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SPORT NEWS GLEANED FROM WORLD'S CENTRES

# HARRY WILLS TO GET HIS CHANCE

If He Survives Qualifying Tests He Will Meet Jack Dempsey.

Harry Wills has been patiently waiting ever since Jack Dempsey became champion for his chance at the world's heavyweight title, the richest prize in all pugilism, says the New York Times. Until a few days ago, however, there was no definite indication that Wills was to get the chance he sought. All was no definite indication that Wills was to get the chance he sought. All along the plea has been, in explanation of repeated rebuffs to Wills' challenges, that the contest held too much potential danger to be permitted in any part of the country. This excuse has been sufficient to prevent a meeting between Dempsey and Wills in the past. The fact that Promoter Tex Rickard has signed Wills to a contract for a series of bouts leading up to a champlonship match, if Wills survives his qualifying tests, would indicate that this apprehension regarding a clash between a white man and a negro has been lessened, at least in the section of the country where Rickard plans to hold a Dempsey-Wills match if it occurs. Rickard is not in the habit of plunging in wildly and blindly in his various enterprises. More particularly does he exercise great caution in his pugilistic promotions. So that it is reasonable to suppose that Rickard has carefully sounded official sentiment before making his bold stroke. He need have no worry on the score of public sentiment, for enough sport followers have demanded a meeting between Dempsey and Wills to guarantee even at this early date that the area in the hours of the promotions. was to get the chance he sought. All Dempsey and Wills to guarantee even at this early date that the arena in which the men fight will be taxed to with boxing game and with many of the the class of hand-sew-

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Wills must first beat one of three men, or possibly, two before he will get the Dempsey boat. This arrangements is eminently fair to upport boxing. Will have not engaged in many matches against first-class heavyweights, for the simple reason that few would fight him. But he owes it to himself and to the public to engage in a trial bout which will either demonstrate while Will before the promoter of the constraints of the constraints

## They Have Helped Me Wonderfully

Manager to Attend.

The semi-annual gathering of the Maritime Provinces branch of the A. A. U. of C. will be held in Truro on Thursday and it is expected that the following local organizations will be represented at this meeting: Y. M. C. A., Arnold Kee; Y. M. C. I., Paul Quinn. The secretary-treasurer also is going and it is possible James Christie will represent the East End Improvement League.

A. W. Covey, the president, will preside. Mr. Covey is in Cape Breton at present consolidating the amateur forces in that territory. He expects to be in Halifax today to confer with J. Howard Crocker, general manager of the Canadian Olympic team and head of the Y. M. C. A. physical directors throughout Canada. Mr. Crocker will address the Truro meeting on Thursday evening on Olympic matters.

### FRANCE, U. S. AND RUMANIA WILL PLAY FOR RUGBY TITLE

London, April 2—Sold by its master at Mountain View, a lonely farm at Ravenstonedale, on the Cumberland fells, to a farmer living near Liverpool, a seven-year-old collie has just returned to its old home.

Me Wonderfully	a seven-year-old collie has just returned its old home.  Early in the present year it made
So Says Alberta Man of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.	the journey of nearly 100 miles from Cumberland to Liverpool by train. A few days ago, footsore and exhausted,
Mr. Panas is Now Eating and Sleeping Well.  Quarrel, Alta., April I.—(Special.)— "Before taking Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets I was not feeling at all well. Your tablets have surely helped me, as I am now eating and sleeping well." This	it turned up at Mountain View, pawing at the door to seek admittance.  Its lameness and travel-strained appearance show that, moved by the homing instinct, it had made the entire journey back on foot.
statement comes from Mr. M. Panas, a resident of this place. Neglect of such stomach troubles as indigestion and dyspepsia is always	HORSES THAT HAVE WON \$100,000
fraught with danger. Digestive trouble never corrects itself. You must remove the harmful acid conditions that cause	Horse and Country. Amount Zev, American \$296,678 Isinglass, English 291,275
your trouble. The one safe, sound and inexpensive way to do this is to take Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.	Donovan, English
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all dealers, or The Dodds Medicine Co., Ltd., Toronto.	BOYS ENJOYED DANCE.  Following the basketball game in
TO ATTEND SEMI-	Moncton between the St. John High

TO ATTEND SEMIANNUAL MEETING

Representatives From Local
Bodies Named—Olympic

Manager to Attend

Following the basketball game in Moncton between the St. John High School boys' team and the Aberdeen High School team Monday evening an informal dance was held in the Orange Hall. Among the other guests were the members of the "Y" ladies' second team, the Success Business College ladies' team, the Micmacs and a St. Bernards' team.

## PRO LEAGUE MEETING.

An important meeting affecting the future of the proposed Class D orga-

HAMBOURG TO PLAY HERE. Under the auspices of the Y. W. C.

A., Mark Hambourg, the pianist, will give a concert in the Recreation Centre before sailing for England in April Mrs. Hambourg writes of the pleasure their western trip has given them and of the delightful rest at Banff, where they have been for several days en route. A. Victor Lee will manage the concert.

GERMAIN STREET WON.

The Central Baptist church basketball team defeated the Germain street in the man at the same of the concert.

Centre Smith (10) ... Lewis (10)

Defence

Keith (2) ... Pike Prebble ... Alexander (6)

This evening on the Y. M. C. A. floor, the Trojan Intermediates play the High School squad, and the second High School team. In the main attraction, two provincial champions and High School inter-scholastic chamball team defeated the Germain street pions.

#### KING WILL PERMIT MARATHON TO START AT WINDSOR CASTLE

Smith (10) ..... Lewis (10)
Defence

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## TROJANS TO MEET

fax Wanderers on their home floor TRURO FOR TITLE by a heavy margin and Wanderers wisely decided it would be futile to

future of the proposed Class D organized baseball league for the province is scheduled for this evening at St. Stephen, when border town fags are expected to press strongly their claims for a franchise in the league. W. E. Vaughan, of Fredericton, and Joe Page, well-known Canadian sportsman are expected to be present.

At a meeting of the G. W. V. A. executive last night the sports committee reported on the conferences held regarding the baseball situation and that a satisfactory arrangement for playing grounds had been secured. The recommendation of the committee that a team be entered by the association in the proposed N. B. league was concurred with and the necessary resolution adopted authorizing such action through the committee.

HAMBOURG TO PLAY HYPE.

AT WINDSOR CASTLE King George has again given his consent for the starting of the Polytechnic tree for a return game.

Death Game to Decide

Championship.

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The Trojan basketball team will meet the Truro Y. M. C. A. quintette at Sackville on Saturday, April 12, in a sudden death game for the Maritime title, it was announced yesterday. The Trûro team claims the right to play for honors by defeating the Wanderers of Halifax, former champions, by a single point in the Wanderers of Halifax, former champions, by a single point in a home and home series. Trojans, it would be futile to come over here for a return game.

HAWROURG TO PLAY HYPE.

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#### WIFE IS SUING GAMES WITHOUT REST POOL CHAMPIO

Ralph Greenleaf Accused Cruelty in Action for Separation.

New York, April 2.-- A suit separation on the ground of cru was filed in the Supreme Court cently against E. Ralph Greenleaf, tional pocket billiard champion, Mrs. Beatrice Greenleaf, whom he m ried at Watervliet, N. Y., in Aug-1920. Because he could not be ser

President Covey Outlines the Programme While Visiting in Sydney.

Ways and means of financing the training operations for at least ten or twelve Maritime Province athletes, who will be given an opportunity to catch places on Canada's Olympic track and field team, will be discussed at the semi-annual meeting of the Maritime Provinces branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada in Truro on Thursday next.

This will be the big item of business scheduled for the Truro session, according to a statement A. W. Covey, president of the M. P. B. A. A. U. of C., gave to the Sydney Record yesterday. The president made it quite plain that he proposes to follow the course adopted by the various clubs affiliated with the M. P. B. A. A. U. of C. and the methods here the series of the Hudson Recreation Copany, which she said he is represent in the National Championship Poc Billiard League.

Mrs. Greenleaf, who lives at Hotel Flanders, alleged that since F 10 last her husband has treated cruelly and has made it unsafe for to live with him. He has not provifor her since Jan. 10, she said. stated that on March 25 last her P belights auggesting that she confer whim on signing a separation agreement and she refused to.

Greenleaf is said by his wife to have come slim by following the advice doctors who recommended Marr Prescription Tablets, those harm little fat reducers that simplify the coffice of the famous Marmola Prescription Tablets, those harm little fat reducers that simplify the coffice of the famous Marmola Prescription Tablets, those harm little fat reducers that simplify the coff the famous Marmola Prescription Tablets, those harm little fat reducers that simplify the coff the famous Marmola Prescription that he course adopted by the various clubs affiliated with the M. P. B. A. A. U. of the famous Marmola Prescription of the famous Marmola Prescription that he course adopted by the various clubs affiliated with the M. P. B. A. A. U. of the famous Marmola Prescription that he could not be set with the papers in New Yo

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course adopted by the various clubs affiliated with the M. P. B. A. A. U. of C. and the methods by which the necessary finances are to be raised for the Maritime athletes must be outlined by these representatives at Truro.

"We have ten or possibly twelve athletes in the Maritime Provinces who are Olympic team timber," said Mr. Covey to the Record, "and it is estimated that the preliminary training which these athletes must undergo before taking part in the Canadian finals at Montreal will cost in the vicinity of \$2,000. fore taking part in the Canadian finals at Montreal will cost in the vicinity of \$2,000.

"There are 64 clubs affiliated with our organization and they will be called upon to provide the money. How this amount is to be raised I cannot say, but I have no doubt the delegates at the Truro session will be ready to provide us with ideas which will make the raising of this money a very easy matter."

Trinity Boy Scouts basketball to defeated St. Paul's Scouts last eving, 28 to 5. Ward and Wyley star: The line-ups were:

Trinity: Forwards, Wyley (10) such thank (2); centre, Ward (18); fence, Regan (1) and Murray (2).

St. Paul's: Peters (1) and Streentre, Maslett (2); defence, Will's ond Steele (2). Referee, R. Arms from the street of the st

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Mr. Covey explained in his statement that the amateur leaders proposed to have the Maritime athletes, who will-be selected to go to Montreal, assembled at Halifax about May 15. They would be under the direction of a capable coach, probably Thomas Trenholm of Amherst, and thus would have six weeks of preparatory work before going to Montreal to meet Canada's foremost track athletes in June. Mr. Trenholme's services will cost several hundred dollars, while it is estimated that 12 athletes could be taken care of in Halifax for an amount under \$1,000. Among the athletes whom Mr. Covey picks as Olympic possibilities are Phil MacDonald of Charlottetown, Barney Francis of Charlottetown, Billy Mooney of Halifax, and now attending the University of Pennsylvania; Erin Smith of Halifax, Harold Lapierre of Halifax; Cameron of Pictou, Canadian broad jump champion; A. I. Miller of Sussex, Canadian high jump champion; Len MacDonald of Sydney, pole vaulter; Maynes of St. John, Maritime Len MacDonald of Sydney, pol-vaulter; Maynes of St. John, Maritim quarter-mile champion, and Campbel of St. John, sprinter.

Charlie Gorman, national and inter-national speed skating champion, i-also a track athletes and will compet-in the 100 yards at the Maritime trials

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