

A DAMAGED OPTIC MAY RESULT IN CROWNING JACK DEMPSEY THE HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION

THAT DAMAGED EYE RECEIVED IN CAMP HAS MADE DEMPSEY

When Jamaica Kid Opened Challenger's Optic and Forced a Layoff a Change for Best Was Noticed in Jack's Condition—Added Weight Will Help

IF JACK DEMPSEY wins the heavyweight championship of the world from Jess Willard at Toledo on July 4, he can blame his success on two things—a cut over the eye and the Jamaica Kid. The cut over the eye gave Jack a much-needed rest for more than a week, and, as the Jamaica Kid was responsible for it, he should share in the glory—if there is glory to share.

ON THE other hand, Willard started with lots of fat hanging on his huge frame, and hard work was the only thing to take it off. He had something to work up to, while Dempsey only could hit the down-grade. For that reason the Jamaica Kid and the cut over the eye were great aids in the challenge.

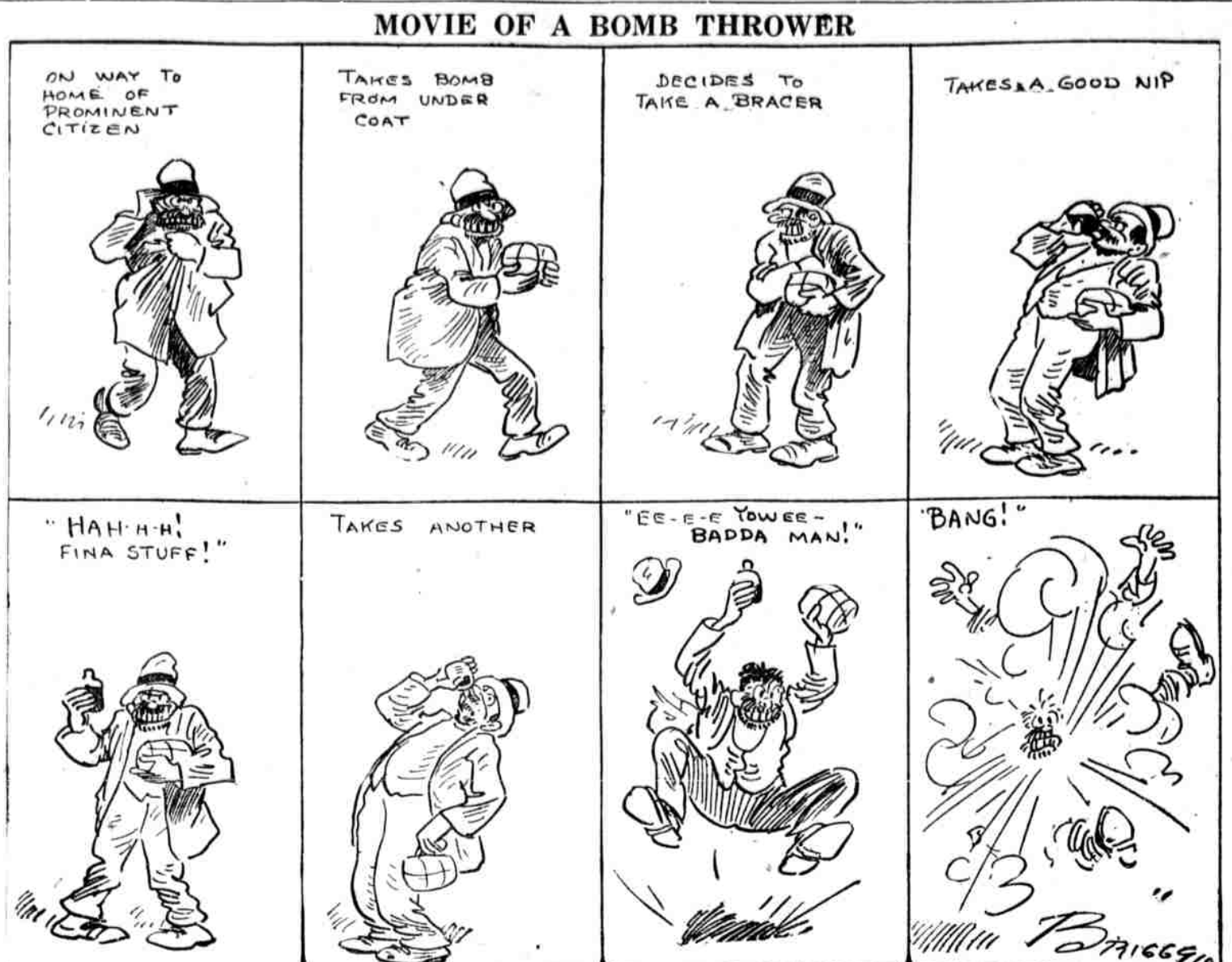
PRELIMS FOR BIG MATCH ARRANGED Fifty-four Rounds of Boxing Scheduled to Precede Willard-Dempsey Go

LEONARD "CLEANS UP" IN STOCKS; TO RETIRE Lightweight Champion Plans to Quit Game at End of Season and Enter Business

MANLY STAR PLAYERS ON NATIVITY TEAM Joe O'Rourke, Mahaffy and Dwyer Among Headliners on Manager Haggerty's Club

AMATEUR BASEBALL NOTES Snare & Triest B. C., a fast fourteen to sixteen year old team, wants games with any bunch of traveling teams.

RECORD OFFER for Tendler-Leonard Bout CHARLEY WEIRMIFFER, well known in local fistic circles and former manager of Benny Kaufman, is anxious to become a promoter and stage a battle between Benny Leonard and Lew Tendler.



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THE GAP IS NARROW BETWEEN EXTREMES—VICTORY AND DEFEAT

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