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6th International/National YMCA Swimming & Diving Championship - April 13-14 Hosted by the YMCA of Chicago

This championship was conducted under the auspices of the National YMCA Physical Education Committee of the United States. The meet was hosted by the YMCA of Chicago and held at George Williams College on Friday and Saturday, April 13 & 14, 1928. One hundred and forty contestants were entered from twenty-six Associations.

Associations: Seven branches from the Chicago Association: Hyde Park, North Avenue-Larrabee, 111th Street, Sears-Roebuck, South, West Side, and Wilson Avenue. Four others cities in Illinois: Aurora, Elgin, Oak Park and Waukegan. Fifteen Associations from other states: Indiana — Anderson, Evansville, Fort Wayne and Richmond; Iowa—Des Moines; Ohio — Central Branches in Akron, Dayton and Toledo, plus Lima; Michigan—Grand Rapids and Jackson; Missouri—Downtown Branch St. Louis; Nebraska—Lincoln, and Omaha; and New York—Central Branch Brooklyn,

Participants:

Indiana: Anderson: M. Bridenthal, C Goettish; **Evansville:** J. Baumgartner; **Ft. Wayne:** G. Blanton, E.H. Dobler, R. Bradley, D. Fannehill, R. Powell, J. Hopper; **Richmond:** D. Cartwright, R. Porter, C. Engelbert, W. Reynard, E. Bonsall, D. Davenport, F. Bond, J. Healey, F. Peacock.

Illinois: **Chicago Branches:** **Hyde Park:** William Mackie Jr., Al Daniels, C.E. Jones, R. Chapman, K. Giigsby, L. Harrison, J. Weiller, R.M. Gollhoffer, Al Schick; **North Avenue-Larrabee:** H. Miller, H. Walters, J. Mansfield, R. Voss, G. Grothe, H. Krackover, P. Flores; **111th Street:** J. Vantuin; **Sears-Roebuck:** R. Fields, M. Brenner; **South:** M.L. Collet; **West Side:** William Rothe, William Schott, LeRue Hart; **Wilson Avenue:** A. Skoog, S. Berman, J. Mohr, E. Berger, N Monson, T. Swanlund, Ted Link, William Link, W.D. Miller, H.E. Berger; **Other Cities:** **Aurora:** E. Moos, W. Gabel, E Tews, G. Hendricker, R. Mlaker, L. Frazier, C. Comas, H. Murray, E. Howell; **Elgin:** D. Hill, G. Carlson, R. Conyne, F. Fitchie, A. Fairchild, P.A.W. Gerlings, A Chamberlain; **Oak Park:** J. Cinky, R. McManus, T. McManus, G. Stewart, F. Schukraft, J. Griffin; **Waukegan:** T. Yager, E. Blazen, S. Mayer, H. Colley, D. Russell K. Caldwell, N. Litz, H. Jahnke, F. Aulur, L. Lzazkowski, Joe Lima, Joe E. Lima Sr..

Iowa: **Des Moines:** Jack McGuire, E. Shaw, R. Barrum, M. Thompson, B. Strong, L. Voorhees, E. Weeks, F. Conway, B. Marshall, G. Neihous.

Ohio: **Akron:** A. Philput; **Dayton, Central:** J.D. Jackson, **Louis A. Cox(+)**, W.K. Sackwitz, R. Cox Jr, Soichi Kawazoe, R. Whyte, George Weed. **Lima:** C. King. **Toledo Central:** A. Adams, F. Rohr, J. Weiller, E. McVicker.

Michigan: **Grand Rapids:** E. Richmond, H. Rose, A. Kalenda. **Jackson:** R. Howlett.

Missouri: **St. Louis Downtown:** C.R. Weiller, A. Nagy, William Votkmann, J. Lindsay, A. Furman, S. Stevens, C.S. Milkle.

Nebraska: **Lincoln:** Sam Amato, P. Gollup, R. Vanderlippe, Gregg Waldo, R. Hickman, M. Kinsey, F. Mockler. **Omaha:** A. Eiler, B. Bingham, J. Girthoffer, P. Enger.

New York: **Brooklyn Central:** Walter Spence, Ted Brick, F Wagner, Fred Kothe, F. Broquehais, L. Mansfield, Wallace Spence, H. Stahlhut, W. Cunningham, W. Kissel.

(+) Indicated a Joseph G. Rogers Award Recipient--1982.

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The Officials for the meet:

Referee:	E. W. McGillery Jr.	University of Chicago.
Starter:	Dr. J.B. Bradwell	Winnetka, IL
Chief Judge:	E.C. Delaporte	Chicago Board of Education
Chief Timer:	R.H. Flueggs	Chicago, IL
Diving Referee:	Clark Leach	Union League Club
Announcer:	William T. Rowe	Irving Park YMCA

Supervisory Committee:

Dr. H.F. Kallenberg Dr. R.A. Allen Martin I. Foss G.S. Cottle

Chicago Swimming Committee:

G.S. Cottle William T. Rowe E.B. Coxwell P.A. Leonhardt

Entertainment Committee:

R.A. Llg Martin I Foss Dr. H.F. Kallenberg

Meet Results:

160 Yard Free Style Relay

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	No Names Available	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	1:20.0
2 nd	No Names Available	Central Br. Dayton, OH	NT
3 rd	No Names Available	Des Moines, IA	NT
4 th	No Names Available	Oak Park, IL	NT

Fancy Diving

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Points:</u>
1 st	W. Kissell	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	96.20
2 nd	R. Whyte	Central Br. Dayton, OH	No Pts.
3 rd	B. Strong	Des Moines, IA	No Pts.
4 th	Ed McVickers	Central Br. Toledo, OH	No Pts.

40 Yard Free Style

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Walter Spence	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	18.4*
2 nd	H. Rose	Grand Rapids, MI	NT
3 rd	L. Mansfield	Central Br, Brooklyn, NY	NT
4 th	William Shott	West Side Br. Chicago, IL	NT

200 Yard Breast Stroke

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Wallace Spence	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	2:40.1
2 nd	P. Enger	Omaha, NE	NT
3 rd	F. Conway	Des Moines, IA	NT
4 th	E. Weeks	Des Moines, IA	NT

(*) Indicates those individuals who have broken the existing National YMCA Record time.

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220 Yard Free Style

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	F. Wagner	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	2:33. 1/3
2 nd	C. King	Lima, OH	NT
3 rd	J. Grithoffer	Omaha, NE	NT
4 th	Fred Kothe	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT

100 Yard Back Stroke

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Walter Spence	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	1:07 4/5
2 nd	R. Howlett	Jackson, MI	NT
3 rd	Jack McGuire	Des Moines, IA	NT
4 th	R. Bradley	Ft. Wayne, IN	NT

100 Yard Free Style

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	F. Broquehais	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	1:00.1/5
2 nd	L Collet	South Br. Chicago, IL	NT
3 rd	L. Mansfield	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT
4 th	William Shott	West Side Br. Chicago, IL	NT

440 Yard Free Style

<u>Place:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Association:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Fredrick Wagner	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	5:53.1/5
2 nd	C. King	Lima, OH	NT
3 rd	J. Girthoffer	Omaha, NE	NT
4 th	Fred Kothe	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT

Scoring:

<u>Place:</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
Individual Events:	5	3	2	1
Relay Events:	8	6	4	2

Team Standings:

1 st Place	Central Branch Brooklyn, NY	49
2 nd Place	Des Moines, IA	11
3 rd Place	Central Branch Dayton, OH	9
4 th Place	Omaha, NE	7
5 th Place	Lima, OH	6
6 th Place T	Grand Rapids, MI	3
6 th Place T	Jackson, MI	3
6 th Place T	South Branch Chicago, IL	3
9 th Place T	Oak Park, IL	2
9 th Place T	West Side Branch Chicago, IL	2
11 th Place	Ft, Wayne, IN	1

* "T" indicates that there was a tie between the indicated teams

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Editorial Note: Louis A. Cox, a participant in this meet, was a “**Joseph G. Rogers Award**” recipient in **1982**. Lou Cox was born in Yokohama, Japan of an American Father and a Japanese Mother. He came to America in 1925 after being educated in Hawaii and landed in Dayton, Ohio. Lou entered the University of Dayton and graduated in 1930. Determined to follow a career in the Young Men’s Christian Association, he took over the pool at the Dayton YMCA. His exceptional YMCA career of over 30 years took place mostly in Dayton, Ohio with short stays in Baltimore, Maryland, and Westfield, Massachusetts. While in Massachusetts, he took time to do advanced studies at the YMCA College in Springfield, Massachusetts. As the Physical Director in Dayton, Lou developed an outstanding reputation as Physical Educator and was a strong supporter of YMCA Competitive Aquatics. In the mid 1950’s thru the early 1960’s, Lou Cox was an avid supporter of our YMCA National Swimming and Diving Championships and kept it alive by promoting and hosting both the 1958 and the 1960 YMCA National Meets.