

S P O R T S

OLYMPIC HOPES

Panama ready for coming olympics

The pulse of the national athletic life has quickened with the announcement of the holding of the Central American Olympics in Colombia in December of this year.

Panama will have a very strong track and field team that should win many honors and break at least six of the Central American records. Outstanding among the athletes are:

CLAYTON CLARKE... Ace sprinter of Aston Parchment's Club Mercurio. Best Panamanian sprinter since the immortal Reggie Beckford. Personal records of 10.3 for the 100 meters, 9.5 for the hundred yards, and 21.3 for the 200 meters around a turn... Stylish.

ST. CLAIR BROWN... No. 2 man on sprint team. Fast breaker. Consistent at 10.5 in 100 meters. Should be vastly improved by December. A Mercurian.

LUIS WELCH... A brilliant rookie. Has shown remarkable improvement. First year of big time competition. Mercurian.

CIRILO MCSWEEN.. Champion quarter-miler. Is sure to break existing Central American record. Young, popular, powerful.

ERIC FERGURSON... Gold Coast quarter-miler. Great threat to all if consistent in training. Wonderful prospect. From Atlantic Athletic Club.

REGINALDO MATTHEWS... Big, strong, fast. Best hope of Panama in the pentathlon. Good quarter-miler and hurdler.

DAVID BENSKIN.. National half-and one-mile champion. In a class by himself

locally. Captain of Club Mercurio. Hard-working, inspiring leader, reliable. A swell guy.

LUIS RICKETTS... Runner-up to Benskin. Gold Coast idol. Somewhat inconsistent.

FRANK PRINCE... Of Club Commandos. Rookie of the season. Fast, courageous, hard-working. A definite threat to all.

MITCHELL CLOVIS... National high jump champion. This Mercurian in his own lazy way is still the favorite to win out in the big classic in December.

AMY FOSTER... Brilliant record-holder of Mercurio. Needs no introduction. Favorite in the Olympics.

JUDITH CABALLERO.... The powerful discus and javelin thrower of Panama. A wonderful all-round athlete.

CARMEN WORRELL . . . Atlantic Athletic Club hope. No. 2 runner of Panama. Fast but not consistent.

MILDRED BANNISTER... Mercurian speedster. The baby of the group. Fast on the heels of Amy Foster.

RUTH TROTMAN... Former national champion, Staging a brilliant comeback. May be the surprise package in December.

SILVIA FORDE... Velaco's contribution to a powerful team. Record holder in high jump. Promising sprinter. Fine all-rounder.

JOSE FRENCH. . Still the massive monarch of the discus shot, and javelin throwers. Director of Club Urco. Sunshine disposition.

JENNINGS BLACKEET . . . Former sprint champion. New broad jump ace. Still keeps up with the best for the first forty yards. Mercurian.

A man's real test of ability is to live wisely, to make life worth while, and to be in a position to provide the precious things of life to satisfy the needs of his family and himself.

Life should not be merely endurable but enjoyable. The deeper this feeling is imbedded in our hearts and minds, the more certain will be the results.

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THE LOOKOUT

Bouquets to **GEORGE GREENE**, Superintendent of the Mechanical Engineering Division, who at a committee meeting of his "silver" employees promised to exert every effort to better the lot of his "silver" workers.

Superintendent Greene has stepped up to the plate to bat. Will he drive in all the runs on base or will he go swinging for a strike-out? We hope that in a few months we can report that his promises have borne fruit.

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CIO IS HERE....

Goldsmith while the crowd cheered.

In response, Golmith pledged that the CIO would support the Canal Zone workers and urged that the only real solution to the problems of the workers was strong organization that will unify them around a program for the common good.

He brought greetings to the people of the Zone from CIO President Philip Murray and from Abram Flaxer, International President of the United Public Workers of America, CIO.

A few hours after his arrival, Golsmith met with the officers and Executive Board members of the Canal Zone Workers Union where CIO affiliation and organizational details were discussed.

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ODE TO THE CANAL ZONE WORKERS UNION

Let us battle for the freedom
And those things that make it thrive;
Join the C.Z. Workers Union;
We must do this to survive.
Let us battle for the main things,
That will make us live aright
With our courage, brawn and purpose
Organize and join the fight.
We seek not social equality
Nor an opportunity to share,
In our brothers golden haven
Or their other treasures rare.
All we ask is to be able,
Comfortably here to live;
Getting what is justly due us
And that's what they will not give.
Men of gold and men of silver,
Are now echoes of the past,
"Down with them is now the slogan"
Since our future hopes are cast.
Hail! to our benefactors.
Whose grit will see us through
We'll all unite to fight for right.
There's nothing else to do.

By Elvira Downes.

Why not a post office in Silver City and another at La Boca? The populations of these two towns warrant such facilities.

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Gyms in small towns, gyms in middle-sized towns, gyms here and there, but not a gymnasium in the largest two "silver" towns, Silver City and La Boca. When? Oh, when?

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"Water, water, everywhere,

but not a decent hole in which to swim," may well be the chant of the "silver" workers. What about the two-year-old plans for the building of a road to the Hideaway Beach?

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What about the widening of Martinique Street in La Boca? This is the main artery of traffic to and from the commissary.

(Send in your recommendations to THE LOOKOUT)

PERFECT TIMING...

of the 170-year old tried and true fact that, Americans, true Americans, believe and practice, that the nation was founded, that the nation has and will continue to prosper (God willing) on these self-evident truths, "that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that amongst these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."

To acquire these said UNALIENABLE RIGHTS, that for 42 years of Canal History, have been denied us by despots we are now mobilizing and coordinating our vast and untill yesterday impotent potentialities for the struggle.

Lest our strategy be misunderstood by those who are wishing to brand us subversive, let it be here stated what our armaments shall be:

1. The promised assistance of many liberal Americans (official and private)
2. Enlistment of the services of a liberal press (local if any and abroad).
3. The radio, here and abroad.
4. The spoken word.

Our cause is a just one, we have no unreasonable or stupid plans or ambitions, but the ignominious division of the human being into first and second class people by the gold and silver roll system without any just reasons but vicious racial discriminations, is now due for a change.

Let not the abolition of the gold and silver roll system and its collateral evils be misconstrued to mean that in exerting these rights, we are planning to encroach on the freedom and liberty of others of choosing their friends and their social activities etc.

What we do advocate is an actual economic liberation by means of a reasonable liveable wage as a base, and that the present social caste system should not be so freely and openly maintained and protected by the public funds of a nation whose Constitution forbids such anti-liberal practices.

There are numerous true Americans, many in official positions many in private life, who are assisting and have pledged to support this movement. We are laying a long-range multi-frontal attack and convinced as we are that justice must always triumph over injustice, that wrong shall not prevail over, right, with confidence and patience we are about to face our many, many foes.

Perfect timing with a survey intended to cloud the "silver minds" of the truth of his "silver lot" (not as men) should not achieve its subtle aims inducing you to loose interest in or not joining the Canal Zone Workers Union.

Roddy Prince Receives Contract

Roddy Prince one of our local Baseball Kings has received and accepted a contract to take a Canal Zone All Star team to Costa Rica on September 12, 1946 according to a report received by one of our reporters.

It is understood that he will leave the Isthmus on the date mentioned accompanied by his selection and remain until October 2nd.

Mr. Thorbourne who is in charge of the venture has guaranteed passage and board for the 17 boys who will be selected.

AN INJURY TO ONE IS AN INJURY TO ALL