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KELLEY SIGNS WITH BOSTON.

Toronto Manager Gets Two-Year Contract.

Highfield School Hockey Club Chooses Officers—Hockey Club Organized at Burlington—Tom Flanagan Makes a Good Suggestion Regarding the Choosing of Athletes for Olympic Games.

New York, Dec. 12.—Manager Joe Kelley, who piloted the Toronto Eastern League champions to the top of the heap last season, has signed a two-year contract to manage the Boston National League team next season. President Dovey, of Boston, and Kelley got together at to-day's meeting of the National League.

Dovey had threatened to apply all the force of baseball law to Kelley and keep him out of baseball entirely unless he agreed to sign a one-year contract with Boston. Kelley was determined not to sign for so brief a period, and had concluded to enter politics in Baltimore, where he is known to wield considerable influence, unless a three-year contract was forthcoming. The two-year agreement is, therefore, a policy to give and take, with an even break for both parties. Kelley's job for the season of 1908 will not involve a bed of roses.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

Tom Flanagan Proposes Plan for Selecting Olympic Team.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—If Tom Flanagan's idea is adopted as the standard whereby athletes are accepted for the Olympiad, the matter of making collections to send the Canadian contingent over home will be considerably simplified. According to Mr. Flanagan the men should come up to the following specifications in the different departments:

- 100 yards 22 seconds
- 220 yards 50 1/2 seconds
- 4 mile 30 1/2 minutes
- 1 mile 4.28
- 5 miles 26.25
- Hurdles 15 1/2 seconds
- High jump, running 6 feet
- Broad jump, running 22 ft. 9 in.
- Running, hop step and jump 47 ft.
- Pole vault 12 feet
- Hammer 163 feet
- Shot 45 feet
- Discus 120 feet

ABOUT CANADIAN.

Philadelphia, Dec. 12.—The chief result of the burying of the hatchet in Canadian athletics will be the positive appearance of Tom Longboat at the London meet. With all Canada behind him, there is hardly a chance that the British authorities will consider any of the petty charges that have been brought against him in the United States.

A prominent sporting man who has just returned from Toronto, where Longboat is now trying to make his salt with a little cigar store, remarks the idea that Longboat has made any money in athletics.

"Why, the Indian is positively lucky when he has two dollars to rub together. As for his morals, there is no doubt he has his faults, but Tom Flanagan, who is keeping watch on the young brave, has kept him remarkably straight. Longboat is too ignorant to practice any sharp deals in his racing, and if he ever ran for money, it's a safe bet that his former managers scooped it all."

Though official announcement has not been made, it has been learned on excellent authority that all suspensions in Canada against the Canadian athletes will be raised and that the Canuck team will go to London shoulder to shoulder in a solid phalanx. This will insure a very strong team for the men across the border. The Federation will contribute men like Hapenny, the vaulter; Lukeman, who won the 150-yard championship in Madison Square Garden; Mackay, the crack little half-

mile and Riddell, a flier in the quarter-mile. Chief among the C. A. A. U. men are Longboat, the peerless distance runner, who, by the way, is said to have recently run a mile in 4 minutes and 23 seconds; Bob Kerr, the sprinter, who ran "nine-four" for the 100 last summer, and who has been credited with 22 seconds for the furlong sprint, and Con. Walsh, the great weight thrower. These fellows, who rank in their respective events second to few on the American continent, will form the nucleus of the team which the Canucks hope will do them honor on British soil.

PAYNE SENDS AN AFFIDAVIT.

Montreal, Dec. 12.—The Amateur Federation of Athletics has sent the affidavit of A. N. Payne in connection with the charges against the Irish-Canadians to the C.A.A.U. It is a long document, and contains little new that has not been published.

Payne charges that Tom Flanagan, the I.C.A.C. manager, received \$250 for expenses; that some of the winning Toronto athletes sold their prizes or "bartered them for a consideration" while still in Ottawa; Flanagan admitted to him that his athletes were professionals, and that he paid for their keep, and that he was in the C.A.A.U. for what he could make out of it; that he saw Lou Marsh get money from Flanagan in Ottawa, and that Flanagan remarked, "That's the way I get bread."

The affidavit concludes as follows:—"That I have known the said Longboat for years, and believe that up to the time of said meet had no apparent means of livelihood other than sports."

"That I believe the said Flanagan did hold up the said committee in the matter of expenses, and did receive more than the amount allowed by our amateur law."

"That I make this statement through no motive or ill-will toward the herein mentioned, but because I believe I am acting in the true interest of clean sport. That the conversations referred to herein were in no sense private or confidential."

BURLINGTON ROAD RACE.

Burlington, Dec. 12.—Great interest is being manifested in the road race to be held here on Christmas Day, and the indications are that the race will be a huge success. The local runners are training hard for the event, and will strive to carry off all the trophies. Ed. Cotter and Colin Smith, respective winners of the previous races, will be starters, and the result of the meeting of these two rivals has increased the interest. Other local runners who have been over the course are Joe Garahan, Kenneth Sheppard, Norval Warden, and several dark horses, who are keeping their trials quiet.

Entries will be received at the Gazette office up to December 21st. An entrance fee of 50 cents will be charged, which will be refunded after the race, upon the entry numbers being returned to the secretary.

H. G. C. BEATEN AT TEN PINS.

At the Brunswick Alleys yesterday afternoon the Fernleigh Bowling Club beat the Hamilton Gun Club by 141 pins. The score:

J. Fernleigh	123	137	150	410
J. Hennessy	114	120	117	351
Griffin	116	123	204	513
H. Hennessy	136	170	140	446
E. Laird	194	119	152	465
Laird	146	137	165	448
Total				2187
H. G. Club	106	135	116	357
Hawkins	143	168	105	416
Johnson	139	114	128	381
Simpson	150	147	137	434
W. Hawkins	134	153	171	458
R. Royal				458
Total				2046

Some Snap Shots at Sport and Sportsmen

The management of the Hamilton Football Club should provide something good in the souvenir line for the Inter-mediate Tigers, the winners of the Dominion championship in their class. They saved Hamilton's football reputation.

There was a good deal of horse talk in the Grand Jury-room at the Sessions yesterday afternoon, according to "inside information" received. It was in connection with the case of Bookmaker Myers, charged with stealing race tickets from Harry Daniels. Andy Swazey was one of the curious Grand Jurors. He wanted to know if the tickets were on Sally Preston, and another farmer asked Daniels why he did not cash the tickets before the race was run.

Evidently some of the sporting men who went to see Mrs. Pat Campbell at the Grand last night did not think they got a good run for their money. When one of them was going out between the first and second acts, he asked the door tender why there were no specialties between the acts.

Sporting men who object to Tommy Burns making hay while the sun shines are using him to point a moral and adorn a sermon he is drawing \$300 per week from a nussie hall while waiting to take on a couple of the easiest kind of marks in Palmer and Roche. In the meantime he is getting the widest kind of advertising on this side of the pond as the one man who cares not for color, creed or lbs. avoirdupois. He will take on Jack Johnson? Sure. If necessary he will eat a negro every morning for breakfast. When Tommy was in this neighborhood somebody suggested that he had studied the gentle art of advertising. Recent developments incline one to the belief that the guess was a good one.—Toronto Telegram

again there is no reason why the purse will not be hung up any more than the Canadian will accept it rather than hurry home to give Johnson a licking.

Arthur Irwin, ever resourceful, bobbed up at the baseball meeting in New York with a scheme whereby the game could be played by searchlights after dark. Montreal, for instance, gets too much baseball in the day time.

"Longboat will not run Tait for charity," said Tom Flanagan last evening. "The athletes have given two much to charity already this year. I gave \$1,000 in an event that did not come off at the police games. Shrubbs also gave \$1,000 out of the gate on the first day Tom Longboat met him and turned professional, and now West End want to add the receipts of the Longboat-Tait gate to the other sums. If we keep on we will have a hospital or charitable institution built at every corner.—on paper.—Toronto News.

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Tommy Burns Right in Taking in Jack Palmer.

Tommy Burns, heavyweight champion of the world, by signing articles to fight Jack Palmer before the National Sporting Club of London on or before Feb. 7, 1908, has made what looks like another easy match. No doubt he will be grilled for matching with the Englishman instead of hiking back to this country to fight Jack Johnson.

Johnson, so he and his manager state, have been after Tommy for a long while, and they have left no stone unturned to inveigle him into a match. Wonder if it ever occurred to them that they did not go about it in the right way to secure a match. It is nearly two years since Burns won the championship of America by defeating Marvin Hart, and it is five months since he took the measure of the Australian champion, Bill Squires, but neither Johnson nor his manager has issued a direct challenge to Burns, backed up with a substantial forfeit.

According to reports from New York, Sam Fitzpatrick, Johnson's manager, last week was to have issued a challenge to

Tommy and post a forfeit, just to show he meant business, but nothing other than bombastic talk has since been heard of it. Palmer, on the other hand, challenged and posted \$2,500, the same to go as a side bet, immediately after Burns' victory over Bear. That, according to the ethics of the game, gave him the prior right to a fight with the champion, and Burns, as champion, was compelled to accept the challenge or forfeit his title. The fact Palmer is supposed to be an easy mark, which, according to his showing with Jack ("Twin") Sullivan at Los Angeles last March, he undoubtedly is, but he challenged properly, which is more than can be said for the Johnson party.

The joke of the match, if there be any, is on the Englishman, as his record shows him to be a third-rate fighter. However, he saw Tommy fight Moir, and, presumably, so did his backers, and they are willing to bet their money he can win. Of course Tommy will be accused of seeking an easy mark, but in this case the supposedly easy mark sought Tommy.

SHORT ENDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near.

On account of the several features at the Britannia roller rink all this week, the two-mile skating race for the city championship has been postponed for one week from Friday night.

New Orleans, Dec. 12.—There was not much to the racing at the Fair Grounds this afternoon. The majority of the runners were long shots and the bookmakers reaped a harvest. Edward Corrigan took down the feature event of the afternoon with Alma Dufour, a purse event at a mile and seventy yards. Auventer beat Sally Preston by an eyelash.

Boston, Dec. 12.—At the twenty-seventh annual meeting of the International Federation of American Hockey Pigeon Fanciers, which closed its session yesterday, the best record for the year was awarded to Tornado, belonging to Fred May, of Minneapolis, with a flight of 600 miles in 15 hours. Another record flight was made by Edward Corrigan took down the feature event of the afternoon with Alma Dufour, a purse event at a mile and seventy yards. Auventer beat Sally Preston by an eyelash.

KEEPS EGGS FRESH.

Invention of a Hamilton Man Now in Iowa.

Will R. Smith, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, a former resident of this city, has invented a machine for sterilizing eggs, by which it is claimed, eggs are made to keep as fresh as the day they were laid for a year. A public test was made in the Auditorium on November 7. A dozen eggs that were placed in the sterilizing box on June 5, sealed by a Justice of the Peace and placed away, were opened, examined and tested. They were declared to be as fresh as perfectly new laid eggs. The cost for treatment is one cent a dozen. A company is being organized.

TYPO UNION OFFICERS.

Hamilton Typographical Union, 129, held its annual meeting last evening, and elected the following officers: President—R. J. Robt. First Vice-President—Thomas Costello. Second Vice-President—J. Bonner. Secretary—John Burns. Treasurer—E. James. Auditors—W. Wingfield, W. Jamieson, C. Geiss. Sergeant-at-Arms—Robert Rayburn.

PUT UP PRICES.

London, Dec. 12.—The Stock Exchange expects that President Roosevelt's announcement will prove a bull point and it has put up prices on American shares in the anticipation of the receipt of strong quotations from New York. The market opened firm about parity, but as soon as the decision of the President was made public, active issues improved one point.

SULTAN RETIRES.

Paris, Dec. 12.—In a despatch from Casa Blanca, General Druce, the French commander in Morocco, gives a report that Mulai Hafid, the "Southern Sultan," has withdrawn in the direction of Morocco city, and in the same time ordered his forces near Zidialassa and Mogador also to retire.

LORD KELVIN ILL.

London, Dec. 12.—Grave anxiety is felt here regarding the condition of Lord Kelvin, the famous scientist. He has been ill for some time and to-day he was reported to be worse.

Cure Guaranteed for Catarrh!

The New Pine-Air Breathing Cure "Catarrhzone" is Unfailing in Bronchitis and Catarrh.

The cause of this disease is a germ that attacks the lining of the nose and throat, from which it spreads to bronchial tubes and finally reaches the lungs. Cough syrup can't follow to the lungs—they go to the stomach. That's why they fail. But Catarrhzone goes everywhere—gets right after the germs—kills them—heals the sores—cures the inflammation—makes Catarrh disappear. "Nothing I ever used gives the warm, soothing sensation of Catarrhzone," writes Isabel Fry, of Seguin Falls, Ont. "I was in a frightful way with catarrh of the nose and throat—had drooping, hard breathing, bad breath and indigestion. Catarrhzone relieved at once and cured me thoroughly. It is invaluable in colds, coughs, throat and bronchial trouble." Not difficult for Catarrhzone to cure, because it contains the essences of pine balsams and other antiseptics that simply mean death to catarrh. Large size, guaranteed, \$1; small (trial) size, 25c. All dealers, or N. C. Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

"Blind Pig" or Decent Bar?

Under license, men drink moderately, and are restricted to good behavior. No Ontario licensed bartender dare sell to a drunken man, nor to a minor—his very living depends upon the decency of his bar.

Under local option, men drink by stealth and to excess—because there is no restraint. Local option substitutes the "blind pig" for the decent bar, and the seller welcomes minors.

Local option hurts the community that tries it. Owen Sound proves that.

In every community where local option has been tried, drunkenness has increased. In one Ontario town arrests for drunkenness have increased 80 per cent, under local option.

Naturally. For when men drink by stealth, hidden from the eyes of the community, they drink for more than they could or would be allowed to under license. Their self-respect, and the law, keeps them straight. Local option hides and increases temptation—never a means.

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FULTON

Mr. Thomas Stapley has finished his season's work at the mason trade and is home for the winter's rest.

Mrs. Jas. McDougal who has been under the care of Dr. McIlwraith, of Burlington, is a little better, but not so as to leave her room yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Nelson, who have been visiting friends in Ohio, have returned home again after an enjoyable visit.

Misses Anna and Janie Nelson visited Miss Ruth Nelson on Sunday.

Mr. Duran Sheldrake, who has been employed by Mr. H. H. Merritt, is at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. John Althouse, of the mountain brow, visited at the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. E. Halsted, on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Merritt and family, of Besantville, visited at the home of her father, Mr. Alanson Parker on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tucker, of Abingdon, visited at Mr. and Mrs. E. Halsted's one day last week.

The roads are very bad just now on account of the rain that has fallen, but the ground is covered with a light coat of the beautiful and its still falling.

PILES

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for hemorrhoids every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles. See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. 50c. at all drug stores. Dr. Chase & Co., Lowell, Mass.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

AT TERCLIFFE

Mrs. John Randall has returned from a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Colver Cosby, Canboro.

There will be a shooting match for chickens, ducks and turkeys at Mr. Abe Senabough's on Saturday, the 14th inst.

The doctor was called on Monday to visit Mr. Walter Miller's little boy, who is quite poorly.

Mr. Marshall Dolan and family will leave the village within a few days and move to the John Zimmer farm, Dilts road.

Mr. Abe Sensabaugh is paying cash for any quantity and all kinds of furs.

The tax collector went through this town on Monday last, and took all the money he could gather.

All were glad to see Pastor Cole at his appointment here on Sunday evening last, after meeting with quite an accident some days ago.

LITTLE IRELAND

Mr. T. Stenhouse, of Little Ireland, is busy shingling his house in Westover.

Miss Katie George, of West Flamboro, spent Sunday with her sister, Hester.

The walking on the sixth concession on Sunday evening was very good. Some of the young ladies enjoyed it.

Miss Laura and Tessie and Mr. William Smith spent Sunday in Hamilton.

William Pegg has finished threshing for the season.

Miss Lora Smith has recently returned from Buffalo.

Mrs. James Rutherford is able to be around again.

Miss Maggie Nichol and Mr. Leo Nichol, of Dundas, spent Sunday at Thos. Nichol's.

Thos. Nichol is building a new driving shed.

Mrs. Geo. Dailey has returned home, after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fletcher.

Mr. Hicks and Robert Fletcher are doing a rushing business in photo-graphs days.

Stockholm, Dec. 12.—Commencing Friday morning, the general public will be admitted daily from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. to the chapel in the palace, where the body of King Oscar will lie in state.

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