



HERE AND THERE IN SPORT

By J. C. L.

Tex Rickard has announced that the heavyweight championship bout between Jess Willard and Jack Dempsey will be staged at Toledo, Ohio, on July 4th, and will be over a twelve round distance. This will be welcome news to Canadian fight fans who will be able to attend the big bout as the Ohio City will be close enough to enable the boys to take in the mill. In bygone days the tit-bit bouts of the squared circle have all taken place at points many miles away from the border and local lovers of the game could not afford to make the trip to the distant cities. The price for the fight have been set to range from \$5 to \$50.

The local newspaper world is agog with excitement over the coming baseball series and the first game has been arranged for May 13th. Both offices have some pretty fair ball players on the pay rolls and what they lack in experience is bound to be made up by the fun that will be derived from the series and good crowds are expected at all the games. No admission fee will be charged as the newspaper men are going to provide good entertainment minus the usual line rate.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the G. W. V. A., raised a neat sum for the Veterans Football Club at their dance last night which will go towards the purchase of uniforms and equipment. This will give the returned men a good chance to get in the game for keeps and the patriotic efforts of the ladies are greatly appreciated.

Local Golfers expect a big season this year and from now on the course will be dotted every day with devotees of this excellent game. The ladies of the club will get going in earnest on Victoria Day when an excellent programme has been arranged.

Three hundred trees, the gift of E. J. Zaritz, Provincial Forester, are to be planted on the Waterloo County Golf and Country Golf grounds.

Rev. Dr. Ferguson, Home Mission Superintendent for Southern Alberta, declares there is no need for alarm about Mormon encroachments.

The lines of the Grand Trunk railway system between Montreal and Portland, Maine, penetrate the heart of the White Mountains, and serve many districts. Portland, that "beautiful city by the sea," as Longfellow called it, is the gateway to innumerable natural beauties and cod retreats. Seldom does a city such surroundings of sea and shore. Portland and Casco Bay form the Utopia of those with moderate means; nowhere will a dollar procure more of sea-side pleasures. Hotels in city and on the islands in the bay are numerous, and there are large numbers of boarding-houses.

Old Orchard, Kennebunkport and other resorts are reached through Portland. An attractive publication which gives full information regarding the mountain and sea coast territory of Maine and New Hampshire, including hotels, rates, etc., may be had for the asking by applying to Grand Trunk Agent or C. E. Horning, D. P. A. Toronto, Ont.

A secret plenary session of the Peace Conference has been called to meet at 3 o'clock to-day at the French Foreign office.



The "3 Musketeers" from "THE BETTER 'OLE", the big musical play at The Grand, Saturday, May 10, Matinee and Evening.

NATIONAL AMERICAN AND INTERNATIONAL LEAGUES

RESULTS OF YESTERDAY'S GAMES

INTERNATIONAL
Bucaro 5, Newark 1.
Toronto 5, Jersey City 1.
Rochester 5, Reading 2.
Binghamton at Baltimore, rain.

NATIONAL
Chicago 7, Cincinnati 6.
Pittsburgh 5, St. Louis 2.
Other games played on Sunday.

AMERICAN
Washington 10, Philadelphia 6.
New York 5, Boston 1.
St. Louis at Cleveland, cold.
Detroit at Chicago, cold.

STANDING OF ALL THE CLUBS

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct.
Brooklyn 7 1 .875
Cincinnati 9 2 .818
New York 5 3 .625
Chicago 6 4 .600
Philadelphia 4 4 .500
Pittsburgh 4 5 .444
St. Louis 1 10 .167
Boston 0 8 .000

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct.
Chicago 7 2 .778
Cleveland 5 3 .625
New York 5 3 .625
Washington 6 4 .600
Boston 5 4 .556
Detroit 3 6 .333
St. Louis 2 6 .250
Philadelphia 1 7 .122

GAMES SCHEDULED FOR TODAY

Buffalo at Baltimore.
Toronto at Reading.
Rochester at Jersey City.
Binghamton at Newark.
Boston at New York.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

St. Louis at Cleveland.
Detroit at Chicago.
Washington at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Canadian whiskey is to be permitted to be imported freely into Britain.

BIG FIGHT TO BE STAGED AT TOLEDO, OHIO

Tex Rickard Makes Announcement of Site for the Heavyweight Championship of the World on July 4th.

New York, May 6.—The Jess Willard-Jack Dempsey heavyweight championship fight will be staged at Toledo, O., on the afternoon of Friday, July 4th.

The pugilists will enter the ring at 3 p. m., and will box twelve rounds, unless a knockout ends the contest earlier in the clash. If the bout goes the limit, the referee, to be selected later, will award a decision on points. The details were announced by Promoter Ex Rickard here last night.

Willard and Dempsey will be paid for their services, Mr. Rickard explained, and will not fight for a purse, which is against the laws of Ohio.

"Having consulted my attorney," he said, "I find that I am entirely within the laws of Ohio, according to a decision of law on such cases. Therefore, I have accepted Toledo's offer to hold the boxing exhibition there.

"Under the Ohio law the mayor of Toledo is permitted to grant consent. Under decision of the court one is privileged to employ bores to give exhibitions, when a purse is not fought for."

An octogen shaped arena to accommodate between 50,000 and 60,000 spectators will be erected at a point convenient to the city. Admission charges will range from \$5 to \$50, according to the location of the seats. Both pugilists will train for at least five weeks at the scene of the contest, in accordance with the terms of the contract made with Rickard.

FIRST GAME MAY 13TH.

Standard and Journal Teams Complete Arrangements for Newspaper Championship Series.

The date of the first game of the big newspaper series has been arranged and the ball tossers of newspaperdom will come together at the La-crosse grounds, and a red hot contest is assured.

The rival captains completed the arrangements bright and early this morning and as the "drys" say, the fight is on. The Standard "never-sweats" evidently have a couple of "near stars" temporarily employed over there for their overseas edition. The Journal contained the announcement that the first game would take place this afternoon but as it seems they are the only team to play it would be a matter to stage a ball game "ala seculaire", so the new date was selected this morning.

And the market square fence-busters are ready for the fray and anticipate no difficulty in seeing to it that the Purdyites in the outfield keep their feet warm chasing three base hits.

Will Carry Water

Reports from the Standard Camp are to the effect that the team has been practising from early morning until late at night and are in good shape for the series. Captain Purdy is said to have tried the highly touted "Jeff" Wilson in almost every position he will not do and will be assigned to look after the water pail. Arthur (Swifty) Moore has been engaged to cover the series for the scientific American.

Although the Journal team has not had a real hard work out yet the brand of ball shown by some of the candidates is above par and the hopes of the fans have gone upward with a bound, as a result.

The opening game of the series will be marked by an impressive ceremony the details of which will be announced later, but it is hinted that The Standard crew will attempt to borrow the Oriental's goat for the occasion because they know that it will be impossible to get ours so they are going to be prepared.



RECORD TARPON OF THE FORT MEYERS (FLA) SEASON TAKEN BY THE NEW YORKER ON THE FIRST DAY, FIRST TIME OUT. THE "SILVER KING" FOUGHT 5 HOURS AND 10 MINUTES, BECAUSE THE FISH "THREW THE HOOK" BUT CATCHING IN THE DORSAL FIN, THE ANGLER FINALLY BROUGHT HIS PRIZE TO THE SIDE OF THE BOAT WHERE IT WAS GAFFED. WEIGHT 164 POUNDS. CAPT. F. H. SCHAUFFLER AND 7-FOOT TARPON.

A carload of lawn bowlers from Saskatoon, Sask., will come to Niagara-on-the-Lake to attend the annual O.B.A. tournament. The situation in Lemburg Galicia has greatly improved, according to despatches. The Ukrainians have been driven back by the Poles.



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