

# Jack Dempsey and Luis Angel Firpo May Be Signed for Match in New York on Labor Day

## Rickard Is Mum Pending Result of Willard Bout

Denies Confidential Agent in Argentina Arranging to Stage Title Go There.

New York, May 17.—Tex Rickard today denied cable reports from Buenos Aires that Juan Homas has undertaken a business mission for him in the Argentine and denied that it had to do with a proposed Jack Dempsey-Luis Firpo match for the heavyweight title in the South American city. Homas was representing him in other matters, the promoter declared.

While he declined to discuss the possibilities of a Dempsey-Firpo contest in the Argentine, it has been known for some time that Rickard has considered staging such a bout there in November, providing Firpo emerged as the leading challenger for the heavyweight crown. The promoter, however, indicated that he would make no definite plans for a title match, either in this country or South America, until the outcome of Firpo's bout with Jess Willard.

Altho financial prospects for a title bout in the Argentine, where Firpo is a national idol, have been pointed to as a reason for promoting a match there. At the same time Rickard is known to feel that the South American and Dempsey would attract a record gate in the metropolitan area and Labor day has been mentioned by him as a probable date for a match here between the champion and either Willard or Firpo.

Salt Lake City, May 17.—Utah athletes who have attained fame in the world of sports were honored at a banquet here last night, which was attended by many of the state's most prominent men. Mayor C. Clarence Neffin of Salt Lake city, speaking of Jack Dempsey, said that as a bishop of the Mormon church, "I may not be able to commend him," but as mayor of Salt Lake he tendered him his congratulations. Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion boxer, was not present at the banquet, as he had to be in Great Falls, Mont., to start training for his coming fight with Tom Gibbons.

## Joe Egan Wins Decision Over Tommy Comiskey

Butte, Mont., May 17.—Joe Egan of Boston, 166 pounds, won a 12-round decision tonight in his bout with Tommy Comiskey of Denver, 154. The match was the main event of the Manhattan Athletic club card. Egan showed overwhelming superiority all the way.

Abe Miskind of Salt Lake, 135, knocked out Harry Anderson of Canada, 137, in the first round of a scheduled eight-round bout.

Dixie Lathrop of Butte won a six-round decision from Charles Lavetta of Pocatello. Each weighed in at 118.

Buster Brandon of Butte, 132, won a six-round decision from Young Dempsey of Helena, 134.

## Fulton Is "Sorry" Now

Boston, May 17.—The Massachusetts boxing commission has received word from Jimmy Johnston, manager of Fred Fulton, that the latter is ready to make amends for the breach of contract committed when the Minnesota plasterer fought Floyd Johnson in New Jersey on April 16, when they had contracted to fight in Boston. The two boxers and their managers stand suspended by both the Massachusetts and New York commissions. It was said here that Jack McAuliffe, 11 probably would be Fulton's opponent in place of Johnson when he fulfilled his contract to fight here.

## The Turf YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

**JAMAICA.**

First Race—Six furlongs: Albin, 108 (McCarthy) 1:21 2/5; Sunny Girl, 109 (Matthews) 1:22 1/5; Miriam Cooper, 107 (McCarthy) 1:23 1/5; Time, 1:14 1/2. Value, June Bar, Donald and also ran.

Second Race—One and one-sixteenth miles: Selma, 108 (Shulick) 2:02 1/2; Little Patsy, 112 (Lang) 2:03 1/2; Willie Scott, 113 (Lang) 2:04 1/2; Time, 1:49 1/2. Almaz, Kings Belle, Wallace, Southern Chief also ran.

Third Race—Five furlongs: Apollo, 105 (Fator) 1:03 1/2; Forest Rose, 104 (McNamee) 1:04 1/2; Miss Della, 99 (Callahan) 1:05 1/2; Time, 1:04 1/2. Ojo, Insurance also ran.

Fourth Race—Mile: Dot, 110 (Sande) 2:11 1/2; Woodruff, 105 (McCarthy) 2:12 1/2; Great Man, 117 (Furzer) 2:13 1/2; Time, 1:59 1/2. Carol, Star, Twain, Scelop, Edward Gray, Fallon (added) also ran.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs: St. Lawrence, 109 (Stell) 1:01 1/2; Good Time, 111 (Stell) 1:02 1/2; Signal, 99 (Callahan) 1:03 1/2; Time, 1:04. Rose, Rock Salt, Carmen, Pantages, Ego, Anonymous, Dick's Daughter, chaser, Keffere, Dream of Valley also ran.

Sixth Race—Five furlongs: Lord Baltimore, 115 (Lang) 1:02 1/2; Tator, 115 (McTaggart) 1:03 1/2; Thorndike, 115 (McTaggart) 1:04 1/2; Time, 1:03 1/2. King, Kelly Girl, Waco, Horrie, Souterie also ran.

**LOUISVILLE.**

First Race—Six furlongs: Guest of Honor, 108 (Kennedy) 1:02 1/2; Kingster, 108 (Hrape) 1:03 1/2; Whitecather, 102 (Gardner) 1:04 1/2; Time, 1:02. Lilly M. My Valet, Stump, Jr. also ran.

Second Race—Four and one-half furlongs: T. Jordan, 115 (Howard) 2:00 1/2; Chislowe, 115 (Heppel) 2:01 1/2; Bob Cahill, 120 (Hoy) 2:02 1/2; Time, 1:55 1/2. Squibb McMaster, Cornflower, Flax, Downy, Asaph, Krista, King Gordon H. Shafer, Goo also ran.

Third Race—Six furlongs: H. E. Clark, 104 (Gardner) 1:01 1/2; Rumping Mary, 98 (Brothers) 1:02 1/2; Time, 1:04. Fator, Buckwalter, Margaret Ware, Little Hops also ran.

Fourth Race—Five furlongs: Brook Hill, 107 (Pool) 1:00 1/2; Washington, 103 (Fator) 1:01 1/2; Prince of the Sea, 104 (Lowe) 1:02 1/2; Time, 1:02 1/2. Donegal, Golden Crest, Vanish, Hop, Ho Good, Lathrop, Marg Hayes also ran.

Fifth Race—Mile: Tycomb, 110 (Wilson) 2:10 1/2; Everhart, 98 (Fronk) 2:11 1/2; Avonlea Maid, 109 (Walton) 2:12 1/2; Time, 1:59 1/2. Taylor Hay, Privateer, Who Knows Me, Chacotte, Tan, Tan, Billy Ray also ran.

Sixth Race—Four and one-half furlongs: Quotation, 106 (Fronk) 2:00 1/2; Verben, 108 (Howard) 2:01 1/2; Easter Bonnet, 111 (Wilson) 2:02 1/2; Time, 1:58 1/2. Swift, Wagoner, Fox, Haymarket, Queen Charming, Uptage, Pretty Politician, April also ran.

Seventh Race—One and one-sixteenth miles: Trapper, 112 (Starr) 2:09 1/2; Trooper, 102 (Brothers) 2:10 1/2; Reel Foot, 97 (Wallace) 2:11 1/2; Time, 1:58 1/2. Peary, O'Neil, Scrimin, Inaction Spry, Whirling Lulu, Sea Way also ran.

## EDDIE'S FRIENDS



## Crack California Track Men in Chicago Meet

Chicago, May 17.—Twenty-five athletes representing the cream of California track men will participate in the national interscholastic track meet here May 25 and 26 under the auspices of the University of Chicago. It was announced today following receipt of a telegraph entry from Seth Barber of Alderley, England, at the 23d hole.

Gene Sarazen, American open and professional champion, defeated Mark Seymour of Rochester, England, 5 up and 3 to play, but Joe Kirkwood, former Australian champion, was eliminated by H. C. Kinch of Woodcote Park, 3 to 2.

## Central State Trap Shoot

att Kearney, Neb., June 6  
Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.  
Kearney, Neb., May 17.—The next Central Nebraska Trap Shooters league registered shoot is to take place in Kearney, Wednesday, June 6. Originally it was planned to hold these shoots on Sunday, one each month, but opposition developed here to Sunday shoots, necessitating cancellation of the May 13 scheduled event. In event the week day shoot does not meet with approval of a majority of the league members, arrangements will be made to transfer the shoot to either Grand Island or Holdrege.

## Kirkwood Loses in First Round

By Associated Press.  
Leeds, England, May 17.—Walter Hagen, holder of the British open golf championship title, won his match in the first round of the professional tournament here today, defeating T. Barber of Alderley, England, at the 23d hole.

## State College Meet at Lincoln Saturday

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.  
Lincoln, May 17.—The annual intercollegiate meet of the state colleges will be held at University Place Saturday. Teams entered now represent Nebraska Wesleyan, Chadron, Wayne, Midland and Hastings.

## Frenchman Beats Danish Entry in Davis Cup Meet

By Associated Press.  
Bordeaux, May 17.—Henri Cochet, French tennis star, today defeated M. Wurm of Denmark at singles, thus setting France safely past the first round of the Davis cup competition. The scores were 6-3, 8-6, 6-1.

## Phi Beta Pi Wins.

The Phi Beta Pi won the first game in the University of Nebraska medical college baseball league yesterday when it won from the Phi Chi at the "Medic" field, 6 to 2.

## Benjamin to Second Dempsey

Los Angeles, Cal., May 17.—Joe Benjamin, San Francisco lightweight boxer, who will be a second for Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, when he meets Tom Gibbons, challenger, of St. Paul, at Shelby, July 4, has left for San Francisco on the way to the Dempsey training camp at Great Falls.

## Battered Ball Knocks Pitcher Unconscious

Salt Lake City, May 17.—Struck in the head by a line drive off the bat of Oscar Vitt, during today's game between San Francisco and Salt Lake, Pitcher Pat Shea of the San Francisco team was knocked unconscious and removed to the club house, where physicians attended him.

## Jack Renault Matched to Meet Joe Lohman

New York, May 17.—Jack Renault, Canadian heavyweight champion, who won from Fred Fulton of Rochester, Minn., on a foul at the Milk fund boxing show, has been matched with Joe Lohman, western light-heavyweight, in a 12-round contest here next Tuesday night.

## Central to Enter Strong Team in Nebraska Medic Relay Meet

Central High school will enter a strong team of tracksters in the Nebraska Medic Relay meet to be held at Dewey field Saturday afternoon and hopes went still higher when it was announced that Luster Price, cinder path artist, who was out of the state meet, would be eligible for the week end affair. Coach Schmidt has been working his proteges hard and has a bunch of fast athletes to uphold the Purple colors.

## Practice Shoot Precedes Meet

Omaha Gun club officials have put all in readiness for the 47th annual Nebraska state trapshooting tournament to be held at the club's traps at Ak-Sar-Ben field Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

## Tennis Growning in Colleges

By VINCENT RICHARDS, National Indoor Tennis Champion, Universal Service Staff Correspondent.  
New York, May 17.—Some idea of the importance that lawn tennis has gained in the various colleges throughout the country can be had by the formation of the New York Intercollegiate Lawn Tennis association. The initial annual tournament of this organization will be held in New York city on Wednesday, June 20, and succeeding days. The selection and announcement of the courts for this event will be made later.

## Nassau Best Workout

Bo McMillan, property of T. J. Prendergast of Kansas City, is looming as the contender. Big, strong and ambitious, this westerner worked yesterday the fastest mile and a quarter turned off by a derby candidate. He worked handily in 2:12 2/5 on a very muddy track and could have done it faster.

## Little Rock Outfitter Sold to Syracuse Team

Mobile, Ala., May 17.—Manager Kid Elbert of the Little Rock, Southern Association, team, announced here today that he has sold Fielder Doc Silva to the Syracuse (N. Y.) state league club. He denied that he had signed Catcher Tiny Brotten with the Louisville club or Carroll, an outfielder with the Pacific coast league.

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## Zev Suddenly Strikes Form

By International News Service.  
Louisville, Ky., May 17.—The forty-ninth renewal of the classic Kentucky derby undoubtedly will see the record broken for the number of starters. With the arrival here today of Zev, which ruled a favorite when the Preakness was run at Pimlico a few days ago, raised expectations of the large field and made it certain that the 1915 field, which number 16, would be surpassed.

## Advance Seat Sale Will Be Over \$375,000

By International News Service.  
HELEYS, Mont., May 17.—Promoter Mike E. Collins today received a telegram from Jack Kearns informing him that Kearns would arrive in Great Falls tomorrow to get Jack Dempsey settled into his training camp.

## Cy Williams Clouts His 14th Homer of Season

Philadelphia, May 17.—Cy Williams of the Philadelphia Nationals hit his fourteenth home run of the season today in the third inning of the game with Chicago. There was no one on base.

## Sportsman Slays Self

New Orleans, La., May 17.—T. G. (Gene) Bush, one of New Orleans' wealthiest business men and widely known throughout the country as a sportsman, committed suicide at his home here this afternoon by shooting.

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