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BOXING IN SLUMP, SAYS RICKARD

Promoter Doesn't See Much Prospect for Winter Bouts.

DEMPSEY DONE?
Belief That Champion, Rich, Has Had His Last Big Contest.

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(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
New York, Nov. 6.—Boxing has been in a terrible slump during the last summer season and the prospects for the indoor season aren't very good, according to Tex Rickard, Madison Square Garden promoter.

Business is so poor that Rickard is trying to drum up trade with a heavyweight show at 50 cents to \$2.

"The fighters will not fight. That's what brought on the slump," Rickard said. "When the heavyweights are idle the whole game slows up. Every heavyweight I talk to wants to fight Dempsey. They know they can't get him and their next choice is some push-over."

"Tom Gibbons is the only fighter in the game who will take any opponent offered him. I have had his contract in my desk for months, and can't get anyone to meet him."
"Jack Remault has been yelping about a match with Dempsey, but he wouldn't consider a Gibbons match. He wouldn't even fight Gene Tunney and Tunney refused to meet Gibbons. He has been trying to match Gibbons with some good fighter for the Christmas fund, but they all say no."

Firpo, according to Rickard, refuses to fight Gibbons, Remault or Godfrey, but he has accepted a match in Newark against Charley Weinert, a fourth rater.

Benny Leonard is stage-struck and is off the fight business, although he is training to get some publicity. Pancho Villa is under a year's suspension for running out of a match against Frankie Genaro. Mike McGuire is in bad with the commission and so is Mickey Walker, the only willing champion of the whole bunch. Abe Goldstein is matched to fight Eddie Martin for the bantamweight championship, but Martin had to consent to take five per cent. of the house to get him.

While he will not admit it, it is practically certain that Jack Dempsey will never fight again. The heavyweight champion has told friends that he is through with the ring game and is going to "do a Corbett" as long as he can. He feels that he has made good in the movies and on the stage, and has a permanent income established as an actor. Dempsey has had his nose all fixed up to make himself pretty, and, according to his friends, he wants to get married.

Dempsey, it is understood, has established a \$200,000 trust fund in a New York bank for his family. He has bonds and real estate holdings worth \$600,000 and has an income of about \$5,000 a week from his vaudeville contract and from the first movie he made, which is still making money in the rural districts.

The champion claims that no fighter living can keep in form by boxing once a year or less. He tells friends he learned that a well in the Gibbons fight and that it is impossible for him to get enough fights to keep on the proper edge.

FAIR VALE TO HAVE BALL PARK

Suitable Grounds Given to Players by Hugh H. McLellan.

Baseball enthusiasts in Fair Vale are actively engaged making a baseball diamond for next season. The team has been given a well in the Gibbons fight and that it is impossible for him to get enough fights to keep on the proper edge.

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BOWLING MATCHES

Results of League Games Played Last Evening.

Y. M. C. I. House League.

Rolls	Score	Total
McCluskey	85	80
Wall	81	71
Hayden	79	73
Lane	86	89
Holland	86	89
Hazelwood	77	81

Rolls	Score	Total
Lincolns	88	84
Winchester	88	84
Dever	87	86
Morrison	70	73
Daley	109	73

Clerical League.

Rolls	Score	Total
M. R. A. Ltd.	86	105
Burnham	70	94
Connell	82	77
Armstrong	95	85
Jerkins	92	82

Rolls	Score	Total
Schofield Paper Co.	87	84
Campbell	87	84
Hayden	90	73
Connell	82	77
Mills	72	111
Hunter	86	89

C. and C. S. League.

Rolls	Score	Total
In the Civic and Civil Service League on the Imperial alleys last night the Customs took three points from the Hydros. The next game will be between the P. W. and W. S. Departments on Friday night. The scores were:		
Hydro	90	65
Stackhouse	80	85
Hartlin	80	85
Cunningham	71	82
Martin	69	77
Hatfield	73	75

Rolls	Score	Total
Customs	83	88
Abell	76	99
Wilson	74	77
Henderson	97	78
Wills	84	90
Yeomans	81	85

Commercial League.

Rolls	Score	Total
The New Brunswick Power Co. took all four points from the Opticians in the Commercial League last night. The scores were:		
N. B. Power Co.	87	80
Hoyt	87	108
Cunningham	71	82
Newton	89	77
Clark	84	84
Johnson	85	82

Rolls	Score	Total
Opticians	82	68
Halsall	76	73
Rolston	76	73
Rodwell	74	89
Epstein	88	79
Leary	102	99

Printers' League.

Rolls	Score	Total
The Times-Star took all four points from the Job Printers in the Printers' League last night. The scores were:		
Times-Star	64	80
Emma	85	77
Gaulton	84	61
Thomson	78	90
Ellison	83	88

Rolls	Score	Total
Job Printers	80	87
Priddle	61	55
McKenzie	43	48
Lemmon	74	82
Quinn	75	78

Inter-Association League.

Rolls	Score	Total
In two games in the Inter-Association League on the G. W. V. A. alleys last night, the G. W. V. A. took all four points from the Y. M. H. A. in the first game, but the Y. M. H. A. and the Garrison Club broke even with two points each in the second. The scores follow:		
First Game.		
Y. M. H. A.	85	83
A. Stern	76	90
Cohen	73	85
O. Stern	80	73
B. Fox	75	76
Gilbert	75	75

Rolls	Score	Total
G. W. V. A.	76	88
Roberts	76	80
Adams	94	86
Sweeney	89	80
Irving	100	98

Rolls	Score	Total
Second Game.		
Y. M. H. A.	83	81
A. Stern	77	83
Cohen	81	73
O. Stern	76	78
Fox	76	86
Gilbert	72	81

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MARITIME PLAYERS TO HAVE TRY-OUTS

The Major League Hockey Teams Seeking Material for Coming Season.

(Amherst Daily News.)

Several Maritime men have an opportunity of trying out in senior professional company this year. Edgar Wade of Marysville has received an offer from the Canadiens, while Jack MacEachern and Roy Provost of the Charlottetown Abbies, have been asked to try out with Art Ross Bostonians. Big Larry MacLean of Fredericton will be out in Saskatoon, with Newey Lalonde of Shelburne. Hec Grimley of Amherst will probably be with one of the new teams, although it has been rumored that he may work out with the St. Patrick's. Irvine Bickerton of the Ramblers, regarded as one of the best right wing players in the game last winter, has not been approached, but Bickerton will be considered to offer away from home. He is willing to play amateur hockey, providing he is reinstated, but otherwise will quit the game. Blair Carroll of Moncton may also be seen in faster company, and if any of the Maritimers make good, Carroll should be the lad. He is fast and tricky, with an abundance of hockey brains.

GIRL WILL TRY FOR MAT TITLE

Women Grapplers to Meet in Boston Tonight—Other Bouts.

Tonight will see the gentle wrestlers back at the Grand Opera House, says Doc Almy in the Boston Post.

The word "gentle" is not used in an ultra-sense, but refers to the female of the species.

In short, the women grapplers, at least two of 'em, will turn loose, and there will be a little turmoil to make it even more interesting.

EDGAR WADE TO GO TO SASKATOON CLUB

Fredericton, Nov. 6.—Edgar Wade, star defenceman of Marysville, has been ordered to report to Saskatoon Shrikes. Wade signed an agreement last week with Joe Page, of Montreal, giving an option on his services for fifteen days for either the Canadiens, of Montreal, or the New Boston Club, of the National Hockey League. The next thing he heard about it was a telegram from Newsy Lalonde, stating that his contract had been assigned to the Saskatoon Hockey Club by the Canadiens, and that transportation and expense money would be forwarded for him to report at Montreal on November 15.

Fred McLean, of this city, signed a contract some weeks ago to play the coming season with Saskatoon, the Shrikes, who were after him last season. He played in Boston in 1916 and was with the Quebec club in the National Hockey League some years ago.

MONCTON HIGH HERE SATURDAY

Arrangements have been completed by the management of the High School football team for an exhibition game with Aberdeen High School, of Moncton. The game will be played on the Sand Cove road grounds on Saturday afternoon and High School will go to Moncton the following day to play the return game. Moncton High School is reported to have a strong team as a number of last year's players are still in the line-up and these two schools should provide a good exhibition of football.

MALONEY WINS DECISION

Boston, Nov. 6.—Jim Maloney won the decision over Jack Sharkey in a tame ten-round final bout here last night. Both are local heavyweights.

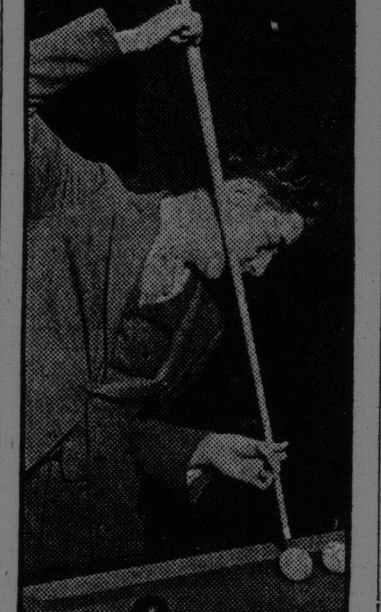
ICE CREAM ON WHEELS

London, Nov. 6.—An enterprising ice cream concern in London has organized a fleet of 400 tricycles to deliver ice cream throughout the city. Householders wishing to buy ice cream place specially printed cards in their windows. The ice cream is carried in insulated chambers fitted between the side wheels of the tricycles.

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COMING CHAMP.

Allen Hall, Jr., Looms Up as Three-Cushion Title Holder.



ALLEN HALL, JR.

Another champion is to be added to the list of three-cushion title-holders, according to a prophecy made by Charles C. Peterson, recognized as the leading developer of billiard material.

HOCKEY SEASON LOOKS PROMISING

Expect to Have Two Senior Leagues and Senior Team.

If the plans of those interested in hockey materialize, St. John should have a most successful season in that popular winter pastime. A movement is already on foot to have the strongest possible team brought together to represent the city in a provincial league and for exhibition games against some of the leading teams in the Maritime Provinces and Maine. It is also proposed to form a City League and a Commercial League and to play the games in Hilton Belyea's rink in West St. John.

FOOTBALL STAR OUTBOXED THE CHILEAN FOR 3 ROUNDS, THEN TIRED

New York, Nov. 6.—Quintin Romero of Chile and Sully Montgomery, centre college football star, drew in the six-round final to a series of heavyweight fights in Madison Square Garden last night. Montgomery, in his first important professional fight, outboxed the Chilean in the first three rounds and almost dropped his opponent in the fourth with a right to the jaw. Romero took the last two rounds. Montgomery tired rapidly and was badly beaten in the final session.

The ending of the Chilean to a draw was not only considered a feather in Montgomery's cap, but many of the 8,000 spectators of the bout disagreed with the decision, holding that Montgomery had outpointed his rival.

Rhode Island, the smallest state in the U. S., has more telephones than the entire republic of China.

PLANNING FOR THE OLYMPIC FUND FAIR

Representatives from Local Organizations Meet and Further Plans.

Final preparations for the big fair in aid of the Olympic fund to be held in St. Andrew's rink, opening on Nov. 8, and lasting until Nov. 15, were completed at a meeting of representatives of local clubs held last evening in St. Andrew's rink with A. W. Covey in the chair. W. C. McQuade acted as secretary. Mr. Covey announced that Mayor Potts had been invited to open the fair officially on Saturday night. Invitations to be present will be extended to Premier Veniot, Hon. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, Hon. Dr. W. F. Roberts and Hon. J. Rand. An official program is being prepared for the opening night, details concerning which will be announced later. The construction of the booths under George Lawson has progressed rapidly and volunteers are asked to be on hand tonight to help with the decorations.

KENNEL CLUB TO HOLD BENCH SHOWS

Plan for Winter Season—Officers Elected for the Ensuing Year.

A meeting of the New Brunswick Kennel Club was held last evening in their room at the market building. Reports showed that the club was in a good financial condition. Officers were elected as follows: President, R. B. Legke; first vice-president, John Scott; second vice-president, C. E. Sullivan; secretary, F. Kerr; treasurer, J. V. McLelland; executive committee: W. F. Kierwan, Kellie Wilson, E. J. McGuire, H. R. Brodie, R. Jamieson and Robert Magee. It was decided to hold night bench shows during the winter months.

GIANTS TO TRADE GROH AND MEUSEL

Brooklyn, Boston and Chicago Teams Anxious to Land Them.

According to advices from New York, both Heinie Groh and Irish Meusel will be missing from the Giants' line-up next season. Both are considered good prospects for trading purposes and it is an open secret that the Dodgers are very anxious to land Heinie Groh, as they are badly in need of a good, dependable third baseman, while Meusel would be acceptable to either the Cubs or Braves. McGraw is in a position to allow both these players to go if he can secure additional strength for his pitching staff. In Lindstrom he has an exceptionally brilliant young third baseman, who showed his wares at the recent world's series. As far as the outer garden is concerned, McGraw has no need to worry, for he has a strong quintette in Kelly, Young and Wilson and good substitutes. Groh is one of the best third basemen in the National League, but his legs are beginning to give out and he is therefore considered more or less of a gamble.

SAY JUSTICE SERVED IN VALENTINO CASE

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—"The department is fully convinced that the ends of justice were served to the fullest extent, and that the decision of the executive is in absolute conformity with the principles governing the exercise of the royal prerogative."

TWO NAMED FOR HALIBUT INQUIRY

Victoria, Nov. 6.—J. D. Babcock, deputy commissioner of fisheries for British Columbia, will be one of Canada's two representatives on the international halibut commission which will commence an exhaustive investigation into the depletion of the halibut fisheries of the Pacific coast. Announcement of Mr. Babcock's appointment reached here from Ottawa. The other Canadian on the commission will be W. A. Pound, director of fisheries for Canada.

FOX TERRIER PUPPIES SOLD

Montreal Breeder Sells Ten to New York Newspaper Writer.

Montreal, Nov. 6.—One of the biggest deals in wired-haired fox terriers in recent years was put through last week by James Strachan, Montreal owner and breeder. Mr. Strachan received an order from Frank Dole, writer on the New York Herald and Harper's Bazaar, for ten puppies. These dogs were shipped to New York, and word was received that they had arrived in a healthy condition. Included in the lot are offspring of the best show dogs at the Strachan kennels. High prices were paid for the puppies, which will be used for show purposes in the United States.

FAMOUS TRAINER RETIRES FROM TURF

Richard Marsh Ends Career—Known as "Royal" Trainer.

London, Nov. 6.—Richard Marsh, one of the foremost trainers of race horses on the English turf, has retired from active duty. For many years Mr. Marsh has been known as the "Royal" Trainer.

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ARRANGING FOR MANY BIG BOUTS

First Will be Between Tommy Gibbons and Kid Norfolk.

New York, Nov. 5.—The signing today of Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul light heavyweight, and Kid Norfolk, veteran negro pugilist, for a 15-round match at Madison Square Garden on Dec. 8, probably will mark a renewal of activity in heavyweight ranks lasting through the winter season.

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