

# Tex Rickard Likely to Bid for Dempsey-Carpentier Championship Fight for the Garden

## Tex Rickard Plans Bout For Garden

By Jack Velock  
 NEW YORK, July 13.—(L. N. S.)—Ancient Madison Square Garden, which has been the scene of many a historic struggle, is destined to see many a boxing champion defend his crown within the next few years.

Tex Rickard, the "Houdini" of boxing promoters, has today acquired a 10-year lease on the famous old building and announces that he will stage 15-round bouts to decisions under the new Walker boxing law goes into effect.

Rickard will make the garden a mecca for the staging of sporting events. Such classics as the horse show and the circus will continue to be housed in the garden, but Rickard's acquisition of the sporting means more to metropolitan boxing fans, as well as others from many outside points.

Benny Leonard, the world's lightweight champion, will be one of the first title holders to defend his crown under the Rickard regime at the garden, according to present plans and when the time is finally paved for a battle between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier, Rickard will be on the ground with an attractive bid for the match.

Dempsey and Carpentier, the Chicago brawler, may meet in the garden shortly after Rickard takes possession on August 1.

## COCHRAN'S CONTRACT IS MISREPRESENTED HERE

By Forbes W. Fairbanks  
 London, July 13.—My contract with Carpentier again has been misrepresented in cables from New York by quoting his manager, Deschamps, as saying that Carpentier is tied to me till the end of the year," said Pugilistic Promoter Cochran today.

"The facts are that Carpentier cannot even negotiate this year to fight Dempsey in 1921 unless I am represented. On January 1 next Deschamps will be free to talk to other promoters, but he cannot hold the fight prior to July, 1921, except under my auspices, which is deadlocked. I appreciate Dempsey's wish to fight in the United States, but I hope he will reconsider and come to London. Jack has a firm offer from me for \$200,000 to meet the Frenchman here. Carpentier's share in the written contract is set at 40,000 pounds (normally about \$200,000), also.

"I shall see Deschamps in Paris as soon as he arrives from New York."

## Baseball

THE Chautauque league has secured the services of three star twirlers of the Portland Baseball association, but this will not interfere with the trio playing in the P. B. A. games Sunday. Pink Dearthoff of the Hesse-Martin Iron works will go to Estacada, Charley "Carl May" Schwartz has been signed up by the Oregon City nine, while "Lefty" Leontetti will twirl for West Lynn of Gladstone.

The umpire's decision in giving Hood River the game over the Kirkpatrick All-Stars at Hood River Sunday was upheld by the board of managers of the P. B. A. at the weekly meeting Monday night. The Portlanders walked off the field in the last half of the ninth and the match was forfeited to the Apple Growers, 9 to 0.

Arrangements for the P. B. A. dance on board the Swan Friday night, July 23, are being made. A report of the committee in charge was made at the session Monday night and everything looks toward a record breaker attendance.

A picnic will be staged by the "bushers" during the month of August and President Rutledge of the P. B. A. has the matter in hand. The date has not been set, but it will be when all the players and managers, along with their friends, will be able to take in the affair.

Failure on the part of one of the officials of the P. B. A. to send the players' contracts to the right party caused the board of managers to disregard the protest against the Crown-Williamette Paper Mills team of Oregon City. The Clackamas county outfit had been charged with playing athletes who were not signed up, but it was brought out at the meeting Monday night that no contracts from the league had been received by the right manager.

Umpire Lance of the P. B. A. spent considerable time receiving congratulations and passing out the cigars Monday night. He was married last week and the boys were on hand to greet him.

Columbia Park defeated the Cook & Gill team, 12 to 4, last Sunday, but Sunday so doing four ineligible players were used and as a result the game was thrown out and given to the Cook & Gill delegation.

A feature of the proposed P. B. A. picnic next month will be a baseball game between the managers and umpires of the association. This alone should be well worth the price of admission.

The Class AA league schedule was announced Monday night. The Hesse-Martin Iron works is slated to meet the Union Pacific Arieta "WOWS" tangle with Taylor Motor Car company. Kendall station versus Crown-Williamette, American Can company versus Carman's local, and Columbia Park goes to Battle Ground, Wash. The Union Pacific team has failed to put on a game for the league game for the last three weeks, it is charged, and not wishing to take any chances of not having a game Sunday, Manager Lowry of the Hesse-Martin tossers has made arrangements to have the Columbia Park Maroons on the grounds to stage a substitute match can take place should the Railroaders fail to appear.

The Multnomah Guard and Kirkpatrick All-Stars are billed to use the Vaughn street grounds Sunday afternoon, and on the following Sunday the league leading Crown-Williamette team is slated to meet the Hesse-Martin boys on the Vaughn street diamond. When the two squads met last time a 3 to 1 14-inning game was the result.

The National Broom company staged a great game against the Tigard tossers at Tigard, Sunday. The final count was 4 to 2. The holding of Metser at first was the feature of the winners' play, while Deltzer, twirling for Tigard, struck out nine of the winners.

Twenty runs were scored in the Multnomah Guard-Hillboro game Sunday with 13 of them being credited to the

## Second Half of Coast Race Opens All Clubs Could Use Good Hurlers

Records of Coast Clubs During the Second Quarter of 1926 Pennant Race

Club	G.	Won	Lost	Tie	AB.	Runs	Hits	Pct.	E.
Portland	52	28	22	2	1752	196	469	.278	77
Los Angeles	52	23	29	—	1729	281	526	.302	67
Salt Lake	50	30	20	—	1694	225	479	.283	75
Seattle	51	22	28	—	1725	139	485	.276	92
San Francisco	53	31	22	—	1745	221	469	.257	103
Oakland	53	32	21	—	1842	229	485	.274	71
Vernon	53	32	21	—	1710	132	413	.248	79
Sacramento	53	29	24	—	1710	132	413	.248	79

By George Bertz  
 TUESDAY'S game marked the opening of the second half of the Pacific Coast league pennant race. The clubs will be lined up this week as they were three months ago. At Salt Lake, Seattle at Sacramento, Vernon at San Francisco, and Oakland at Los Angeles.

Portland would be a dangerous club to beat if the McCredies could get hold of some good pitching talent. The Beavers have started to cull his players, just as he did with his R. I. R. chickens, and should he be able to replace them there is no reason why the club should not go ahead.

He has been after a couple of the Western Canada leaguers, but has met with reverses, the teams owning the

During the second quarter of the pennant race only three clubs, Vernon, Salt Lake and Los Angeles, succeeded in winning more than half their games. Seattle and Portland did the best among second division teams, winning 23 and losing 23 games, while the Seals came near dropping out of the first division by dropping 10 out of 52 contests.

The Bees topped the clubs in batting for the seven weeks, hanging up 626 hits in 1739 trips to the plate for an average of .303. The Seattle Rainiers moved up to second place as the result of the great spurt on their grounds during the past two weeks. Portland ranks third in hitting with .283.

**BEAVERS LEAD IN FIELD**  
 Salt Lake also topped the clubs in scoring runs, putting over 231 in 50 games, an average of over five a game. The Angels spiked the plate 255 times, in 1739 trips to the plate for an average of .303. The Seattle Rainiers moved up to second place as the result of the great spurt on their grounds during the past two weeks. Portland ranks third in hitting with .283.

**ALL HAVE CHANCE**  
 Los Angeles has strengthened its outfield by securing Statz from the Red Sox, but like all other managers, Killifer could use a couple of pitchers. It will be a merry chase for that pennant and any one of the eight clubs can grab the title, as there is not so great a difference between the leaders and the tailenders.

players replying that negotiations are pending with major league clubs.

Vernon has a strong offensive club, but like every other team could use a good pitcher or two. Another catcher would greatly increase the Tigers' pennant chances and Bill Essick says he has one coming up. Maybe Bill will get one from the Yankees, as the New York Americans have exercised their option on Johnny Mitchell, the Tiger shortstop.

Salt Lake needs stronger pitching, but the Bees are such a heavy hitting organization that they win with most any kind of hurling. The Seals appear to be wrecked by the loss of Smith and Seaton, pitchers, and Koerner, first baseman. Graham's action in handing two good pitchers their release when his club was up in the race practically killed his chances to annex the rag, as he has been unable to get any help from the majors.

## Tennis Play Will Start At M' Club

ARRANGEMENTS have been made whereby the first round of the Oregon state tennis championships will be played on the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club Tuesday because of the fact that the Irvington club courts are too wet to permit play the first day.

"We are in the hands of the weather man," said Walter A. Goss, chairman of the committee in charge, as he gazed skyward out of his Corbett building office Tuesday morning. "but we are going to do everything in our power to complete the tournament this week. The 'Winged M' courts will be used today and tonight, with permitting of course, and just as soon as the Irvington clubs become dry we will go there to play the rest of the matches."

Quite a number of players who were scheduled to play defaulted their matches and notified the committee to this effect and this means that the tournament will be run off as promptly as possible. At this time there are 58 entries in the men's singles who have been waiting for good weather to start operations.

The committee arranged a new schedule for Tuesday and the original one set for Monday is to be disregarded. Play in the women's singles will start Tuesday and the doubles, men's women's and mixed, will start Wednesday, according to present plans.

Following is the complete schedule announced for Tuesday:

10 a. m.—Corra Hiertas versus Adele Jones; H. E. Forster versus Lewis; Lewis versus Miles Standish; S. A. Bingham versus Henry Neer; Everett Johnson versus F. E. Harrigan.

11 a. m.—Marjane Bishop versus Mrs. W. L. Northup; Mildred Wilson versus Mrs. F. E. Harrigan; Melaine Steffen versus Ruth Carlson; Mrs. J. C. Cushing versus Janet Ettlinger; A. A. Ellsworth versus Herbert Sweet.

12 a. m.—Dr. R. J. Chipman versus Harry Gray; B. R. Bildebach versus Paul Bettner; Rogers MacVeach versus Irving Weinstein; Lily Cooper versus Bartlett Cole.

1 p. m.—Theodore J. Steffen versus winner of Cole-Cooper match; C. C. Rolph versus Harry Westerman; winner of Wilkes-Wilkes match versus winner of Bildebach-Bettner match; Harriett Johnson versus Stella Fordinger; Henry Hertz versus Jack Westerman; Collin Wolfard versus David Goodall; Walter Goss versus winner of Westerman-Rolph match; Frances Howell versus winner of Mrs. Northup-Miss Bishop match.

2 p. m.—James McBride versus Mrs. John R. Norton; W. B. Wheeler versus E. B. Bain Jr.; Phil Neer versus A. S. Frohman; Geri Gartner versus Ed Murphy; winner of Miss Steffen-Miss Forster match versus winner of Mrs. Harrigan-Miss Wilson match.

4 p. m.—Helen Hall versus Irene Campbell; Kenneth Barlow versus Walter Erickson; Ray Casey versus John R. Norton; M. C. Frohman versus Irving Weinstein; E. H. Standish versus A. B. Malpin.

5 p. m.—Iona Fairchild versus Gertrude Shreiner; Ronnie Burke versus winner of Mrs. Cushing-Miss Steffen match; Harold Wilkins versus W. H. Mackay; W. Wood versus winner of Wolfard-Goodall match; winner of Miss Fordinger-Miss Bishop match versus winner of Miss Foster-MacLachlan match.

6 p. m.—Jacin Neer versus James Shiver; J. Gray versus J. P. Makler; A. D. Watson versus J. S. McGinnis.

Guard delegation, Culver was his second straight for the Portland team all around touched up for 10 hits. The score:

Multnomah Guard ..... 12 15 5  
 Hillboro ..... 7 7 4  
 Batteries—Culver and Mattson; Taggart, Nelson and Baker.

Sherwood remained in second place in the Intercity league by winning 1 to 1 from the Portland Iron works. Myers for the winners struck out 16 and allowed six hits. The score:

R. H. E.  
 Sherwood ..... 4 8 1  
 Portland Iron Works ..... 1 2 2  
 Batteries—Myers and Baker; Miller and Meyers.

Following is the schedule for next Saturday in the Inter-city circuit:

Guards vs. Kirkpatrick's, Vaughn street grounds, Portland. Censors at Hood River; Camas at Hillboro; Iron Works vs. Sherwood; Astoria and Hon Work open dates.

## TEAM STANDINGS

Pacific Coast League

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Salt Lake .58 40 .331	Portland .43 40 .485
Vernon .54 43 .574	Seattle .41 54 .432
Los Angeles .54 43 .587	Oakland .42 58 .420
San Fran. .46 46 .311	Sacramento .40 56 .417

Western League

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Brooklyn .46 42 .590	Pittsburg .35 38 .493
Cincinnati .42 51 .575	Boston .31 38 .463
St. Louis .40 49 .506	New York .31 41 .431
Chicago .39 40 .494	Philadelphia .30 43 .411

American League

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Cleveland .51 26 .662	St. Louis .37 39 .487
New York .47 37 .560	Philadelphia .35 38 .479
Chicago .47 29 .618	Detroit .23 50 .315
Washington .37 35 .514	Philadelphia .21 59 .263

## King George Pilots Vessel to Victory

(By United News)  
 LONDON, July 13.—King George in his own person, the skipper rather than the crew, went back to the days of his seamanship when he was England's sea captain prince, and captured the hand-cup race for vessels over 74 tons at the Clyde regatta Monday.

King George personally commanded the yacht Britannia, and displayed his ability as a navigator by a brilliant contest which for pure skill brought the spectators on boats following the contest to the height of enthusiasm.

Never was this the only feature of the Clyde regatta, which was auspiciously revived after a lapse of five years. Showing their real sportsmanship, her majesty the queen, and Princess Mary, clad in heavy oilskins, were members of the crew of the victorious royal yacht.

## England Is Not Feared in Big Games

By James E. (Ted) Meredith  
 NEW YORK, July 10.—Two very important track and field meets have been held in England in the past 10 days, the English championships and the dual meet between Oxford and Princeton. These meets have given us a great opportunity to size up the athletes that will be pitted against our boys later in the summer at Antwerp. We have been able to better judge the abilities of the foreigners, due to the fact that the Princeton team was in both the meets.

## Lew Tendler Wins Bout From Jackson

Philadelphia, Pa., July 12.—(L. N. S.)—Lew Tendler, Philadelphia's finest pugilist, has today earned a rather high rating in lightweight circles as a result of his eight-round bout with Willie Jackson. Tendler won a popular decision over Jackson in a furious bout before a capacity crowd at the Phillips ball park. The bout was one of the fastest ever witnessed here. Jackson put up a great fight and Tendler's strategy alone won him the edge over the New York boxer.

Salem Plans Golf Tourney  
 Salem, July 13.—Golf tournaments for both men and women, and tennis matches, are to play a big part in the state Elks' convention entertainment here July 22-24. Silver trophies, vases, caddy bags and cash are among the prizes offered.

## Major Leagues

National

At Chicago (1st game)	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	109 122 100-15 1
Chicago	200 018 010-4 5 8
Batteries—Grimes and Miller; Martin and O'Farrell.	
Second game:	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	110 005 000-10 12 0
Chicago	080 001 100-2 7 4
Batteries—Smith and Krueger; Hendrix and Killifer.	
At Cincinnati:	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	001 000 002 0-1 4 1
Cincinnati	110 010 000 1-4 12 2
Batteries—Smith, Cussey and Wheat; Withrow, Fisher and Wings.	
At Pittsburg:	R. H. E.
Boston	000 020 000 00-3 8 0
Pittsburg	209 080 080 01-2 11 1
Batteries—Fillizgin and Gowdy; Adams and Schmidt.	
At St. Louis:	R. H. E.
New York	020 000 100 0-2 8 2
St. Louis	100 080 000 1-2 8 3
Batteries—Taney and Smith; Haines, Clemens and Dilhefer.	

## Resolute Is Taken Back To Drydock

By Francis J. White  
 SANDY HOOK, N. J., July 12.—(L. N. S.)—The American cup defender Resolute was taken to dry dock today to have her under sides polished once again before the first of the international races is sailed on Thursday.

A coating of oil which gathered on her hull despite precautions taken by her skipper in having her enveloped in a canvas covering, was the cause of her sudden removal from Sandy Hook. The defender may remain in dry dock until late Wednesday night or early Thursday morning. Again, she may be towed back here for another spin over the cup course.

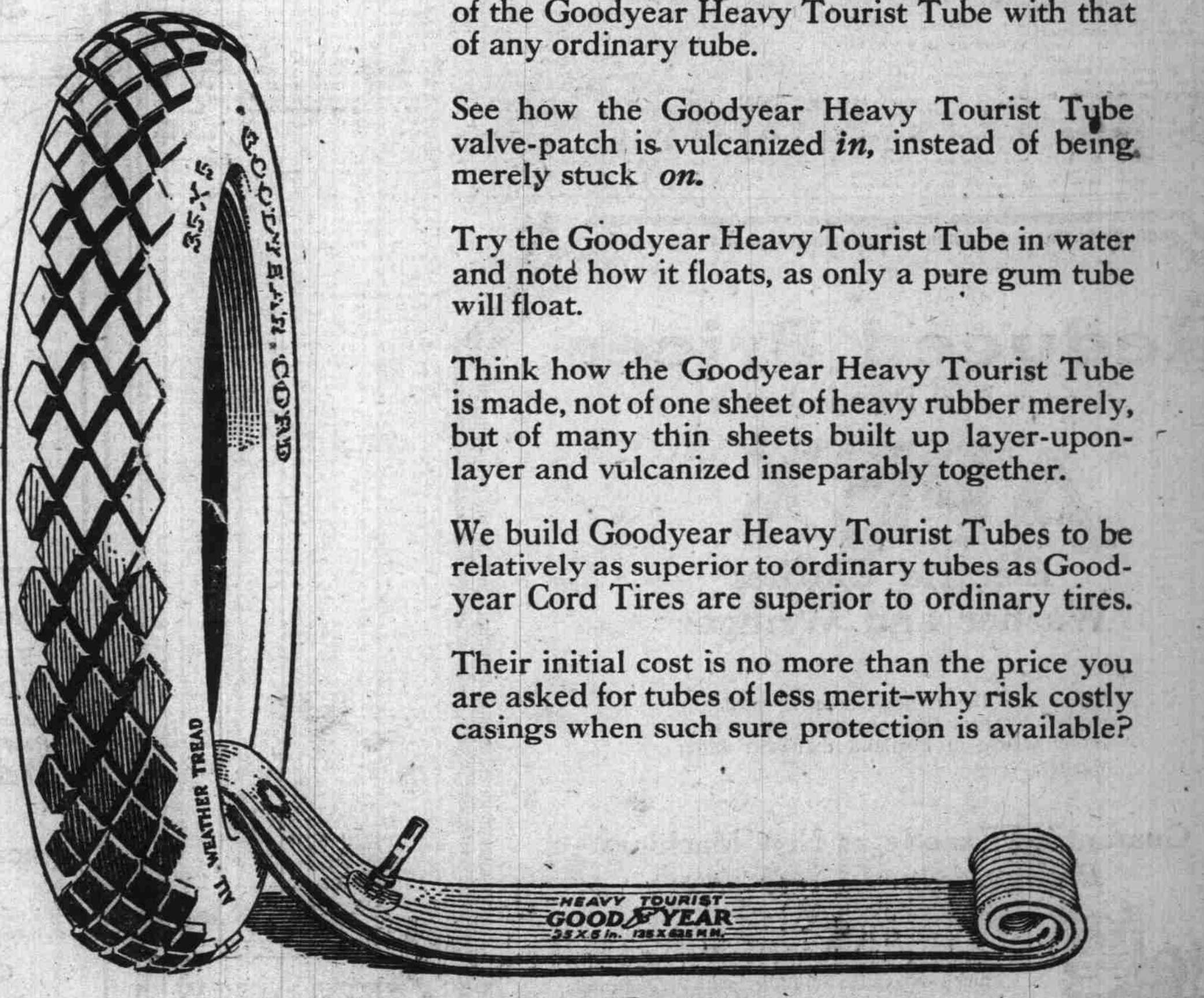
The Shamrock, with the 22-meter boat, rolled into at her mooring in the Horseshoe cove early today, ready for a spin off the Hook. Sunny weather prevailed and there was a light breeze outside.

## Reds Land Luderus

Cincinnati, July 13.—(U. P.)—John H. Heydler, president of the National League, notified the Cincinnati club he had suspended Heinie Groh for three days because of language Groh used toward Umpire Moran Saturday. Heydler also notified the Reds their claims to Fred Luderus, upon whose services the Phillies asked waiver, had been allowed.

Bacon Field will be Cornell's new baseball park.

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# GOODYEAR HEAVY TOURIST TUBES

UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY will send a senior and intermediate eight oared shell crew, also a senior four, to the national regatta at Worcester July 23 and 24. Winning crews in senior doubles, fours and eights, also senior singles, will go to the Olympic regatta, Harvard and Syracuse may enter the senior eights race, both being champions in their respective regattas.

The Associated Cricket club of Philadelphia has asked the Canadian organization centering around Toronto to resume the annual international series, a feature of pre-war days. As a result matches will be played in Toronto, August 20 and 21.

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