

# THREE SWIMMING RECORDS BROKEN IN OLYMPIC TRYOUT

Never Before Have as Many  
Marks Been Established in  
One Day—Five Events  
Completed.

## WEISSMULLER IS BIG STAR

Chicago Aquatic Hero Speeds  
Way to Two New World Rec-  
ords in 50-Meter Event.

### Today's Program.

Olympic final tryout, 200 meters,  
free style, for relay.

Olympic final tryout, 200 meters,  
breast stroke.

Olympic final tryout, high div-  
ing, plain.

Olympic final tryout, high div-  
ing, fancy.

Boys' Club, championship, fifty  
100-yard free style.

Y. W. C. A., state champion-  
ship, fifty meters, free style.

125-Pound city championship,  
100-yard free style.

Indiana-Kentucky A. A. U.  
100-yard, back stroke, women.

Indiana-Kentucky A. A. U.,  
220-yard breast stroke, women.

Open, low board diving, women.

Open, 100-yard free style, men.

Open, fifty meters, free style,  
women.

Place—Broad Ripple pool.

Time—2:30 p. m.

BY W. H. DEPPERMAN.

Two new Olympic swimming records and one new world record were hung up yesterday in the Olympic tryouts at Broad Ripple pool, where the swimming team which will represent the United States in the Olympic games is being selected.

Lester Smith of the Olympic Club of San Francisco, Cal., swam the 400-meters free style in 5 minutes and 23 seconds, breaking the former Olympic record of 5 minutes 24 2-5 seconds made by G. R. Hodgson of Canada in the Olympic games in Stockholm, Sweden, July 13, 1912.

Warren D. Kealoha of the Hawaiian Island swimming team, smashed the record in the 100-meters back stroke with the remarkable time of 1 minute and 13 seconds, clipping 1 2-5 seconds from the time made by Duke Kahana-moku in the Olympic games in Antwerp, Aug. 24, 1920.

Johnny Weissmuller, the world's fastest swimmer, broke the world's record for the fifty-meters free style event twice yesterday afternoon. In the first heat Johnny splashed through the half century in 25 4-5 seconds. This broke the record of 27 seconds made by Pua Kealoha in Honolulu in October last year. Then, in the finals in this event, Johnny clipped off three-fifths second more from his own new world record, making it in 25 1-5 seconds.

### Three New Records.

The creation of these three new records yesterday gave Indianapolis the greatest distinction it has ever experienced in swimming history. Never before have as many records been broken in one day, and never before have American swimmers met for an event of such importance, as this one, in which the fastest swimmers and best divers of the nation vie with one another for places on Uncle Sam's Olympic swimming team. In fact, it is the first time that the Olympic swimming trials were ever held at one place. Formerly a few events were held in separate cities.

With the exception of the diving events, in which but two men in each event are eligible for the Olympic team, giving the diving team a complement of six men, the first three men placing in the finals of each of the six swimming events become members of the team. In the case where one man wins more than one first, second or third place, it is probable that the fourth man in one of the events will be added as a substitute to the team. The team will be composed of twenty-four men and will be completed tonight.

Five Olympic events have been completed, and the men who make up the team in its present form, exclusive of

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