

THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Greek Wrestler Defeated Italian

Prokos Lost First Fall But Vadaifi Quit in Second—Said Ribs Were Fractured.

Jim Prokos, the Greek wrestler from Lowell, Mass., was awarded last night's wrestling bout in the Opera House, when Vadaifi, the Italian grappler from Halifax, refused to continue the bout after 11 minutes had gone in the second round.

The Italian won the first fall in 46 minutes with a front body hold after both men had demonstrated to the satisfaction of the fans some very clever wrestling.

In the second round both men worked hard and it was soon apparent that Jim meant to make the round his. After eleven minutes had gone he secured a hold on his opponent, lifted him bodily, and threw him heavily to the mat. Shortly after Vadaifi claimed his ribs had been fractured, and as he refused to continue, the match was awarded to Prokos.

O'Hara, the Belgian wrestler, refereed the bout. Prokos got \$50 from a \$250 house. Some discussion took place prior to the match as to what part of the proceeds he was to receive, but Jim refused to go on till the \$50 promised him had been put up.

The crowd had a number of supporters present. Two Americans in the crowd each contributed a five to his purse at the conclusion of the show in view of his fine exhibition and the game fight he put up during the match.

Johnny Buff Won From Abe Goldstein

Jersey City Scrapper Gained Knockout in Second Round and Gets Championship.

New York, March 31.—Johnny Buff of Jersey City, claimant of the title of United States flyweight champion, tonight knocked out Abe Goldstein of New York in the second round of their match here.

Buff sent a right to the jaw which floored Goldstein, who tried to rise on the count of nine and fell back again from weakness. The time was one minute, 22 seconds. Goldstein had the best of it during the first round but in the second, Buff began like a whirlwind and swept his opponent off his feet.

Everett McGowan Won Championship

Defeated Art Staff at Boston—Skated 220 in 19 3-5 Sec. Half Mile in 1 M. 15 4-5 S.

Boston, March 31.—Art Staff of Pittsburgh, all around skating champion was injured when he slipped on a turn in a three mile race with Everett McGowan of St. Paul, here tonight. The event was one of a two-day series announced as for the world's professional indoor skating championship. McGowan had defeated Staff in a 220 yard race, winning in 19 3-5 seconds and in an 880 yard event in which he chalked up a time of 1 minute 15 4-5 seconds, said to equal the world's record for the distance indoors made by Ben O'Sickrie of Pittsburgh.

American Bowling Congress Closed

Kallusch and Schiman Won Five Hundred Dollars and Gold Medals.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 31.—The largest tournament in the American Bowling Congress came to a close this afternoon. Otto Kallusch and Archie Schiman, of Rochester with a total of 1214, won the two-man championship of the tournament, taking down a prize of \$500 and gold medals. Schiman also carries off the all events title with a total of 1990 pins. The prize for first place in this event is \$125. The individual championship this year goes to Fred Smith of Detroit with a total of 722 pins, winning a prize of \$200.

Another Offer For Big Fight

Alexander Pantages of Seattle Wired Offer of \$850,000 to Tex Rickard.

Spokane, Wash., March 31.—Alexander Pantages of Seattle has wired Tex Rickard an offer of \$850,000 for the Dempsey-Carpenter championship match, according to word received tonight by E. G. Milne of Seattle, an agent of Mr. Pantages.

Mr. Pantages in a telegram to Mr. Milne stated if his offer was accepted by Mr. Rickard and Washington authorities would not allow the contest to be held in the state, he would look next to Vancouver, B. C., as a possible site.

PEDERSEN'S SURRENDER

New York, March 31.—Captain A. C. Pedersen, of the U. S. barkentine Folsko, and his sons, Leonard and Adolph, Jr., who were convicted in 1919

of maltreatment and imprisonment of members of their crew and sentenced to prison servitude, have surrendered to the United States marshal here following failure of their appeal.



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Local Bowling

WELLINGTON LEAGUE

In the Wellington League series on the G. W. Y. A. alleys last night, the J. & A. McKinnis team captured all four points from the Coronas. The scores follow:—

J. & A. McKinnis	89	80	83	261	87
Coronas	83	81	84	250	82 3-3
Albers	83	78	94	260	82 3-3
Dever	75	96	60	261	87
Morgan	83	85	82	266	88 1-2

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Coronas	82	82	79	263	84 1-3
Stiles	89	86	86	261	87
Bracombe	86	88	67	261	83 2-3
Copp	85	85	77	247	76
Mitchell	79	88	84	261	83 1-3

282 408 393 1184

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

The Nashua Paper quints secured three points from Stetson and Cutler's pin-snappers on Black's alleys last night. The individual scores follow:—

Nashua	91	84	81	256	86 1-3
Archer	73	82	76	231	77
Deberry	86	85	93	264	88
Kilpatrick	97	74	98	269	89 2-3
Gray	84	86	92	262	87 1-3

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Stetson-Cutler	86	90	83	259	83 2-3
Ford	84	84	79	247	85 2-3
McIntoshman	72	87	78	237	79
Carleton	80	71	76	227	75 2-3
Beatty	83	82	86	251	87

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COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

In the Commercial League last night the Imperial Optical Co. won three points from the Emerson-Fisher Co's team of bowlers. The individual scores follow:—

Imperial Optical Co.	84	86	75	245	81 2-3
McDonald	84	84	79	247	85 2-3
Rockwell	83	81	78	242	82 2-3
E. Cunningham	82	82	87	251	87
Brown	82	71	75	228	69 1-3

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Emerson & Fisher	82	80	84	246	75 1-3
Burns	75	80	83	238	79 1-3
Stinson	87	71	91	249	86 1-3
Fitzgerald	82	81	75	238	76
Chase	81	74	77	232	77 1-3

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Why We Sorted.

We sat in front of them at the theatre. It was during the tense minute of the play, when the heroine was about to part forever from her sweet heart.

"Say," said the woman behind us to her friend, "do you break many dishes? You know I'm awfully unlucky that way."—Detroit Free Press.

In recognition of her thorough knowledge of practical banking, Margaret Kelly has been elected cashier of the national bank at Danison, Tex.

The first woman in Canada to be honored with chairmanship of the school board is Mrs. Fred Langford, of Calgary.

SICK SURGEON TAKES BULLET OUT OF SKULL

Dr. W. L. Chapman Wheeled Into Sing Sing Operating Room to Save Man.

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"Wait, I'll get you a glass of water," said the burglar.

When he returned with the water he announced their intention of taking a few things, including an automobile, and said the latter would be found early in the morning nearby.

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Pushes Along Roof of Skull Flattened Pellet for Years Buried Deep in Tissues.

New York, April 1.—Dr. William L. Chapman, of 682 Lincoln place, Brooklyn, made an incision in the skull of Roman Leondowski in the hospital to Sing Sing Prison yesterday afternoon and then, with his forefinger, he loosened from the brain tissue a bullet, flattened and jagged, that had been inside the man's head for almost four years, and moved it along the top of the skull and out through the opening made by the surgeon's knife. It is too early to tell if the operation was a complete success, but Dr. Chapman and the surgeons who assisted him believe it was. It is expected that suicidal and homicidal tendencies from which Leondowski has been suffering will be removed, and the man will be released from prison after being confined for about two years after the expiration of his sentence.

Dr. Chapman himself has been ill for some time and under ordinary circumstances would not have performed the operation. But he had been so interested in the case and the possibilities involved that although he was not able to stand he went to Sing Sing and removed the bullet.

How It Was Done

The manner in which Dr. Chapman worked was explained by Dr. Reed, Leondowski was given an anesthetic, and then Dr. Chapman trepanned the skull and removed a section about as large as a silver dollar. Then he opened the dura, or covering of the brain, and ran his fingers into the tissue. Locating the bullet about two inches from the top of the skull, he loosened it with his finger and slowly worked it backward so it traversed a distance of some three inches to the inner wall of the skull to the incision he had made. Then with his forefinger he plucked it out. It was rough edged, flattened and about half an inch long. No brain tissue whatever was destroyed during the operation, and there was no bleeding. In the opinion of the surgeons the skull of Leondowski must be remarkably hard for the ball to have been so flattened from passage through the bone. They were greatly puzzled, too, because the man was able to live with two bullets in his brain.

The surgeons said yesterday that operations on the skull to relieve pressure on the brain are many and occasionally are successful as a cure for insanity. But this is the first time of which they have knowledge that a bullet was removed from a man's brain to restore it to normal functioning. The exceptional difficulty in Leondowski's case lay in the fact that the bullet had been in his skull for so long a time, and the one in the visual area behind the ear was covered with a growth of tissue.

Warden Lewis E. Lawes of Sing Sing said last night that Leondowski would be kept there until he is able to travel. He will then be returned to Dannemora, where he will be watched until his mental condition has been determined. If he becomes normal he will be released.

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BIG DRUG DISCOVERY

New York, March 31.—Narcotics, valued at approximately \$250,000, were seized last night by detectives during a raid in the Italian section of the Brooklyn waterfront. Five men and a woman were arrested at the same time.

FURTHER HOUR REDUCTION

Brockville, Ont., March 31.—The James Sims plant of Canada Foundries and Forgings, Ltd., which has been operated on short time for some weeks, will now undergo a still further reduction of working hours. With the exception of the axe and hammer and lawnmower departments, the plant will run about three days a week indefinitely.

Bars Girls From Seeing The Cadets

Boston, April 1.—Because the boys of the East Boston High School Cadets were slow to execute the movement "eyes right" when the girls of the school were spectators on the left, Principal Bertram C. Richardson barred the girls from watching drills.

A hundred lads absented themselves from formations yesterday in protest, which was carried the day after by a committee of girls, who requested that he reconsider the ruling. He declined on the ground that progress could not be made while the boys in ranks divided thought between dresses and a drill.

With the girls out of sight, Principal Richardson thought the boys had a chance to master the manual and gain honors for the school in the trials drill next month.

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