

WELSH-KILBANE BOUT SHOULD BE ARRANGED IF CARPENTIER FAILS TO MEET JESS WILLARD

Battle Between Featherweight and Lightweight Champions Looks Better Than Heavyweight Fuss—Rickard Faces Many Obstacles

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL. It would not be at all surprising if George Carpentier, the hero of France, suddenly decides to remain among the home folks and win a few medals for bravery instead of taking a chance with Willing Willard for the heavy weight championship.

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SWEDISH ATHLETES IMPROVING FAST

Engaging of Hjertberg to Coach Has Made That Country Contender NOW ARE WORTHY RIVALS

By J. E. (TED) MEREDITH. The United States will be at the top in track athletics for the next few years to come, although they can expect a worthy rival in Sweden.

Engage Hjertberg. Hjertberg went to Sweden without being able to speak a word of the language, which is a great handicap at the start.

Even now he is too crowded with work to give his best to the furthering of the sport, so next year he will have a total of ten assistants and the natives have subscribed about \$50,000 for sport, most of it to be used for track.

He is for many years a very successful coach and trainer around New York, and had under his wing many world's record holders.

ROYAL ARCANUM UP AND DOING

Readjustment of Rates Transforms Order to Complete Solvency and Durable Basis

It is a matter of satisfaction to the rank and file who are loyal to the real interests of the Royal Arcanum to support the work of the management who have most wisely and fearlessly faced a serious problem and carried it out to its proper solution.

There is nothing in the matter with the Royal Arcanum and there never was. It is true that the law passed in thirty-seven States and now in twenty-one more has caused some discussion.

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KNIGHTS GOLDEN EAGLE Preparations for Elaborate Anniversary of Order's Birth in This State

All the castles of Philadelphia and vicinity are making preparations to observe the forty-first anniversary of the introduction of the order into Pennsylvania.

The Philadelphia Castles have also commenced preparations for a big class initiation in January or February as part of the celebration.

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NEWS OF THE BOWLERS

This week's contests in the bowling tournaments in progress throughout the city and vicinity are not so important after all.

The recent Middle West bowling tournament in St. Louis was participated in by 171 bowlers from a proportionate number of teams.

The Chicago Bowling Association's annual championship attracted 400 five-man teams to the city and 2040 bowlers.

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Scholastic News

The basketball season is under way and scholastic teams are playing their opening contests.

At Swarthmore Preparatory School Dave Harty, captain of the basketball team, leads the team to victory.

The advent of Jimmy Curran with his Mercedes team at the Thanksgiving Day affair, was a great triumph for the local contingent.

West Philadelphia High School is well represented in the aquatic events at the Hotel Omicron.

WINTER RESORTS

Atlantic City, N. J. The Berlitz School of Languages 16th and Chestnut Streets.

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