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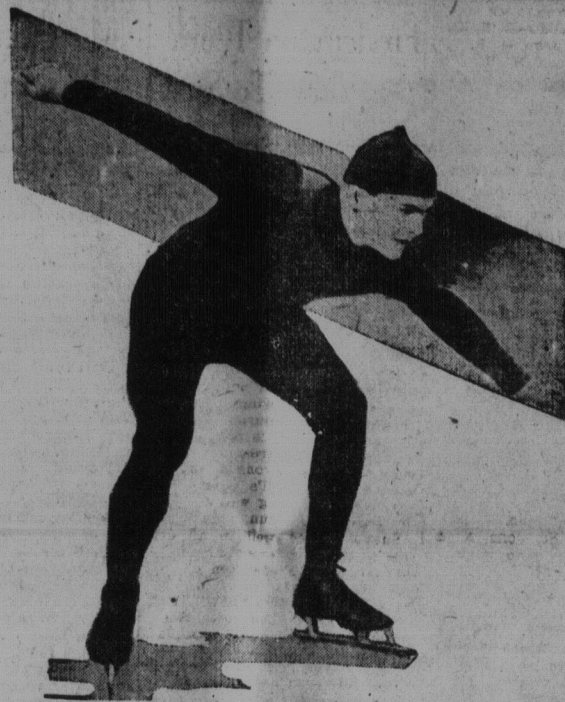
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National Champion who arrived in the city from Lake Placid, N. Y., on Monday. He is rated as one of the fastest skaters in North America and recently captured the New York State Championship. He will make a great bid for the majority of points Wednesday and Thursday.

PROGRAMME FOR THE TWO BIG DAYS.

The programme of the Canadian Amateur Speed Skating Championships follows:

Wednesday Afternoon

220 yards senior; one mile senior; races for boys under fifteen will be skated in their entirety, including the preliminary heats, semi-finals and the finals. Two preliminary heats for boys under twelve will also be skated.

Thursday Public Half-Holiday

Senior 440, 880 and three mile events. Race for boys under eighteen, and the final for boys under twelve.

Programme for each day will start at two o'clock.

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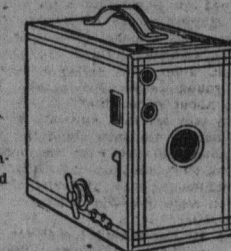
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SPEED SKATERS LARGE AUDIENCE

The Pick of Canada and International Skating Championships Today—Officially Confidently Expect Newcomers Yesterday

Perfect ice as smooth as glass with just enough frost in it to pond to the keen razor blade blades, favored the speed men at Lake yesterday. Again the lake proved the mecca of all those at leisure, at times there were fully two thousand spectators watching the skaters about the big oval in trial print steady down to the long swinging start that sets up space, in the distance. The crowd kept coming, coming continually so that the number who were in attendance have mounted well up in the figure column.

If it's only this way tomorrow was a catch expression to be heard on all sides, and if the weather does continue in its complacent conditions will be ideal.

Yesterday there was not a bit of wind, and at the same time it was quite a bit of warmth in the air. The old Sol shone down from a clear sky. The movie men and the photographers were fully alive to the situation and kept all the skaters busy putting out in the center of the race course.

Good Natured.

The skaters proved what good natured chaps they are, and were as obliging in posing for the camera men, as for the professional photographers. After solo pictures had been of the stars, the entire field of skaters lined up in a large semi-circle grouped for a panoramic view. Ray Murray struck a strictly professional pose beside his uncle, Moore. Charlie Gorman stayed the St. John boys, Gorman, Lay and young Logan posing with arms about each other.

The late arrivals were quickly greeted by the fans along the enclosing the speedway, the more serving ones pointing them out to companions. Those who attracted attention were, Roy McWhorter of London, Ontario, who arrived yesterday, attired in a dark olive green who holds the world's record for 100 miles and 500 yards; Russell Wheeler of Montreal, the Canadian Champion who did not bother changing his skating togs, as he arrived in the city but a short while before the start of the race, so naturally, he might have otherwise been leaving that for today and tomorrow.

Other Arrivals

Other skaters, who came in yesterday, were William Steinhilber and Doughton, who, like McWhorter, from that winter city, Chicago. Metz has been figuring in National and International skating meetings a number of years, and has also given a good account of himself against the field.

The Chicago boys stated yesterday that they were at somewhat of an advantage as, owing to lack of ice, they had only been able to train the meet during the last nine days.

Other skaters who only arrived yesterday were: Joseph Voorn of Montreal, Paul Fournier and Westker and George Pickering, Paterson, New Jersey; W. E. Roughton, Montreal; A. A. A. who will act as starter and R. B. Melville, Montreal.

Julian T. Fitzgerald, president of the International Skating Association, accompanied by his wife, also arrived yesterday. Mr. Fitzgerald was enthusiastic about the big meet, and said that the cream of the skaters from the United States and Canada had gathered here, and that the meet should prove one of the greatest in the annals of skating history.

Fast Ice

His opinion was echoed by the skaters at the lake, who said the ice was faster than that at any of the meets last year, so that if weather holds, the fans may hope to see Charlie Gorman break a world record on his own ice, and no one would pass the opportunity up if the occasion should prove favorable.

Charlie had a few brushes with visitors yesterday and in each showed them a clean pair of heels. Frank Garnett also led a string of outside boys a pretty race in the brushes. Young Tebo was able to out again, and he and Ray Moore the eleven year old wonder from York, had a great day's sport.

David Patrick, of Winnipeg, however almost all the field in long limb, and skates like the wind. A few are looking forward to his performance in the races.

R. Stephenson, of the Aurora Club, and Ed. Gloster, of the St. John Athletic Club, both Torontonians are two other Canadians who are expected to give good accounts of themselves.

At the Middle Atlantic championships held at Newburgh, N. Y., last week, Gloster qualified for all the prizes, but lack of condition told on him and he was unable to place any of the big prizes in the finals. He won the big prize in the two mile event. Saranac, last year, and at both nationals and internationals he had ed up well. He has held Toronto's Ontario championships for three years. Stephenson won third in the 1000 yds at the Canadian nationals in Montreal, last year, and also won 440 indoors at Philadelphia. He had previously won a 220 indoor international title also.

Barrel Hurdling

At the park yesterday, Stephen and Bobby Hearn, of New York,