Gallinger, Senate Republican leader, today received a message from Senator Fall, on his fears for the safety of the American expeditionary force against Villa.

"The danger lies in the possibility of Pershing's line of communication and sup-plies being cut." Fall's message said. He described conditions as precarious. Senator Fall will remain on the border

indefinitely to report developments to the Republican section in the Senate, Senator Gallinger said no minority ac-WASHINGTON, April 5. — Indications that the War Department will not depend upon the use of the Mexican Northwestern telegram. tion was contemplated as a result of Fall's

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with the Solvay Process Company for 20

hopper cars, with the Gadson Car Works

for 200 underframe and with the Paris, Lyons and Mediterranean Hallways for 500 gendolas. The Illinois Central Rail-

road has ordered \$4 passenger cars from the Pullman Company and 10 from the American Car and Foundry Company. The Kanawha and West Virginia Rail-

SUBURBAN

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GRAIN AND FLOUR

WHEAT—Receipts, 191,940 bushels. Trade was felf and the market ruled steady under moderate offering quantions: Car lots, in expect elevator—No. 2 red, spot and April. \$1,200 t.25; No. 2 Realizer No. 2 red, \$1,200 t.23; steamer No. 2 red, \$1,199,1,22; No. 3 red, \$1,100 t.22; resident \$1,200 t.22; resident \$1

DATS Receipts, 20,743 hundreds. Trade was fair and values were well sustained on destrable arrides. Quotations. No. 2 white, 5149452; standard white, 504516; No. 3 white, 404506; No. 3 white, 404506; purified oats, graded the factories.

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CHICAGO, April 5.—A heavy wave of liquidation due to good rains in the Southwest during the night broke the wheat

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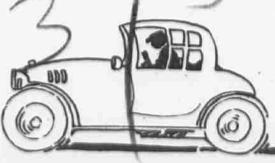
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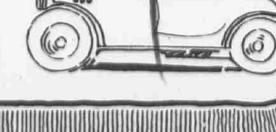
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