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# SPEEDWAY KINGS READY FOR MEET AT INDIANAPOLIS

Los Angeles Racing Camps  
Deserted as Drivers Pre-  
pare for Classic.

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The Walter Camp of the Speedway.  
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## ITALIAN TO PILOT MERCEDES.

Peter De Paolo, young Italian, who broke in as a driver at Beverly Hills more than two years ago but who has been out of competition for the past season, is at Indianapolis to drive a German Mercedes. The car has been rebuilt by Louis Chevrolet since it has been in America and it is said to be as fast as any of the American cars entered with the exception of Milton's Miller, Fengler's Wade Special and Cliff Durant's mount. De Paolo has been at Chevrolet's plant for some time and when the race is called he will have had the advantage of a long period of training which should stand him in good stead.

Among the foreign entries are Alfred E. Moss of London, England and C. J. Ramsey of Denmark. The latter is to pilot a Schmidt Special which is really a rebuilt Mercedes. A. F. Schmidt, a French engineer, got hold of the German mount and is claimed to have done wonders with it in the way of tuning it properly for the Indianapolis track.