

LITHE FINN SETS WORLD'S RECORDS ON INDOOR TRACK

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—(AP)—"They were two easy races."

This is the terse statement that came from a lithe, unassuming youth who had just conquered America's best athletes in two events and had established three world's records on the board track at Madison Square Garden in the Finnish-American Athletic club games last night.

Jaavo Nurmi, sensation of Finland, expanded, through interpreters that he did not intend to battle the efforts of his opponents, but rather to make plain that he suffered no inconvenience in capturing the mile race, in which the lithe blonde Joe Ray of Chicago, broke his own world's record only to be beaten by the invader, and the 5,000 meters, in which he ran step by step with Willie Ritola until the last moments and then left him far behind.

"America is wonderful," he said. "It's people have treated me handsomely and I appreciate the tremendous ovation accorded my performance tonight. It did not seem that I was in a strange land, although the board track and indoor breathing were new to me. I think, however, if one gets accustomed to indoor running he would like it as well as work on a cinder track. I felt just as well when I finished as I did when I started in the first race."

"I expected to remain in the United States until April or May and will participate in several indoor meets," Nurmi's performance set American and world track records in a whirl. The Finn broke two records in the mile run, finishing in 4:13 3-5, a full second ahead of Ray's former time. Ray also beat his own record, but his effort was not enough for Nurmi was three yards ahead. The Finn in the same race established a mark of 3:36 1-5 for 1,500 meters, another record formerly held by Ray. In the last event the invader romped away from the countrymen, Ritola, to a new world mark of 14:44 3-5 in the 5,000 meters, 10 seconds better than Ray did in 1919.

Frank Troeh Holds Lead in Pinehurst

SHOOTING a tie between Phillip Miller of Dallas, Texas, and Frank Troeh of Portland, Ore., in yesterday's mid-winter Sandhill special was an added feature on today's program of the mid-winter target tournament here. Each broke 154 out of a possible 160 targets in yesterday's event and will shoot a string of twenty today.

The east was leading in the team matches shot in the three days' program. Troeh was the high man for the two days' shooting with 309 out of 320.

SPORT BRIEFS

(By The Associated Press) "Frank" Gardner, New York met athlete will attempt to even the score with Ira Derr, Utah claimant to the

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world's middleweight wrestling championship when they meet in a final contest in Salt Lake tonight. Derr defeated Gardner three years ago with what was claimed to be a lucky hold—the airplane spin.

Billy Shades of Concord, Cal., the heavyweight member of the three fighting Shades, is back in San Francisco after a long sojourn in Australia. He plans to take a rest before resuming boxing again. It is expected that he will be joined here by George and Dave Shades. The latter has been making his headquarters in the east for some time.

An invasion of professional and amateur golfers from the Pacific northwest is expected this week to compete in the California open championship which will be held in San Francisco at the Olympic Country club January 15 and 16. Some of the visitors expected included Dave Baker of Vancouver, B. C., former Pacific northwest open champion; Phil Taylor, Victoria, B. C.; Mortie Dutra, Aberdeen, Wash.; Noble, Seattle; Rudolph Wilhelm and Claire Griswold, Portland. The latter two are amateurs.

Ty Cobb, who in 1924 batted over the 300 mark for the 10th consecutive season, will have a chance to equal the all-time major league mark established by the late Adrian C. (Pop) Anson. If he again enters the select circle at the end of the 1925 campaign, Cobb's achievement, in reality, will be better than Anson's, for the Tiger's leaders record would represent an unbroken string, while Anson, in batting over 300 for 20 years, beginning in 1876, but dropped to 284 and 275 in 1881 and 1882 before he rallied the following season and finished up a five year stretch of 300 or more in 1887.

Fans who saw Nurmi in action at Madison Square Garden last night were impressed by his "poker face" while running. The "phantom Finn" shows no physical anguish, his face remaining the same from start to finish. His powers of endurance are wonderful and his stride never changes, although he produces a tremendous kick in his sprint at the end of the race, no matter what the distance.

W. S. C. WINS PULLMAN, Wash., Jan. 7.—Washington State College won an easy victory over the Whitman College basketball team here last night, piling up a score of 40 to 16. Both teams played a ragged game during the first half, W. S. C. leading at the end of the half, 13 to 10. At the first of the second period the Cougars ran up another 13 points before Whitman could score. Nolan of the Cougars scored 16 points and Kelso, other W. S. C. forward, scored 10. It was the first northwest conference game for the Cougars.

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MIKE M'FIGUE TO BATTLE CHAMPION

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Mike McTigue, who won the light-heavyweight championship of the world from the Senegalese, Battling Siki, after the African had surprised the boxing universe by knocking the crown from the head of Georges Carpentier, will risk his honors tonight in the Newark armory, opposing Mickey Walker, champion of the welter.

Although Walker is two classes below McTigue in boxing weight, the man expected to enter the ring with only a difference of seven pounds. The New Jersey welter will be up to 133 it is predicted.

If knocked out, Walker will still retain his welterweight crown, because his opponent cannot make the weight limit. Walker is the favorite because of his speed. McTigue is 32 years old, Walker 23.

DAMAGED BRIDGES TO BE REPLACED

Work on the building of five new bridges to replace those swept out by the recent high water on loop roads 1 and 2 between the Pacific highway and the river north of the city is now under way. The pile driver crew of the county started work on loop 2 today. Two 30-foot spans will be built and three 10-foot, according to O. E. Callison, of the county bridge crew.

The new spans are expected to be ready within another week if weather conditions remain favorable. Mr. Callison stated: "Traffic is not limited in the district where the bridges are being built as other roads can be used. The county bridge repair crew is at work in the Paterson creek district placing new decking on three spans there."

University-O. A. C. Debate Thursday

Debaters of the University of Oregon and Oregon Agricultural college will clash Thursday evening in Eugene at Villard hall and in Corvallis at the men's gymnasium, opening the conference contests of the year.

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EDUCATOR ATTENDS SALEM CONVENTION

E. J. Moore, county superintendent of schools for Lane, has returned after attending the annual meeting of the superintendents of Oregon held at Salem for the last several days.

Soldiers Who Lose Work to be Repaid

Ex-service men directed to report at the veterans' bureau in Portland for physical examination will be reimbursed for loss of wages incurred, says Miss Grace Norton, head cross secretary. The amount will be at the rate of the daily fixed wage of the claimant or weekly salary.

No reimbursement in excess of \$80 in any 30-day period will be permitted, it is pointed out, and payment can be made only when the disabled man is an employe of any person or firm, and where the loss of wages is a definitely ascertained amount. Payments must not be made to cover loss of time sustained by a man who is in business for himself, or whose employment is not regular.

MOVING PICTURES

HELLIG—Western Vaudeville, CASTLE—Rin-Tin-Tin, "Where the North Begins," REX—Barbara LaMarr in "Sandra."

FILM DIRECTOR DIES

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 7.—Fred Fischback, 30, known also as Fred Hibbard, motion picture director, died last night at his residence here. He had been ill several months.



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CHAMBER PARTY ON WAY FOR MEETINGS

Representatives of the Eugene chamber of commerce left this afternoon on the Shasta for Portland to attend the annual meeting of the Oregon state chamber of commerce.

The group from here who will be at the meeting are Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Washburne, C. D. Rorer, L. P. Ray, A. R. Tiffany, Frank Jenkins, R. A. McCully, Paul R. Kelly, E. Eugene Chadwick, W. K. Newell, E. C. Robbins, J. A. McLean and A. C. Dixon. The meeting will be held tomorrow.

Coffee Shop Will Be Open Saturday

Opening of the "Coffee Shop" on Ninth avenue west near Willamette street in the Christmas building has been set for Saturday and the remodeling of the store formerly occupied by the Liberty Tailors is under way now. The shop is to be opened by W. B. "Buster" Love and V. V. Friel. Light lunches, confectionery and

Check Stub Valid License Receipt

Be sure to mark your check stub or money order receipt when applying for a 1925 automobile license, warns A. H. Shortes, city traffic officer. Traffic men recognize such receipts until a reasonable time elapses for receipt of the plates.

Motorists who are delaying applications for their licenses in the hope that a period of grace will be granted are due to disappointment, Mr. Shortes says.

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