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TRIAL YACHTS ARE FAVORED

Yachtsmen Are of Opinion That Four
Vessels Should Be Entered in
the Elimination Races.

Racing yachtsmen of the United States are of the opinion that in order to insure a successful defense of the America's cup next year against Sir Thomas Lipton, it will be absolutely necessary under the present conditions to build no fewer than four yachts to enter the elimination races, which should take place some time next August, after contesting in as many races during the summer as possible.

It is conceded by many that building a 75-foot sloop under the present rules for the first time, even by the Herreshoffs, is more or less of a risk when there is no vessel of that dimension ready to use as a trial horse. For this reason it is deemed advisable to build as many sloops as possible, and by different designers, so as to give both the yachts and their crews plenty of practice in racing, that the best boat may be chosen to meet the Shamrock IV off Sandy Hook next fall.

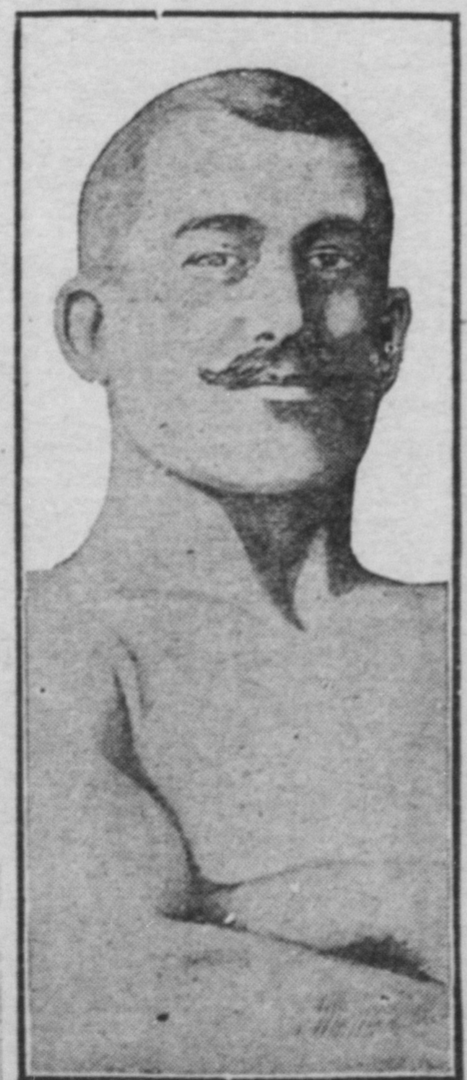
The material for the building of the first yacht—the one that the syndicate headed by Henry Walters has ordered—is being assembled at the Herreshoff yard at Bristol, R. I., and it is understood that the keel of the new boat will be laid before Thanksgiving day.

It is quite likely that the keel of the Shamrock IV will be laid about the same time as that of the Herreshoff's sloop. As usual, the utmost secrecy will be maintained from start to finish in the construction of both yachts, so that no information may leak out concerning the details of the design of either hulls or sail plans until they are ready to race.

MAHMOUT KILLED BY BANDITS

Noted Bulgarian, Who Met Many
American Wrestlers, Meets Un-
timely Death Near Silistria.

Yussiff Mahmout, a Bulgarian wrestler, who met a number of American matmen, including Frank Gotch, by whom he was defeated, was killed by a band of Bulgarian bandits in the



Yussiff Mahmout.

mountains near Silistria, his home, according to a story told by two Turkish wrestlers who arrived in this country recently.

Mahmout was petty officer in the Bulgarian army during the late war, and, according to their story, went to the town to draw his money to pay off the men in his command. Sixteen bandits, learning the purpose of his trip, waylaid him on his return, but because Mahmout had procured only orders instead of gold coin, they killed him.

Considerate of Mother.

Captain Clem Fenker, Cincinnati university's star quarterback and one of the most sensational players the varsity has developed in years, does not want his mother to see him play. "I have a peculiar notion that if my mother were to sit in the grandstand and I knew it, I would not be able to play my best game," explained Captain Fenker. "I feel I cannot enter the contest with the same fighting spirit as when I know she is at home. My mother is of a rather nervous disposition. Football is no child's game, and a player is liable to be hurt at any time. I would not want to let her see me injured."

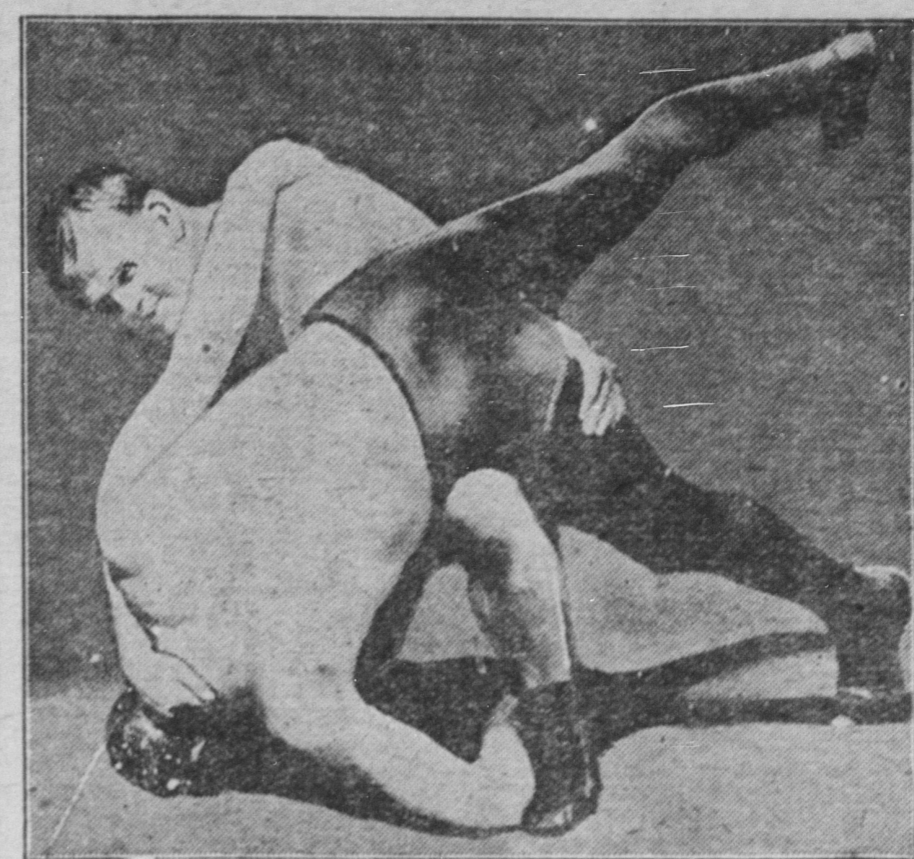
Winner of Rose Trophy.

Welchance, the youngster whom Griffith sent to Atlanta, won the Rose trophy of the Southern league for batting. His average of the season was .338. Robertson, was next to him with .335.

Senators Sign Two.

Otto Nye, an outfielder from Springfield, Ohio, and Herman Schwartz, a pitcher from Brooklyn, have signed contracts to play with the Senators for 1914.

FRANK GOTCH CRUSHES ITALIAN CHAMPION



Gotch With Half Nelson and Crotch Hold on Westgaard.

Leo Pardello, fun maker of the wrestling mat, at one time imagined he could down Frank Gotch. The Italian was heralded as one of the toughest men in the game and Gotch thought he was taking on a big contract in agreeing to an encounter with this fighting "demon" from sunny Italy. Both wrestlers were disillusioned November 26, 1906, at the Brookers' Casino, Chicago, when they met in a finish match. After this defeat Pardello devoted his talents to comedy, and as a mirth producer has made countless thousands laugh.

Gotch had heard that Pardello was a bone breaker and a prize fighter. He was appraised that he would be fortunate to escape with both ears intact and all his teeth in his head after encountering the latest sensation from Latin Europe.

The night of the match found the pavilion packed almost to suffocation.

Pardello rushed at Gotch like a wild man when the referee signalled the start, but Gotch side-stepped him. Gotch went to his hands and knees, lifted Pardello in the air and hurled him to the mat. This was the signal for Pardello to employ the rough tactics for which he was noted. He gouged Gotch with his elbow and slugged him in the mixups. The crowd hissed Pardello, but Gotch had learned his opponent's actual strength and took these thrusts lightly.

Soon, however, Pardello showed his temper and resorted to the Marquis of Queensbury code. He came to his feet and made a swing at Gotch and the crowd again hissed. Gotch lunged and brought Pardello to the mat again. Gotch was working for a hold to secure the first fall. He had slipped over a crotch and half nelson and was gradually forcing the shoulders of his opponent to the canvas. Pardello reached over in a fit of rage, grabbed the Iowan by the hair and pulled a

whole handful of Gotch's hair from the roots.

That proved the downfall of Pardello as an aspirant for the highest wrestling honors. In a wild mixup the wrestlers shifted about the mat and in less than thirty seconds Gotch had Pardello's left foot up his back for the toe hold. There was a sharp snap audible to those at the ringside. Pardello, with a groan, fell to the mat in defeat. An examination showed that a ligament had been snapped, but the game Italian came back for the second fall, which Gotch won in a few seconds.

Gotch made a speech, in which he told the crowd he deeply regretted the accident to Pardello. It was one of the few times the world's champion has lost his temper on the mat.

"The day after the match," says Gotch, "a friend of mine met Pardello hobbling about the streets of Chicago."

"What do you think of Gotch now?" my friend asked him.

"Gotcha" was his answer. "Why, Gotcha, he very fina da fell. He get on the mata and go to da wrestle. Gotcha, he cracka da joke. One fina da joke. I stoppa to laugh. Gotcha, he catcha my foota and twist him up da backa. Oh, yes, Gotcha, he very fina da fell!"

After this match Pardello seemed to take a proprietary interest in the champion. After every match Gotch had in Chicago his wrestling tights disappeared. Pardello took them for souvenirs. After his last match in Chicago Gotch ordered a boy to get his tights and see that they were carried to his hotel. Pardello noticed that the boy had them in charge. After Gotch departed from the dressing room he approached the youngster and took the grip, saying Gotch had ordered him to carry it to his hotel. Thus he secured an imposing addition to his trophy room that night.

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WOLGAST IS POOR SALESMAN

Lightweight Pugilist Lets Farmer
Have Fine Bull for \$45 When He
Could Have Secured More.

In spite of assertions to the contrary, Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, has been the "goat" in several deals involving the exchange of money. Ad was "stung" for \$25 by a farmer just before the ex-champion went to Milwaukee recently.

Ad owns a couple of farms in the vicinity of Cadillac, says the Detroit Journal. He had one fine bull he de-



Ad Wolgast.

sired to sell for he didn't want to buy food for the animal during the winter. So a farmer went out to see Ad about the bull. "I'll give you \$40 for him," said the tiller of the soil. "Nope, won't take less than \$50," Ad replied. The bull was finally sold for \$45.

Ad had barely made the deal and was still smiling when another farmer came to buy the bull. "It's sold," beamed Addie. "How much do you think I got?" asked the fighting Dutchman. "About \$70 or \$75," said the farmer. Ad stared hard for several minutes and then asked: "What were you going to offer?" "O, about \$65," said the visitor.

**INDICTS BOTH
AS MURDERERS**

Marsch and Pennington to Be
Tried for Killing of Pinkerton

COOL SINCE CONFESSIONS

Girl Tells Main Story Clinching Their
Dreadful Admissions—Grand Jury
Returns True Bills for Murder of
Young Tax Collector.

Media.—The Grand Jury returned true bills in the cases of George H. Marsch and Rowland S. Pennington, charged with the murder of S. Lewis Pinkerton, the young tax collector of Edmont and overseer of a group of farms in that township, on Nov. 7. District Attorney Hannum will call the case to trial in the week of December 15, but it is expected that Frank S. Morris, attorney for Pennington, and A. J. Williams and J. Smith Talbot, attorneys for Marsch, will ask that the case be continued until the March term. They will plead lack of time in the preparation.

Marsch and Pennington were brought from jail to the Sixth Regiment Armory, where the Grand Jury was in session, by Deputy Sheriff J. Alfred Howard, County Detective John O'Toole and Detective James Meli. They were ushered to the prisoners' dock.

Confessions Estrange Them.

The defendants are not on good terms, and they sat as far away from each other as possible, each in the extreme end seat, and at no time during their presence in court did they look at one another.

Pennington admits that he helped kill Pinkerton, and has signed a long confession to that effect. In this confession he places a greater part of the blame on Marsch, stating that he, Marsch, first suggested that they "do away" with Pinkerton, offering as an inducement a division of the spoils.

Marsch, on the other hand, persistently denies that he had an actual hand in the murder, but admits that he helped dispose of the body, by accompanying Pennington to the woods on the Wilcox farm in Aston township, five miles away from the scene of the murder. He excuses his part in the affair by declaring that he was frightened because Pennington threatened to place the blame of the murder on him.

The star witness is Mildred Louise Barber, the 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. Marsch. Her testimony, in brief, was that she heard screaming in the barn on the Thorpe farm at the time the murder was committed. Marsch was in the barn at the time she heard the last scream.

Signs Pure Water Bill.

Coatesville.—After much opposition Coatesville is to have the new and wholesome water supply for which the people voted last June. Burgess Jesse Shallcross, who had vetoed almost every ordinance that came up, has signed one to borrow \$150,000. The contracts will be let in three weeks and work rushed to completion.

School Board Organizes.

Dillsburg.—The Dillsburg school board organized by electing J. S. Kapp president, D. W. Beltzel vice-president and W. P. Deardoff secretary. Upon this new organization will rest the responsibility of erecting a new school building in place of the one destroyed by fire last June. A loan of \$18,000 was authorized at the last election.

Site for Fine Station.

South Bethlehem.—A big deal in real estate here was the purchase by E. S. Taylor, of Jenkintown, for the Reading Railway of the big plant of the Allan wood working mill for a consideration of \$25,000. It is said the buildings will be torn down and a large \$100,000 modern freight station erected.

Gallons of Brook Trout.

Waynesboro.—Edwin C. Hoefflich, North Potomac avenue, received 171 gallons of young brook trout from the United States fish hatcheries at White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, which he will plant in the branches of the Antietam and other nearby streams.

Large Hogs in Perry County.

New Germantown.—Ralph M. Rumble killed two hogs which tipped the beam at 290 and 266 pounds; Jacob Kreamer, one that weighed 290 pounds, and Miss Luella S. McLaughlin slaughtered one which weighed 345 pounds.

State Greets Corn Clubs.

Harrisburg.—Pennsylvania tendered its greetings to the Ohio Boys' Corn Club in the State Capitol, a public reception being given to the juvenile winners of the trip to Washington, D. C., and their friends and relatives by Governor Tener and State officials. The club arrived in five special trains, remaining about two hours in Harrisburg, long enough to parade and be cheered by thousands of people along the streets and to hear speeches of congratulation.