

SPORT NEWS GLEANED FROM WORLD'S CENTRES

FIRPO TRAINING ON RAW MEAT

The Argentine "Wild Man" Bathes in Ice Water and Sleeps on Floor.

Atlantic City, Sept. 8.—A little more speed, a little more power in the punches and a little more mercy on the sparring partners was noticeable in the first of Luis Angel Firpo's heavy workouts for his battle with Jack Dempsey September 14. The Argentine, still in a jovial mood, stepped seven rounds with his helpers and sent them all to the dressing room with chimes in their ears.

Stocky Joe McCann was unusually aggressive. He made Firpo dance lively in their two rounds. Firpo clamped his right into McCann's ribs and had the big fellow puffing at the end of the first round. In the second McCann was clipped on the jaw with a left hook, and as he fell into a clinch with the crouching South American their heads met. Firpo suffered a slight cut in the corner of his right eye, then sent a left straight to McCann's mouth, bringing blood, and time was called. The cut was trivial and is expected to heal overnight.

Jeff Clarke, the Joplin Ghost, bobbed around for one round and pushed

his face into a countless number of straight lefts.

Koebele Gets Lacing.

Frank Koebele, the light-heavyweight, suffered most at the fists of Firpo. In the second half of their session the Argentine caught the Brooklyn youngster in the ribs with a right and Frank doubled up like a pocket knife. Firpo desisted for a moment or two and Koebele was able to resume with vigor. Natalio Pera took an unusually heavy mauling and was hanging on when time was called. The road work yesterday morning was all on the boardwalk, as a heavy rain on Monday left the dirt roads muddy. Firpo was out about two hours and then before breakfast, spent an hour on defensive work inside his cottage. A number of Firpo's Buenos Aires friends and admirers were at the training camp. There are now more than a score of Argentines here. Meyer Saul, Edison Hotel owner, and May's Badley are planning a banquet for Firpo and his friends the latter part of this week.

Firpo believes that his queer ring style will be more valuable to him against Jack Dempsey than all the American pugilistic tricks he could learn.

Keeps Them Guessing.

The South American's sparring partners are authority for the statement that one can never tell what the Angel is going to do next.

"He doesn't box well and he seems awkward," they say, "yet he keeps a fellow guessing. Sometimes it looks like his right is getting ready to swing and then the left shoots out, and vice versa."

Jeff Clarke, the Joplin Ghost, one of

the shiftest veterans of the game, says Firpo is the "foolliest man" he ever stepped around with.

"Jee' can't tell what dat man is goin' to do," said Jeff after taking a lacing in his sparring round with the challenger for the world's title. "And yo' can't beat him to a punch. He meets yo' left and he meets yo' right and he punches yo' head till yo' can't see nothing but fists."

"I boxed Dempsey and I boxed all de good 'uns, but dis old boy an de hardest hittin' one I ever seed. He sho' gona give Massa Dempsey a terrible battle."

Eats Raw Meat.

If P. T. Barnum were living he would employ Angel Firpo, put him in a tent, write a sign on the front: "The Argentine wild man—eats raw meat, bathes in ice water, washes with common soap and sleeps on a bed of rocks" and tell the truth.

The South American pugilist bathes in ice water and the scientists who have examined him say it is not compared with the blood that runs in his veins. When the Angel makes his morning ablutions he uses the commonest of common American soap. Between meals he goes into the kitchen, passes the time of day with Albertino, the chef, and takes a piece of uncooked sirloin to chew upon.

And when the time for retiring comes and the trainers, the interpreters and the sparring partners hop into their little white beds Luis Angel goes to his room, takes the mattress off the downy couch, throws it on the floor and lies down to rest. When morning comes and it is time to get up Luis Angel usually may be found curled up in a corner on the floor.

"Beds," says he, "are uncomfortable."

Sports Results In Many Fields; Home and Abroad

American League—Friday.
Boston 4; Philadelphia 0.
Detroit 11; Cleveland 9.
Chicago 7; St. Louis 2.
Only three games scheduled.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	83	43	.659
Cleveland	69	57	.548
Detroit	65	58	.526
St. Louis	68	61	.527
Washington	61	66	.480
Chicago	57	67	.460
Philadelphia	58	78	.421
Boston	49	75	.395

National League—Friday.
Philadelphia 10; New York 6.
Boston 11; Brooklyn 8.
Chicago 6; Pittsburgh 4.
St. Louis 5; Cincinnati 1.
Cincinnati 8; St. Louis 5.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	83	51	.620
Cincinnati	77	53	.592
Pittsburgh	76	54	.585
Chicago	72	60	.543
St. Louis	66	66	.500
Brooklyn	60	67	.473
Boston	44	83	.344
Philadelphia	43	85	.336

Reading 7; Jersey City 6—12 innings.
Toronto 7; Buffalo 6.
Rochester 6; Syracuse 1.
Baltimore 9; Newark 5.

RING.
Jock Malone Wins.
Boston, Sept. 8.—Jock Malone, of St. Paul, conceded seven pounds to Lou Bogash, of Bridgeport, Conn., and outpointed him in a ten round bout here last night. Malone weighed 155 pounds and Bogash 162.

GOLF.
G. S. Lyon Wins Title.
George S. Lyon of Lambton retained the championship of the Canadian Senior Golf Association yesterday when he completed the two rounds of eighteen holes each in 147. He also retains possession of the Shaughnessy cup emblematic of the championship.

The games should prove interesting.

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September 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22

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The Fastest Stallion,
The Fastest Mare,
The Fastest Gelding
In the World Today

Single G. 1:59

The King of Pacers—"The Horse that Time Forgot"—Holder of the World's Record for Three Heats in a Race: 1:59—2:00—2:00 1/2. And he also holds the divided heat record of 1:58 1/4—1:59 1/4—1:59 1/4. The only three heats ever raced under two minutes.

Margaret Dillon 1:58 1-4

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Sir Roch 1:59 3-4

The World's Fastest Pacing Gelding who divided honors with Margaret Dillon during mid-summer of that year, the three battles between them proving the "Big Line Feature of the Racing World."

WHEN THESE THREE EQUINE WONDERS MEET AT FREDERICTON EXHIBITION September 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22

What's Going to Happen to Down East Records?

COME and SEE!

NOTE:—Diblee's Drug Store, Ltd., offers ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN GOLD to the Driver of the Horse beating 2.04 on the Fredericton Exhibition Track at this

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Hon. C. W. Robinson of Moncton finished in the class A. division with a card of 165. In the class B. division E. A. Smith of St. John, finished with a total net of 169.

Driver Fined at Presque Isle.

"Mont" Gerow was fined \$50 by the judges of the horse races at Presque Isle yesterday because in their opinion he was not driving to win. The 2:15 mixed class was won by The Ultimate, three out of five heats. The 2:11 mixed class went to Seacharone, three out of five heats, best time 2:09 1/4. A named race was won by Northern Belle, three out of four heats, best time 2:14 1/4.

FINALS OF TWO I LEAGUE TODAY

Saints and Fredericton, at 2:30; Second at 5 if Needed.

The championship of the Two-I League will be definitely settled today when St. Peter's and Fredericton meet at St. Peter's Park. The first game will be at 2:30 o'clock and if a second one is necessary it will be started at 5 o'clock. At the present time Fredericton have four wins to their credit and St. Peter's three. In order to win the championship St. Peter's must win both games.

As a result of Fredericton's refusal yesterday to stand by their original agreement to play the two final games—if necessary—on St. Peter's Park, a deadlock resulted and it was not until last evening that arrangements were completed for the play-off. Fredericton agreed to play one game on the local park, but in event of losing demanded that the final game be played in Fredericton. This did not meet with the approval of the local management and for a time it looked as if the series would terminate unsatisfactorily, but matters were straightened out during the evening.

The games should prove interesting

OPERA HOUSE

NEXT WEEK THE F. JAMES CARROLL PLAYERS

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as both teams will put forth every effort to win and thus clinch the title of the Two-I League and then be in line to play-off with St. Stephen for the championship of the province.

ROYALS WON.

The Royals trimmed the Trojans last evening, 5 to 0, Diggs allowing but one hit, that going to "Les" Kerr. The box score was:

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.E.
Royals	8	0	0	0	0
McAleen, r.f.	3	0	1	1	0
Harper, s.s.	3	1	1	1	0
Tynes, 1b.	3	0	1	4	0
Nelson, 3b.	3	0	0	0	0
Hogan, c.f.	2	2	2	0	0
Young, 2b.	1	1	0	0	1
Diggs, p.	0	1	0	0	1
Austin, c.	2	1	6	2	0
Price, l.f.	1	0	0	1	0
	18	5	12	4	0

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.E.
Trojans	9	0	1	2	0
Perry, 2b.	2	0	0	0	2
Gregg, s.s.	2	0	0	0	0
W. Bartlett, r.f.	2	0	2	0	0
Kerr, p.	2	0	1	2	0
R. Bartlett, c.f.	2	0	0	0	0
Cox, c.	1	0	0	3	1
McGowan, 1b.	0	0	0	5	1
W.P. Bartlett, l.f.	1	0	0	0	0
Daly, 3b.	1	0	0	0	2
	13	0	1	12	7

Score by innings:
Trojans..... 0 0 0 0—0
Royals..... 0 1 0 0—2

BENNY LEONARD WINS SEVEN OF EIGHT ROUNDS

Philadelphia, Sept. 8.—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, last night received the newspaper decision in an eight round encounter with Johnny

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THE GREAT OPENING ATTRACTION OF IMPERIAL THEATRE'S 10TH ANNIVERSARY WEEK

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