

# Boxing Mogul Would Vacate Dempsey's Crown

## SUGGESTS GIVING TITLE TO WILLS

### Says That Is Only Way of Clearing Present Situation.

New York, May 6.—Only by declaring Jack Dempsey's heavyweight title vacated and elevating Harry Wills to champion's recognition in default of the acceptance of the negro's long standing challenge can the New York state athletic commission open a way for Dempsey to battle Gene Tunney at the Yankee stadium in September. Otherwise, Tex Rickard will be compelled to take the bout to his Jersey City arena, Boyle's Thirty Acres.

This somewhat startling pronouncement came today from George E. Brewer, member of the commission, in outlining his suggestion for the solution of the present tangled heavyweight situation. Brewer, it is conceded, holds the key to the situation because of the deadlock between his two associates, Chairman James A. Farley and Commissioner William M. Muldoon. Farley is insistent that Wills be given first call in a title battle, while Muldoon has come out in support of Tunney.

So far as recognizing Wills as the leading challenger is concerned, Brewer today definitely aligned himself with Farley, thus exploding previous assumptions that he sided with Muldoon in favoring Rickard's program. At the same time, Brewer sees no way by which the commission can force Rickard to match Dempsey with Wills instead of Tunney, or discipline the promoter if he does not do so.

## Ellsworth Baseball Schedule Announced

Ellsworth, Minn., May 6.—Special: The Ellsworth Hamblers, members of the Nobles county league, today announce the season's schedule as follows:

- May 9—Wilmont at Ellsworth.
- May 16—Ellsworth at Round Lake.
- May 23—Kinbrae at Ellsworth.
- June 6—Ellsworth at Adrian.
- June 13—Rushmore at Ellsworth.
- June 20—Brewster at Ellsworth.
- June 27—Worthington at Worthington.
- July 11—Ellsworth at Wilmont.
- July 18—Round Lake at Ellsworth.
- July 25—Ellsworth at Kinbrae.
- August 1—Adrian at Ellsworth.
- August 8—Ellsworth at Rushmore.
- August 15—Ellsworth at Brewster.
- August 22—Ellsworth at Worthington.

## Spring Gridiron Drills Started at East High

More than 70 candidates for the East High school football team next fall, the first to represent the Morningside school, are reporting to Coach Jack Nalmsmith for nightly spring drills.

The supply of material not only is plentiful, but is heavy. As well as indications are that capable aggression will represent the school. Drill on fundamentals will be the only form of practice for a week at least.

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## CANADIAN PACIFIC

## Laughing at Father Time Again



ROLAND LOCKE.

Here is Nebraska's star sprinter, breaking the world's record for the 220-yard dash. Later the same day at Lincoln, Neb., he tied the world's record for the 100-yard dash, 9.8 seconds.

## Here and There in Sports

By Joe Ryan

Sioux City baseball fans will have an opportunity during the next 30 days to see some of the best exhibitions of their favorite pastime. On Sunday the Stock Yards club will oppose Ellsworth, the team that has "Doc" Juel as its pitching ace. It will be the first game played in the new park and there will be many entertainment features in connection with the contest.

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The New York boxing muddle becomes more muddled every time anybody opens his mouth. The latest in sensation from the headquarters is supplied by Mr. Brewer, one of the commissioners. Mr. Brewer suggests that the only logical way out of the difficulty now is to give Wills Dempsey's crown. He says, however, that the commission can in no way discipline Tex Rickard if Tex insists on placing a Tunney-Dempsey fight in New Jersey.

## Brown Outfielder Hurt While Chasing Fly Ball

Philadelphia, May 6.—(AP)—Herchel Bennett, right fielder of the St. Louis Browns, is in a hospital, thought to be in a serious condition as a result of crashing into a concrete wall while chasing a foul during today's game with the Philadelphia Athletics.

## TRI-STATE TIME SCHEDULE OUT

### Meet to Start at 2:30—16 Events Are on the Program.

Sixteen events are listed on the time schedule for the Tri-State invitation college track and field meet to be staged at Bass field Saturday.

The affair will bring together the greatest track and field talent of three states. Doane, outstanding Nebraska entry, won the Commissioner state-college conference title last year and will bring almost the same team to Sioux City this weekend.

One of the features of the meet is provided in the 100-yard dash in which at least five schools are conceded a chance for first. Cross and Hartzell, of Morningside, probably rank highest. Buena Vista will bank on Marshall, who won fame as a Morningside high school star last year.

The quarter-mile event also should provide a thrill or two. Ellerbrock, Buena Vista ace, is conceded an edge, but Williams, of Morningside, Graves, of Doane, and Lindahl of Wayne are conceded a fair chance to win and the event should not be without a close finish.

The schedule follows:

Track Events.	
120-yard high hurdles	2:30
100-yard dash	2:45
100-yard dash	2:50
440-yard dash	3:15
220-yard low hurdles	3:30
1/2-mile run	3:45
220-yard dash	3:55
1/2-mile relay	4:10
Two-mile run	4:25
Half-mile relay	4:45

## IOWANS UNLOOSE TRACK POWER IN NOTRE DAME MEET

Iowa City, Ia., May 6.—Special: On historic Carter field, scene of many Notre Dame triumphs, Iowa's championship track team will appear for the first time Saturday. A dual meet with the Irish is bringing 25 Hawkeyes into the domain of Rockne.

Iowa's individual stars and all around team balance, look good enough to defeat Notre Dame, in spite of the presence of some fine Rockne athletes, especially in the dashes, middle distance runs and pole vault.

Delta Maria, noted sprinter of the South Bend institution, will give Notre Dame, of Iowa, as tight a race as he has ever run in both the 100 and 220-yard dashes. Stack, a 40-second man, Coughlin and Lacey, are fit matches for any of the Hawkeyes' quarter-mile squad and Masterson should take Sorenson down the line in the half-mile run. Judge has made better than any Iowa in the mile run.

The surprising thing to many was the fact that shots that might be expected to travel 250 yards carried about half that distance. The wind had much to do with it.

All members of the team are eating everything in sight.

Ho Waa'n Ignored. The Outlook: On the last day of school prizes were distributed. When one little boy returned home, his mother was entertaining callers.

Stung with His Conversation. The Outlook: Beggar (accosting man on street)—I have seen better days, sir.

Man—Sorry, but I have no time to discuss the weather.

## POLE VAULT STAR ORDERED TO SHOW OR BE SUSPENDED

New York, May 6.—(AP)—Rejecting a request from Charley Hoff that he be permitted to cancel a scheduled appearance at San Francisco this Saturday, officials of the Amateur Athletic union today wired the Norwegian pole vaulter that he must adhere to his schedule or have canceled his permit for further competition in this country.

The Pacific association acted in good faith in arranging for your appearance," the union's message said, "and your failure to compete would be an injustice to it. The foreign relations committee of the A. A. U. has voted unanimously to cancel your permit for further competition if you fail to compete at San Francisco."

Hoff will not be permitted to compete at Los Angeles May 16 if he fails to appear at San Francisco.

Los Angeles, May 6.—(AP)—Charley Hoff, Norwegian pole vaulter, when informed of the decision of A. A. U. officials that he must compete in San Francisco Saturday or be barred from further competition in this country reiterated last night that he would not appear at San Francisco.

Later, however, he modified the statement, saying he would withhold his final decision until he has received official notification from the A. A. U.

Hoff worked out here today. He is scheduled to appear here May 15 in conjunction with this section's A. A. U. championships.

## TURFMEN TO BE ON HAND EARLY

### Churchill Downs Spring Meet Opens Saturday—Classic Is May 15.

Louisville, Ky., May 6.—(AP)—Like showmen of the tented world, trainers and owner of race horses move on to Louisville today, after closing their 10-days' show at Lexington yesterday. The spring meet at Churchill Downs opens Saturday, with the main attraction—the Kentucky derby—scheduled for next Saturday, May 15.

Among the several stables that were brought to the Downs and to Douglas park, a training track, were those of E. R. Brady, J. C. Millam, William Perkins, Charles Van Meter, J. N. Camden, John Lowe, Fred Grabner and L. T. Cooper. A number of derby candidates were in the shipments.

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## Earl Snyder to Call Balls and Strikes Sunday

### Owing to the absence from the city of "Murphy" Murphy, Earl Snyder, former Tri-State league umpire, has been secured to call balls and strikes for the opening game at the new Stock Yards baseball park Sunday.

Murphy is in the east, having been summoned there early this week by the death of his father. Snyder, who comes from Newell, Ia., is a capable official. Bob Shelton will umpire base.

Fred Ring, secretary of the Stock Yards club, announced Thursday evening that all children who accompany their parents will be admitted to the opening game without charge. When the new stand is completed all children will be admitted free, whether with their parents or not.

Work on the field and the stand is progressing rapidly and the park will be in good shape for Sunday's contest. One of the biggest crowds that week attended a baseball game in Sioux City is expected by stock yards officials.

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## DISTRICT PREP MEET SATURDAY

### 41 Northwestern Iowa Teams Entered at Storm Lake.

Storm Lake, Ia., May 6.—Special: Forty-one high school teams will compete in the first annual northwestern Iowa track and field meet held here Saturday under the auspices of the State High School Athletic association. Winners in this meet will compete in the state meet.

Outstanding among the entries are Carroll, Central, of Sioux City; Fort Dodge, Cherokee, Spencer, Spirit Lake and Storm Lake. Other entries are Hawarden, Jolley, Washita, Cleghorn, Marcus, Grafton, Ruthven, Bode, Correctionville, Sanborn, Odebolt, Boyden, Rock Rapids, Quimby, Orange City, Arthur, Alta, Early, Meridian, Aurelia, Lohrville, Lake View, Malvern, Sergeant Bluffs, Paulina, Akron, Lake City, Rockwell City, Fond, Pomeroy, Sac City, Emmetsburg and LeMars.

The meet will be held at Buena Vista college on Bradford field. Preliminaries will start promptly at 10 o'clock a. m. and the finals will start at 2 p. m.

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