

THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Two Champions
Sign Contracts

Carpentier - Dempsey Agreement Has 27 Clauses - Division of \$500,000.

New York, Nov. 5.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight boxing champion, and Georges Carpentier, European title holder, signed a contract here today binding them to meet next March or between May 29 and July 4 to decide the championship of the world.

The agreement, which has twenty-seven clauses, calls for a bout of from 10 to 15 rounds, to be fought in the United States, Canada, Mexico or Cuba, "where contests of the character are permitted by law."

With the signing of the formal contract, Jack's manager, as manager for Dempsey, and Francisco Descamps, acting for Carpentier, deposited \$50,000 as earnest of their intention to make good by producing the principals at the time and place which shall later be definitely fixed.

Under the terms of today's compact, the half million dollars prize money will be divided twenty-four hours before the contest, Dempsey receiving \$250,000 and Carpentier \$250,000.

Each fighter in addition is to hold 25 per cent of the moving picture corporation stock while the other fifty per cent goes to the three joint promoters, Tex Rickard, Chas. Cochran and William Brady.

Referee's Names Submitted
The parties to the contract submitted a list of five names from which it is proposed to select the referee and judges with a proviso that in case the best is to be held in a place where boxing is controlled by a state commission, the selection must be satisfactory to such commission. The names offered for the position are Edgren, William Brown and James J. Corbett, of New York; James J. Jeffries, of Los Angeles; Otto Fio, of Kansas City and James F. Donoghue, of Philadelphia.

Edgren, who made the sole arbiter of any disputes which may arise between any of the contracting parties with final authority to decide and award any distribution of the forfeit money as provided in the contract. It is further stipulated that the ring shall be from eighteen to twenty feet square. A provision also is inserted giving the promoters a thirty day extension from the finally selected day for the bout, in case the contest cannot take place at the site and time so selected due to causes beyond the control of the promoters.

Place of Battle
While there is an apparent air of mystery and uncertainty as to the time and place of the battle, it is generally accepted that unless there is stern opposition from the New York State Boxing Commission the bout will be held in a special open-air arena to be erected within or very close to the city limits of New York.

The date for such a contest will be between the middle of June and the fourth of July, in case the bout can not be held in New York State for any reason, it probably will be shifted to New Jersey, Canada, Cuba, and Mexico are not being considered at present and will not, unless it is found impossible to stage the fight in the United States.

The amount of the purse is so large that it is impossible to hold the bout during the winter or spring months, in a permanent building or enclosure, except at prohibitive prices. The moving picture operators also prefer daylight to artificial light for their work. In addition both Dempsey and Carpentier are tentatively scheduled to box during the month of March. Carpentier, who sails for France tomorrow, is expected to engage in a contest with Antonio Carlo, while Dempsey has personally announced that he will box Jess Willard again on March 11. This accounts for the provision in the contract that in case either principal shall be defeated prior to their meeting losing his title by knock out or referee's decision that the promoters shall have the right to terminate the contract within two days after such defeat, without, however, the loss of forfeit by any of the parties concerned.

Comiskey Makes
Public Statement

New York, Nov. 5.—Jacob Ruppert and T. L. Huston, owners of the New York club of the American League, last night made public a statement from Charles A. Comiskey, owner of the Chicago Americans, dealing with the 1919 world series scandal.

The statement, a reply to the request from the New York owners, seeks to counteract the impression that prevails that Mr. Comiskey had been delinquent in exposing the scandal and that credit should go to President Johnson, of the American League for doing so.

Mr. Comiskey declared that the first intimation he received of crookedness in the series was regarding H. C. Redmond, of St. Louis, who claimed he lost \$5,500 on the White Sox by being double-crossed.

Redmond was interviewed, said Comiskey, by Manager Gleason and "Tip" O'Neil, but the story he told was so vague and uncertain in character that no one would be justified in taking affirmative action such as would destroy the character and reputation of men, even though they were ball players.

Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—Jimmy Brown, of Trenton, gave Jack Brasos, Hazleton, Pa., a severe beating here tonight in an eight-round bout. Brasos, cracked freely in the last two rounds, and at the end of the fight he was completely exhausted.

Intense Interest
In Today's Game

St. John High Eleven Will Battle With Fredericton on Latter's Gridiron.

The St. John High School leave this morning with large delegations of fans for Fredericton, where this afternoon the local boys play a game of football with the team in the Capital. The line-up of St. John will be about the same as that of last Saturday, and all the request of Fredericton the principal of St. John High vouched that each member of the local team was a scholar attending the local school. The request is perhaps all right, but it goes without saying that St. John High had no intention of placing some "lineup" on their team. This game will decide who becomes the winners of the cup for this season. There is a great deal of interest in the match, and there will be a large following of the older football fans at the game, as it will certainly be a real scrap from start to finish, and the St. John boys will do their level best to bring home the bacon.

Local Bowling

Y. M. C. I. LEAGUE.
Games in the Y. M. C. I. House League last evening resulted in the Eagles winning four points over the Crows. Individual scores follow:

Eagles.	Crows.
Kelly	124 84 99 237 95 2-3
McAuliffe	88 91 85 264 88
Kane	75 98 77 250 83 1-3
Jennings	80 90 77 247 82 1-3
Garnett	92 91 82 265 83 1-3
	439 454 420 1313

Wellington League.
In the Wellington League series on the G. W. V. A. alleys, last night, the Customs team won three points from the Nashwaks. The scores follow:

Customs.	Nashwaks P. & P. Co.
Wills	63 82 84 234 78
Bryanton	69 77 82 228 76
Ross	82 72 74 228 76
Fukins	60 80 84 235 78
Willet	118 89 93 295 95 1-3
	392 410 417 1219

City League.
In the City Bowling League on Black's alleys last evening, the Nationals won from the Lions by three points. The scores were as follows:

Nationals.	Total Ave.
Quinn	97 90 111 298 99 1-3
Winchester	86 96 124 136 105 1-3
Railley	80 85 83 258 86
Appleby	88 96 280 93 1-3
Ward	109 101 295 98 1-3
	434 478 535 1447

Commercial League.
In the Commercial League on Black's alleys last night the Imperial Optical Co. took three points from the T. S. Simms Co. The scores follow:

Imperial Optical Co.	Total Ave.
C. Cunningham	87 89 82 258 86
Macdonald	67 93 85 245 81 2-3
Rockwell	82 88 258 86
C. Cunningham	77 85 259 78 2-3
Stanton	78 73 239 76 2-3
	391 420 419 1330

T. S. Simms.
Tower 83 72 318 73 2-3 || Rogers | 81 83 94 257 85 2-3 |
Patrique	77 90 74 241 80 1-3
Olive	82 73 71 226 75 1-3
Swank	76 74 230 76 2-3
	385 391 386 1172

Tonight Ames Holden-McCreedy Co. will roll the Smith Brokerage.

American League
Special Meeting

Chicago, Nov. 5.—A special meeting of the American League will be held here November 8, according to an announcement of B. R. Johnson, president of the league.

Mr. Johnson explained that the meeting was to discuss league matters and it was expected some action for re-organization of baseball and creation of a new National Commission or governing body would be taken up.

MANAGER BURKE RELEASED.
St. Louis, Nov. 5.—Jimmy Burke yesterday was released as manager of the St. Louis American baseball club. No successor was announced.

Burke became manager in the middle of the 1918 season, succeeding Fielder Jones.

New York, Nov. 5.—Joe Lynch, New York bantamweight, knocked out Abe Goldstein, also of this city, in the eleventh round of a fifteen round match at Madison Square Garden tonight.

American League
President Talks

Ban Johnson Intimates There Will Be No Joint Session in Chicago Monday.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—President Johnson of the American League, today intimated that there will be no joint session of the major league club owners in Chicago Monday afternoon.

Johnson's stand was taken by fans to be his reply to the reports from New York that President Heydler, of the National League had issued a second invitation to the American League executive and to the "royal five" club owners supporting Johnson to join with the National League and the Chicago, New York and Boston American League club in session here Monday afternoon.

President Johnson yesterday issued a call for a special meeting of all the club owners of the American League, to discuss league matters. The session was set for Monday morning in Chicago.

Change is Necessary.
Johnson's forces, consisting of the Cleveland, St. Louis, Detroit, Washington and Philadelphia clubs, while agreed that a change in baseball laws is necessary, in the light of the recent scandal exposed, object to the feature of the League plan of baseball re-organization which calls for a governing body of disinterested parties to succeed the present National Commission.

A special meeting of the National League club owners had been called for Monday by President Heydler. The joint meeting Monday afternoon of National and American League club owners has been expected for some time. Many minor league club owners and managers will spend Monday in Chicago and Tuesday the storm centre will move to Kansas City, where the National Association meets.

Raymond Botcazon
Wonderful Golfer

(London Daily Mail & Cross-Atlantic)
London, Nov. 4.—A wonderful French boy golfer was seen in the Kent professional championship won by Abe Mitchell on the North Foreland links at Broadstairs.

Raymond Botcazon, who has competed in the British open championship.

Broadly built, with the physique, indeed, of one several years his senior, but the pink-and-white complexion of boyhood, young Botcazon astonished everybody by his feats.

He was coupled, with the famous Abe Mitchell, and a large crowd followed. Very soon the onlookers found themselves equally interested in the boy—the youngest competitor in a professional competition seen in this country for a long time.

At the start he hit his shots almost before he had had time to think about them. His impulsive energy was in a youth who was making his debut in big golf and before a crowd—melted into the calm, calculating methods of a veteran when a friend gave him the hint to "take things more easily."

A critical gallery had no embarrassment for him. The farther he went the better he became, and in the end he gained eighth place in a field of 32 competitors.

His scores were 81 and 77. His 77 in the afternoon was only three higher than the best round of the day—74 by Mitchell and H. C. Jolly, who tied for first place. "He plays as coolly and easily as a champion" was the remark heard on every side.

At two holes in the morning—the sixth and the ninth—Botcazon drove to within 20 yards of the mighty-hitting Mitchell, the latter said afterwards that at each of these holes he obtained his best distance.

Botcazon did not do this every time, but his golfers of wide experience by what he did do. Especially was his touch near the hole. He kept on saving strokes by means of delicately played and friend-forged running pitches, which left him sufficiently near to hole the putts.

He was discovered three years ago on the course at La Boule, Versailles, by Lord Northcliffe, for whom he acted as caddy there. He is going to spend the next six months at Broadstairs to learn club-making and develop his game.

He has been playing golf since he was 6 years old. He begins his back swing like Arnold Massy, the great English golfer, on whose methods he has evidently moulded his style. Immensely keen—he practices early every morning, and, indeed, whenever he is not studying club-making—it will be a surprise if he fails to make a big name for himself in golf.

STOPPED THE BOUT.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—After warning Benny Valier, of New York, in the third round for not trying in his bout here tonight, with a boxer said to be "Pepico" Franklin Burns, the boxing commission ordered the bout stopped in the fourth round and held up the money coming to them.

New York, Nov. 5.—Elmer E. Shaner of Pittsburgh, who for more than a quarter of a century was identified with the management of all the big trapshooting contests held in the United States and Canada, yesterday was elected president of the American Trapshooting Association.

DEAD MEN
TELL NO
TALES

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Harvard Faces
Princeton Today

Game Will Be Played in Harvard Stadium—First Since 1916.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 5.—The big football season will open here tomorrow when Princeton faces Harvard in their annual game, played in Harvard Stadium this year for the first time since 1916. The contest is the first of the triangular series of the so-called "Big Three," and apparently bringing together two well-matched eleven although the strength of combatants does not lie along the same lines.

Harvard is expected to present a well-drilled and developed football machine, reasonably strong on both offensive and defensive, while Princeton is reported to have a looser but more brilliant individual attack and a defence which is far from being invulnerable.

Harvard is Favorite.
Harvard rules favorite in the betting. Last year the eleven played to a 10-10 tie. The Stadium, with a capacity of 40,000 was sold out two weeks ago.

Other important games scheduled for tomorrow are: Dartmouth vs. Cornell, at New York; Nebraska at Pennsylvania State; Brown at Yale.

Pittsburgh at Pennsylvania; Georgetown vs. Navy at Annapolis; Boston College at Boston University.

MAINE AT BOWDOIN.
Colgate at Rochester.

NEWSBOYS' RACE
THIS MORNING

Everything is complete for Mayor Schofield's Newsboys' road race this morning. The boys are to meet at the Imperial Theatre at 10:45 and will be taken from there to their starting points. The boys fourteen and over will go to the One Mile House in charge of Kenneth Haley, who will act as starter and judge. The boys from eleven to fourteen will proceed to Cooper's corner in charge of Ernest Stirling, physical director of the Y. M. C. I. The boys from nine to eleven will start from the head of Erine street and will be in charge of George Stubbs and the boys nine years and under will start at the head of St. Patrick street and be in charge of K. J. MacRae. The races will start at 11:20 sharp. The course for the boys in the one mile will be March road to Erine, along Union to Carmarthen, up Carmarthen and through the old grave yard to Sydney and finishing at the Imperial.

Frank White will officiate as referee of all the events. Captain Stokes will be the judge of the final. Mayor Schofield will also be at the finish. At the conclusion of the races the boys will be divided and will proceed to the Y. M. C. I. and the Y. M. C. A., where a luncheon will be served.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE.
Two more teams have entered the City Basketball League. Both teams will play in the Intermediate section of the league, they are the Orioles of Portland Methodist church and the Y. M. C. A. Business Boys.

English Team
In Australia

Cricketers Played Opening Match With South Australia Yesterday.

Adelaide, Nov. 5.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—A cricket match between the English team now visiting Australia and a team representing South Australia began here today. Going in on a tricky wicket, the South Australians were all out for 138. At the close of the day's play the English team had scored 201 for one wicket.

Russell was not out 101 for the visiting team. Parkins, of England, took eight wickets for 55.

ST. JOHN HIGH
PLAY FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Nov. 5.—Fredericton and St. John High School football teams will play here tomorrow in the game which will virtually settle the Intercollegiate Football League championship.

It is the intention of the Australian team to visit other central points in Canada.

London, Nov. 5.—The team of women hockey players from Philadelphia which recently arrived in England to play women teams here, were beaten at Wimbledon yesterday in the first match, played with the Surrey ladies team. The score was 5 to 2.

Boxing Commission
Announcement

New York, Nov. 5.—Boxers participating in bouts under the provisions of the Walker law hereafter must conform strictly to the clause providing the stipulated weight eight hours before contests, it was announced today by the State boxing commission.

Mutual agreements by principals to evade the law's weight requirements will not be tolerated, the commission announced.

The decision was said to have resulted from the alleged agreement on weights between Jackson and Fitzsimmons in their bout in Madison Square Garden last week.

WOMEN HOCKEYISTS
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Australians Broke
Two Tank Records

The Olympic Swimming Team Performed in Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—Two tank records were broken at Central Y. M. C. A. last night by the visiting Australian Olympic swimming team.

William Horold, paced by S. Mendelson, swam 100 yards in 58 4-5 seconds, lowering the previous mark by two seconds.

Frank Beaurepaire broke the tank record for 200 yards, covering the distance in 2:15 2-5.

Keith Kirkland failed to break the 50 yards record by two seconds, the previous mark being 26 1-5 seconds.

Miss Lily Beaurepaire, the champion lady diver of Australia, and Keith Kirkland gave a splendid exhibition of fancy diving.

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