### Rickard Has Signed Jack Dempsey: Wisterzel Joins Holdout Army .: American League Row Now Settled

### T. RICKARD LIKELY TO LAND BOUT

Carpentier's Manager States That American Promoter Has Dempsey's Signature for Bout.

New York, Feb. 11 .- (U. P.)-'T have nothing to say at this time," Tex Rickard said here today when asked about the announcement of M. Descamps, manager of Georges Carpentier, that he was almost sure of landing the Dempsey-Carpentier

Rickard admitted some time ago that he was in the field for the championship match and intimated that there was truth in the report prevalent for some time that he had obtained the promise of Dempsey's service in his next fight before the fight at Toledo last July, when he became champion.

DARIS, Feb. 11.-(U. P.)-Tex Rickard. American fight promoter, who staged the Dempsey-Willard fight, undoubtedly will put on the next world's championship contest between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier, according to M. Deschamps, manager of the European champion.

Deschamps, after announcing today he received assurance that Rickard had signed Dempsey, said he probably would sign with the American promoter,

In securing the signature of the world's champion. Rickard has outdistanced Theodore Vienne, Charles Cochran and William Fox, who made big offers for Carpentier's services, but were unable to get Dempsey's name on the agreement, he said.

Descamps left today with his charge following which they are to take a tour ing made for a return match. of Italy. Before leaving, Deschamps in statement to clear up the situation and

WILL SIGN IN U. S.

permit the American fans to know the he had signed Dempsey. Showing Dempsey's signature, through his representative here, he offered to come to Paris and sign with me. I replied then | 25. was unnecessary, as Charles B. Cochran, London promoter, had an option on Carpentier's services until February I and that as we were due in America shortly after that we could complete the negotiations there.

OUTDISTANCES RIVALS "Cochran is due from England today. COCHRAN HOPEFUL OF but I feel sure he has falled to secure Dempsey's signature and thus I am practically sure Rickard will stage the are not correct.

For instance, Theodore Vienne, Paris, William Fox. New York, who made huge offers, got only the promise of the champion's services if they were able to sign Dempsey before we left for Amer-This I consider impossible, since Rickard has signed him.
"This morning I cabled Rickard au-

doux and Georges Papin, who are leaving with Carpentier and myself on the Lorain from Havre on March 13."

Carpentier's program in the United States calls first for a trip to California. where he will be engaged in motion pic-ture work, and will strive to master the English language. On May 3 we are to start a 10 weeks' exhibition tour in vaul-deville. This should allow us to get acclimated and by the time the exhibition tour is completed all details of the championship fight will have been set-

turn to France to train for the fight or to remain in the United States. Meanwhile, I would not be surprised to hear Carpentier in the face of the agreement that Dempsey would come to Europe, he has with me."

#### Federal Jury Is Making Inquiry In Dempsey Case

San Francisco, Feb. 11.-(L. N. S.) -The federal grand jury continued today its investigation of "The Dempsey Muddle," as the charges and counter charges over heavyweight champion's war status have come to be described by federal officers conducting the probe The motives behind the conflicting statements of Mrs. Maxine Dempsey, who first charged she had letters proving her former husband a "slacker" and later repudiated the statement, were under inquiry today by the grand jury.

New York, Feb. 11 .- (I. N. S.) -The trial of Jack Dempsey, arranged at the request by the army, navy and civilian board of boxing control, to determine his war status, will begin here this afternoon. Dempse will not attend, as his contract with the film company for which he is working, will not permit of his leaving the Pacific coast. The champion has sent a deposition and numerous documents asked for by the



that the feat was performed. Led by Judge Martin W. Hawkins, his 222 was high man and he held high Patterson, 133; Carl Huston, 27. average as well with a 205 for the all-stars. Jimmy Heffron was the only

A. S. Moody, who received the highest the Klines, Bell was top with 565 for on the independent ticket, the three games. Arrangements are be-

Troch Retains Trophy

"We will undoubtedly sign with by Frank M. Troeh of Vancouver, Wash., Dempsey through Tex Rickard as soon here yesterday, when the Washingtonian Dempsey through Tex Rickard as soon here yesterday, when the Washingtonian as we arrive in America," he said. "Developments have reached such a stage challengers withdrew after the first 50 the annual report of President Banks. This will enable the club to reduce its message from Rickard on December 20 was 36. Iowa won the team cup from outstanding gold notes to \$24,350, as authat I can announce the receipt of a targets had been thrown. Troch's score message from Rickard on December 20 was 96. Iowa won the team cup from last in which he gave assurance that Missouri, 89 to 87, while B. F. Elbert Showing of Des Moines, Iowa, won the individual of Philadelphia with 25 out of a possible George Grubb of Wetmore, Kan., and Troch of Vancouver, Wash., for the 125 bird event, Troch winning the shoot-off 49 to 48.

where he could make big money in ex-

here yesterday after a visit of several the year is approximately \$11,000." months to the United States. He exthe Carpentier-Dempsey match for Lon-

"Tex Ricard is my only serious competitor," said Cochran, "and there are mly two cities where such a bout can be staged-New York and London. It special law is passed, and there is lit-Asked if he had succeeded in getting

Dempsey to sign up, Cochran said: "No, he hasn't signed yet. He has good reasons for not signing before 13. The game insures the club team the end of February. William A. Brady three contests in Gregon, as battles will make the necessary arrangements against the Multnomah Amateur Athn my behalf."

"How about Carpentler?" "He's bound to me for the rest of and Monday nights.
this year and part of 1921. His share Instead of leaving of the money is to be 20,000 pounds and an additional 1000 pounds for expenses. Dempsey's share will be \$200,000. The flock of bidders now in Europe trying to land the fight may as well start for home, because they can't legally bind

### REGULARS WIN CLUB ELECTION

Martin Hawkins Only Independent Candidate to Be Chosen for Multnomah Board.

STRENGTH that lies only within the power of the secret ballot, was exnibited at the annual election of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club held in the club gymnasium Tuesday night. With feeling running high between the regularly nominated ticket for board of directors and the independents and with half 15 to 10 and kept the lead until the surface rumblings practically all for with about 12 minutes left to play. Mix the independents it looked as though a Grider was the big star of the game complete landslide was due for the "out-

TWO WITHDRAW

were to be elected with 16 having been nominated. It was announced before Myer Dubinsky. Timer, Hubert Johnson. the election that the resignations of . The First National Ban hoopers wor Carl Huston of the independent ticket and Lewis H. Mills of the "regulars" had been received but their names already nad been placed on the ballot, but the voters were told to disregard them.

The result of the election was the selecting of the regular ticket and one member of the independents. OR the first time during the f919-20 elected and the results follow: bowling season, the M. L. Kline pin Moody, 345; Arthur A. Allen, 292; E. D. smashers tasted defeat. It was at the Kingsley, 282; H. A. Sargent, 270; as soon as he arrived in America late in hands of a picked aggregation on the George W. Philbrook, 263; Dow V. Multnomah Amateur Athletic club alleys Walker, 253; Arthur A. Murphy, 253, and Captain Neilson the stars smeared their other results were: Lewis H. Mills, 186; way through 2916 pins as against 2673 Alma D. Katz, 162; T. Morris Dunne, for the champions. R. Volti Jones with 118; James H. Mackie, 138; Phil W.

other bowler to hit the 600 mark. For number of votes, was first nominated The holdover members of the board are C. Henri Labbe, Edward C. Sam-mons and George P. Dekum.

The trustees will meet next Monday Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 11.—The inter-state target challenge cup was won again Labbe is likely to be elected president succeeding W. W. Banks.

The club made a profit of approxi-July 1 has been granted. In his report Banks said: "An ex-

amination of the statement of income and expenses shows that the income of the club for the year just closed was \$49,000 in excess of the income for the High floor, starting at 8 o'clock. year 1918. This is made up as follows: ncrease in membership fees .... \$ 7,000 Increase in departmental income. 24,000 noon in the Washington High gymnas-"The operating expenses, nowever, lum between the Lincoln High and Ben-have greatly increased also. It will be son Tech hoopers. The contest starts

the sinking fund, 20 per cent of the net eree. LANDING TITLE CONTEST profits for the year. "With this brief explanation you will IVERPOOL, Feb. 11.-Charles B. understand that according to the finan- 11.-The P. J. basketball squad will ing options on the Frenchman's services L Cochran, fight promoter, arrived cial statement presented, the profit for meet the Albany college quintet on the or any act that any member feels af-

### Spokane Club Team To Play 'Bear Cats' ZIMMERMAN BOYS

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 11 .- The coast the two French champions, Charles Le- cannot be held in New York unless a trip for the S. A. T. C. basketball team was broadened this morning when Paul Weatherhead, manager of the club quintet, arranged a game to be played against the Willamette university team at Salem, Or., Friday night, February 13. The game insures the club team

etic club and the Multnomah Guard had already been listed for Saturday Instead of leaving Spokane Friday

night as was the original intention of the club squad. Manager Weatherhead will take the basketball players out of here Thursday night and arrive in Salem Friday afternoon. The team will of Tacoma in battle royal at Seattle leave Salem for Portland Saturday Friday night. Neil Zimmerman, Earl morning and remain in Pertland until

season of the Portland Interscholastic eague by defeating the High School of Commerce hoopers 22 to 17 in the Washington high school gymnasium Tues-day afternoon. The prep schoolers had Warring Factions Get Together figured on "easy pickings," but they were forced to extend themselves before the entertainment was completed. Columbia has won two and lost two in the campaign to date, while the Stenographers have been defeated four straight times.

Bus Douglas was the rallying star for the Purple and White wearers, for it was through his sensational field basket late in the second half that started the East Siders on their way. The Stenographers led at the end of the first with his 12 points.

The lineups: Speeches on both sides were heard following the annual report of President Johnson (6). F. (1) Gurian Johnson (6). C. (2) Paulbach W. W. Banks and as soon as the polls Douglas (6). G. (2) Febsee Hearing 

> from the Woodmere contingent 56 to 1 at Holladay school last week and tonight they meet the Highland Young Men's club. The return game against the Beaverton Electrics will be staged in Holladay school's gymnasium Febru-

Beaverton, Or., Feb. 11 .- The First National Bank baskethall team of Portland and the Beaverton Electrics staged a wonderful game here Monday night, 25 score. Rossi at guard for Beavers was the big star of the evening, but he scored all but three of his team's points. The lineups:

The B'nai B'rith gymnasium will be he scene of three basketball games tonight, the first to start at 7:15 o'clock. The main event is listed between the South Parkway aggregation and the Standifer Shipbuilders of Vancouver, Wash. Manager Sam Tessler of the Winged "S" looks for a big crowd and thorization of the retirement of \$15,000 he has made his arrangements accord-

> The Oregon City American Legion and the Maroon "F" club will meet Thursday night on the Washington

The next game of the Portland Interscholastic league is set for this afterlum between the Lincoln High and Bennecessary for the board to set aside in at 3:15 o'clock with Leon Fabre as ref-

Pacific University, Forest Grove, Feb. home floor Friday night. This is ex- fects his constitutional rights as a mempected to be one of the fastest games resulted in the score of 18 to 8, Pacific,

## TO BATTLE JONES

Contests Will Be Staged in Tacoma: Neil to Meet Harold and Earl to Box Morgan.

THE Zimmerman family of Portland A are going to meet the Jones family of Tacoma in battle royal at Seattle Zimmerman and Pa Zimmerman will be pitted against Harold Jones, Morgan Jones and Pa Jones.

This is the way they will be paired: versus Morgan, featherweights, and Pa Zimmerman against Pa Jones, any old pears.

Pa Zimmerman and Pa Jones will not wear boxing gloves. They will be chief seconds in the respective corners of their battling families and glare at each other and wonder how some men can have such boobs for sons.

In meeting Harold Jones, Nell Zimmerman, Portland's most promising suspension from the league.

lightweight, will be biting off the biggest fistic chunk he has ever attempted shall be rescheduled for the same city to digest. Harold Jones, not long ago, unless the game in question is the final as under the watchful eye of Chet Mc- one scheduled. In this case the game intyre and was being groomed for Coast may be transferred to the home city of championship honors. Then Harold ran the visiting club. into Peter Mitchle at the Heilig theatre here and lost his championship aspira-

The Zimmerman boys will be in better shape for this battle than for any of their previous fights. Both have been trained by Dick Dusenberry, the man who pilots McCormick to victory.

At that the sky pilot's young hopefuls have difficult tasks ahead of them this this week. The two boys are fighting at Milwaukie tonight, and will leave tomorrow for Seattle to meet the Jones erick W. Rublen, secretary of the A. A family. Two fights in one week for U., which conveys the information that one family is going some, in the words of the well-known poet.

## Oregon Aggies Win 2d Game From U.W.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvalversity of Washington basketball team 17 to 46 here last night, the Oregon Aggle hoopers now are leading the Pa-cific Coast Intercollegiate conference with five wins and one defeat. The match last night was close and hard fought and it was only by great defensive work on part of the locals that they managed to win. At the end of the first half the Aggies were leading, 10 to 6. Three substitutions were made, two of them by the Aggies. George A. Anderson of Portland was the referee. In a preliminary game the Oregon Ag-gie Freshmen defeated the Chemawa Indians 23 to 20.

Agrics. Washington.

Stinson (18) ... F ... (2) Talbot.

Arthur (2) ... F ... (4) Munson

McCart. ... C ... (2) Jamison

Reynolds. ... G ... (2) Nicholson

Hubbard ... G ... (6) Cook

Substitutes—Eikelman for Reynolds; Gurder

### BASKETBALL BASEBALL PEACE IS PEACE IS

After Long Session; Yanks to Dismiss Suits.

Chicago, Feb. 11 .- (U. P.) -- Harvey T. Woodruff, sporting editor of the Chicago Tribune, forged to the front today as the leading dark horse candidate for chairman of the national commission.

Woodruff, it was understood, is favored by the National league. The list of nominations to be made by the National league at the joint meeting today had simmered down from 15 to 4, it was reported.

The men still remaining on the list besides Woodruff, are "Big Bill" Edwards, collector of internal revenue at New York; John Conway Toole, attorney for the National eague, and State Senator James J. Walker of New York.

The meeting to select a chairman for the national commission was scheduled to begin shortly after

"HICAGO, Feb. 11.-(U. P.)-Peace C reigned in the American league today following the annual meeting of club owners, which ended at 2 a. m. culties and making it practically im possible for similar troubles to arise

again was unanimously adopted. The settlement appeared to be a com promise between the warring factions. All litigation instituted by the New son will be withdrawn; Carl Mays will 

S...... Slavens YANKS GET COIN

"The difficulties heretofore existing or any of its officers have been thoroughly settled once and for all. The proved resolutions to carry out the folowing: "First-The dismissal of all litteration

instituted by the New York American league club. "Second-The reinstatement of Carl Mays as a member of the New York American league club.

"Third-The recommendation to the national commission to award third place in the American league race to the New York glub and third place prize money to New York. "Fourth-The appointment of a com-

mittee of review or arbitration for two years, consisting of Colonel Jacob Ruppert and Clark Griffith, to act as a reviewing board, with final and binding power to review any penalties or fines in excess of \$100 or 10 days' suspension ber of the association. In case the reviewing board is unable to agree, a federal judge in Chicago shall decide the questions submitted," TO PICK CHAIRMAN

The joint meeting of the majors and minors to attempt to work out a new agreement, and a meeting of the National and American leagues were to BROTHERS FRIDAY be held today. A new national chairman may be chosen at the meeting of the two major league club owners. It was reported today that three names will be placed in nomination. Judge K. M. Landis, Chicago; William H. (Big Bill) Edwards, New York, and John C. Tools, National league attorney,

are the three mentioned. RULING TO PREVENT

LATE SEASON DEALS

Chicago, Feb. 11.—(U. P.)—The American league has adopted a rule to prevent winning a pennant by conspiracy. The resolution provided that no club may dispose of the services of any player by trade, sale or loan to any other flub in the league except by waiver, from July 1 until the close of Neil versus Harold, lightweights; Earl the season. Any club using a player transferred in violation of this rule forfelts all games in which the player ap-

> This was a measure taken to forestall any possibility at any time of a conspiracy between two or more clubs to keep a favored team in the running by the lending of players.

> Other resolutions adopted were: 1. Providing against tampering with ball players. Penalties—for first of-fense, \$1000 fine; for second offense,

#### Multnomah Bids For A. A. U. Tryouts

T. Morris Dunne, secretary-treasurer of the Pacific Northwest association and member of the championship committee of the Amateur Athletic Union, is in receipt of a telegram from Fred-U., which conveys the information that the tryouts for the Olympic games will be held in three parts of the United States about the middle of June. One tryout will be in the East, another in the Middle West and the third on the Pacific coast, and the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club will make application to hold the tryouts on Multnomah field for this section of the country. The message said that the 200-man

team to represent the United States at the Olympic games at Antwerp this summer would leave the United States about the middle of July after competing in the annual national Amateur Athletic Union track and field championships. This means that the national title events for 1920 will be held early in July, preferably somewhere near New York, and that the greatest galaxy of stars in the history of the events would be on hand. Troop college of Pasadena and Stanford university also have made application to hold the Pacific coast tryouts.

Stecher to Meet Londos

New York, Feb. 11.—(I. N. S.)—Joe Stecher, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, and Jim Londos, the Greek champion, have today been matched to meet in a finish bout at the Seventy-first regiment armory on February 20. Stecher will train for the match in an exhibition of bouts in Eastern cities.

# ASEBALL PEACE IS DECLARED Walker Likely Be Regular Ontract — Polson Signs Portland Contract — — Will Seattle Land Fournier NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New YORK, Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking Contract — New York Feb. 11.—(L. N. 8.)— Renny Legant Tolking C

LTHOUGH Frank Walker returned | the Charlotte team of the South Athis unsigned contract to the Port- lantic league. land baseball club's headquarters, Manager Walter McCredie believes that the D. D. McDonald, who is looking after temperamental outfielder will be one of the scheduling of spring training camp year in the ring again for 10 or 12 the regulars on the 1920 Beavers.

play with us until the first of August, and it is likely that we will meet his terms for that length of time. We might be able to land somebody else by that time who can fill his place. POLSON SIGNS UP

"I received another offer for Walker from Clymer, but he does not want to 1921 training camp of the Beavers. The give me the player I want, so the deal valley town lost out this year, by a few days, and in a long letter the Chamis still up in the air.'

ber of Commerce asks for careful con-sideration for next year. The ball park Along with Walker's contract was Wisterzil's unsigned papers, and the has been enlarged and many other insigned contract of Pitcher Harry G. olson. Letters were also received from Pitchers W. J. Lesher and R. K. Dunning, advising the Beaver boss where to send transportation.

The holdout tactics of Wistervil, who J. Kane, Yakima. is a smart ball player, are not bothering Manager Mac a great deal, since he been receiving many letters boosting Ray Spranger, the infleider secured from the Regina club.

Billy Speas, who was partly responsible for the Beavers' landing Spranger, claims that the Seattle youngster will beat "Tex" out of his job. Eddie Herr A resolution ending the present difficults a strong booster for Spranger, also.

FOURNIER FOR SEATTLE!

Is Jack Fournier, first baseman of the Los Angeles club, going to Seattle? On the face of the deal announced in Chicago Tuesday, whereby the St. Louis Cardinals turned over Pitcher Thomas, formerly of Seattle; Art Griggs, ex-Solon; Infielder McCauley of Kansas City and Catcher Hartley of Columbus to Los Angeles for Fournier and Fabrique one would be inclined to answer in the affirmative.

Seattle sent Thomas to the Cardinals for Pitcher Horstman, but this arrange-A statement issued following the meet- ment was called off and Horstman was sent to Kansas City for McCauley. Seattle expected to get McCauley and between the members of this association another infielder and a catcher for Thomas, but now it seems that Fournier, who wants to play with the meeting unanimously adopted and ap- Rainiers, is to be transferred to Seattle, along with Janvrin and a catcher. across something nice for Los Angeles,

for in Thomas and Griggs, the Angels

picked up a couple of good players and

McCauley will evidently prove to be a

better player than Fabrique. RED" MAY RETURN

Don't be surprised if "Red" Oldham s back with the Beavers next season. He has turned down Navin's offer to report to the Tigers and chances are that he will refuse to go East again. Oldham had one chance in the big brush and he wants to remain on the Coast, according to reports.

Lee Dempsey, the suspended first baseman of the Portland team, is wanted by Herb Murphy, manager of

the game with the Cubs, and McCredie

ably play 10 practice games, including

Santa Maria has put in a bid for the

The following bushers want trial with

provements have been made on it.

one with Chicago.

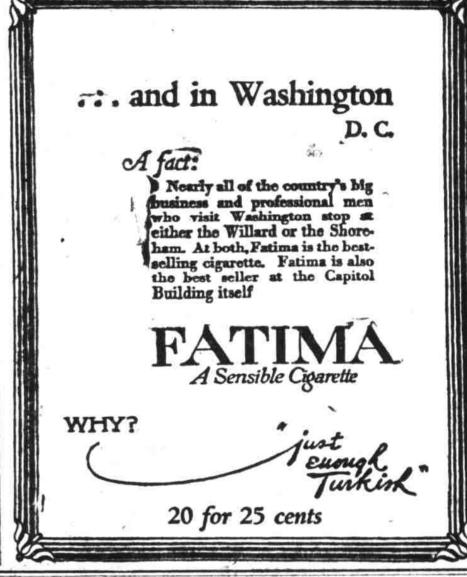
wired him to go ahead and do the dick-

champion, will leave here Sunday for California, where he will finish his games for the Beavers, sought informa-weeks but expects to take part in sev-"We have almost come to terms with tion from Judge McCredie in a tele-Walker," said Mac. "He is willing to gram Tuesday. McDonald wanted to know if Portland would arrange for c fic coast.

> St. Louis, Feb. 11.-(U. P.)-Champion ering himself. The B vers will prob Pete Herman held an easy victory today over Johnny Solberg of Brooklyn. Herman won six of the eight rounds in last night's bout.

Rickard Denies O'Dowd Report New York, Feb. 11 .- (U. P.)-Reports that he had cabled an offer of \$250,000 to Georges Carpentier to fight either Jack Dempsey or Mike O'Dowd, the middleweight champion, were branded as

musing" by Tex Rickard Tuesday. "I haven't made Carpentler any offer the Beavers: Sam Stuart, Cottage to fight O'Dowd," he said, "and I would Grove: G. D. Hollis, Taft, Cal., and K. not. I do not want to promote a fight between that pair."



### Abraham Lincoln

Instill the principles of the great Liberator into our young manhood and you will bring forth men with the deepest desire for right and justice—Citizens who can be relied upon as 100% American.



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