

MARIECHEN RATED AS THIRD BEST SWIMMER BY NEW YORK SCRIBE

Experts Place Gertrude First, Helen Wainwright Second and Local Star Third Among American Mermaids

MMARIECHEN WEHSELAU is rated as the third best girl swimmer in America, according to New York swimming experts, in lining up the probable rating for the American Olympic team. Marguerite Goss, in the New York Herald, gives the following light on the swimming situation:

By MARGARET GOSS

Feminine shoulders will bear a good share of the responsibility for the success or failure of the United States in the Olympic Games at Paris this coming July. Feminine curiosity demands to know the probable time. Naturally, no definite answer can be made to this question until after the Olympic try-outs, which are to be held at Briarelliff Lodge June 7 and 8, but one can make a pretty safe guess when one is aided by a member of the Olympic swimming selections committee over a cosy dinner table.

The highlights of the aquatic world are Gertrude Ederle, Aileen Riggan, Helen Meany, Helen Wainwright, Mariechen Wehse lau, Sybil Bauer and Agnes Geraghty. All of these girls are champions, world and national, and all are holders of records. There is not a girl upon the list that appears below who has not a district championship, at last, to her credit.

Gertrude Ederle, of the Woman's Swimming Association, should be the first choice for free style swimming, and after her would come Helen Wainwright, also W. S. A.; Mariechen Wehse lau, Honolulu; Adelaide Lambert, W. S. A.; Ethel Lackie, Illinois Athletic Club; Ethel McGary, W. S. A.; Virginia Whitenack, W. S. A.; Margaret Ravior, Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Aileen Riggan and Doris O'Mara, both of the W. S. A. All of these girls stand excellent chances of making places on the team.

The back-stroke is next. It is a revelation to learn that this is a stroke that is growing more popular all the time. Personally, it always seemed to be the fat man's delight, but no less a swimmer than Johnny Weissmuller chooses to play water polo on his back because he finds it faster and in this position can pass the ball on to the other members of his team more rapidly.

BAUER HEADS LIST

Sybil Bauer, of the Illinois Athletic Club, holder of national and international records for this event, comes at the head of the list of entrants. After her are Aileen Riggan, Doris O'Mara, Frances Cowells Schroth, San Francisco; Florence Chambers, San Diego; Ethel McGary, Elizabeth Busby, Ambassador Swimming Club, of Atlantic City; Frances Clark, Philadelphia Turngemeinde, and Lilly Bowmer, of Honolulu.

Next on the program came the breast-stroke. Here Agnes Geraghty, of the W. S. A., tops the list with Peggy Williamson, Milwaukee, second; Eleanor Coleman, Milwaukee; Salome Brenescholtz, Buffalo Athletic Club; Marie Hillegas, Philadelphia Turngemeinde, and Ruth Thomas, Ambassador Swimming Club, following in the order of their excellence.

Then there is fancy diving. No other sport in which girls compete, or men either, as far as that goes, is half so fascinating to watch, unless it is fancy skating. First in this event should be Aileen Riggan, without much question, followed by Helen Wainwright, Elizabeth Becker, Ambassador Swimming Club; Helen Meany, Viola Hartman, Los Angeles, and Florence Briscoe, W. S. A.

Helen Meany will be first almost undoubtedly in the high diving, with Aileen Riggan next. Then will come, probably, Elizabeth Becker, Louise Davidson, People's Palace, of Jersey City; Lillian Stoddart, W. S. A., and last Josephine Meany.

Somewhere among these names are those twelve fortunate ones who will make up the Olympic team.

British Pug Matched With Pancho Villa

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, May 5.—Frankie Ash, English fly-weight boxer, signed articles today to meet Pancho Villa, the champion, in a fifteen round bout in New York on May 27. Villa previously signed the articles.

The championship will be at stake in this fight.

Oahu Prisoners Defeat Iwileis

Sam Suzuki's proteges of ball players from Iwilei journeyed out to the prison ground Sunday and received a stinging defeat at the hands of the O. O. players Sunday.

Masa twirled a wonderful game and coupled with the brilliant support given him, the Iwilei's were unable to reach the platter. The Iwilei's had a chance to score in the seventh when with no down Hioki doubled to left field and was sent to third on Kusunoki's Texas Leaguer only to die on the bag when the next three batters fanned.

Were it not for the disastrous first inning when four runs were chalked up against Mori the game was well played.

Sam Suzuki should hustle up and mold his youngsters to win games.

THE BOX SCORE

IWILEI A. C.

	A	B	R	H	P	O	E
Fujihara, rf-2b	3	0	1	2	0	0	0
Arakawa, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0	0
Hioki, 3b-p	4	0	2	2	2	0	0
Kusunoki, p-rf	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
Murakami, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0	0
Yamada, 2b-3b	4	0	0	2	2	1	0
Suzuki, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0	0
M. Mori, c	3	0	0	6	1	0	0
Yamasaki, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

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OAHU PRISON

	A	B	R	H	P	O	E
Kelly, 3b	3	1	2	0	4	0	0
Costa, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Pol, c	3	1	1	7	0	0	0
Babe, ss	2	0	1	6	2	1	0
Masa, p	4	1	0	0	1	0	0
Ah Nee, 2b	4	1	1	2	1	0	0
Kealoha, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0	0
Cockett, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0	0
Ferguson, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	1	0

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HITS AND RUNS BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Iwilei, A. C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Basehits	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	5	0
Oahu Prison	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Basehits	3	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	0

SUMMARY

Left on bases: Iwilei A. C. 5; Oahu Prison 4. Runs batted in: by Kelly, Kealoha, Ah Nee. Two-base hits: Ah Nee, Kealoha 2, Babe, Fujihira, Hioki. Sacrifice hits: Arakawa. Stolen bases: Kelly, Pol, Masa. Double plays: Babe to Ah Nee to Ferguson; Arakawa to Kusunoki unassisted. Bases on balls: off Masa, 1; Mori 4; Hioki 1. Struck out: by Masa, 7; Mori, 2; Hioki 3. Umpires: Ward and Ed Leong. Time of game: 1:40. Scorer: Y. Inouye.