

MARATHON WHIP WOODSTOCK; FAEDERICTON DOPNS CALAIS

The Greeks Won Out in Fast Contest Yesterday Afternoon -- Fredericton Disposed of League Leaders in 3 to 2 Game -- Protest May be Entered--Exhibition Game Today Between Marathons and Woodstock.

N. B. AND MAINE LEAGUE. Yesterday's Games. At St. John--Marathons 7, Woodstock 4. At Fredericton--Fredericton 3, Calais 2.

The League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Calais 3 3 .500. Fredericton 7 3 .700. Marathons 7 6 .538. St. Stephen 4 5 .444. Woodstock 3 7 .300. St. John 3 7 .300.

Exhibition Game Today. At St. John--Marathons vs. Woodstock. At St. John--Woodstock vs. St. John.

At Calais--Marathons vs. Calais. Marathons, 7; Woodstock, 4.

About 2,000 people saw the Marathons defeat Woodstock on the Marathons grounds yesterday afternoon by a score of 7 to 4, after a hard fought out battle.

Tarbelle was in the box for the Marathons for the first six and a half innings, and while he managed to strike out no less than five of the visitors, he was somewhat wild and seven hits were made off his delivery. His place was then taken by Sweet, a new pitcher. He showed up in good form and kept the Woodstock men down to one hit while he pitched.

The visitors went to bat first, and Mayo made a single. Wilder hit out to third base. Keany drew a base on balls and the next two men struck out.

For the Marathons with two men out Williams singled to centre and went to third when Riley followed with a single to centre. A throw was made to second to catch Riley and he collided with Keany who dropped the ball and Williams scored. McGarry followed with a two base hit to right field and scored Riley. Donnelly hit out to the pitcher and retired the side.

In the second inning with two men out the Woodstock men made three hits. Talbot singled to left and advanced a bag on Urquhart's single to centre. Mayo was hit with a pitched ball and the bases were filled. Tarbell was uneasy, and giving Wilder a base on balls, forced a run in. Keany followed with a two base hit to centre and scored Mayo and Urquhart. Allen retired the side by hitting out to pitcher.

In the next three innings the sides were blanked and the visitors pulled off the only double in the game when Riley fled out to Talbot in centre and a perfect throw to the plate caught Winter.

In the sixth inning Wessinger hit to Tarbell, who threw wild to first and allowed the runner to reach third. Talbot struck out and Urquhart followed with a single to centre and scored Wessinger. At this stage of the game Tarbell was taken out of the box and replaced by Sweet. Mayo struck out and Wilder hit out to second baseman. In this inning the home team were blanked.

Woodstock was blanked in quick order in the seventh inning and when the Marathons came to bat the baloon went up. Nelson opened with a two base hit to centre field. Sweet hit to Paquette at second and fumbled. Fraser hit to Paquette and Nelson scored. Winter sacrificed. Williams hit to short and Sweet managed to score. Riley followed with a walk to right field and Fraser scored, while Riley went to second on the throw to the plate. McGarry hit to Paquette at second, who missed, allowing Williams and Riley to score. Donnelly hit to Paquette and McGarry was caught at second. Connolly hit out to third and retired the side. This was the final of the scoring with the score seven to four in the Marathons' favor. The sides were retired quickly in the remaining innings and the large crowd was satisfied with having seen an interesting game of baseball.

The following is the box score of the game: Marathons. ABRRHBTBPOAE Fraser, 2b., 5 1 0 0 1 4 0. Winter, ss., 3 0 0 0 1 1 0. Williams, 3b., 4 2 2 3 2 2 0. Riley, cf., 4 2 2 2 1 0 0. McGarry, lf., 4 0 1 2 2 0 0. Donnelly, lb., 4 0 1 0 1 0 0. Connolly, c., 4 0 1 1 2 2 1. Nelson, rf., 4 1 1 2 1 0 0.

Tarbelle, p., 2 0 1 1 1 1 1. Sweet, p., 2 1 0 0 1 1 0. Totals, 36 7 8 11 27 12 2.

Woodstock. ABRRHBTBPOAE Mayo, c., 3 1 1 1 2 2 0. Wilder, lf., 3 0 0 0 3 0 0. Keany, ss., 3 0 1 2 5 1 2. Allen, lb., 4 0 0 0 10 0 1. Goode, rf., 5 0 1 1 2 0 0. Paquette, 2b., 3 0 0 0 0 1 2. Wessinger, 3b., 4 1 2 0 3 0 0. Talbot, cf., 1 1 1 2 1 0 0. Urquhart, p., 4 1 2 2 0 4 0.

Totals, 23 4 8 9 24 12 5.

Score by Innings-- Woodstock, 0-0-0-1-0-4. Marathons, 0-2-0-0-5-7.

Summary, Marathon grounds, Thursday afternoon, July 13th, 1911--Two base hits, Williams, McGarry, Nelson, Keany, struck out by Urquhart, 1, viz. Nelson; by Tarbell, 5, viz. Allen, Talbot, 2, Goode, Wessinger; by Sweet, 2, viz. Talbot, Mago. Bases on balls off Tarbell, 3. Hits off Tarbell in 6 Innings 7; off Sweet in 3 Innings, 1. Hit by pitched ball, Mayo, 2. Keany, Double play, Talbot to Mayo, Sacrifice hits, Wilder, Paquette, Stolen bases, Wessinger, 2, Williams, Donnelly. Left on bases, Marathons 6. Woodstock 10. Umpires, D. Connolly and G. Stubbs. Scorer, Harry Ervin. Time of game, 2:01. Attendance, 2,000.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, July 13.--The N. B. and Maine league leaders got an upset today, Fredericton winning this afternoon's game here with Calais by a score of 3 to 2.

It was a hard fought contest all the way, but with Bill Duval pitching fine ball, and receiving almost perfect support, the locals had a little something on the visitors and clearly deserved to win. The Calais club may protest the game, but as their only hope for upstaging stands on a matter of an umpire's judgement and not on the interpretation of a rule, it is hard to see where a protest will amount to anything.

Fredericton got the first score of the game in the fifth inning when Bill Duval got his base on balls, was neatly sacrificed to second by Sney, got to third on Duggan's double to centre field, and scored on Larry Conley's sacrifice fly to Johnston in centre field.

Calais forced ahead in the sixth when with one down, Johnston was hit in the middle of the back by a pitched ball, and Cobb followed with a lucky home run drive into the pines in right field.

The eighth inning was full of excitement. After Calais had been retired in 1, 2, 3 order Larry Conley opened with an easy pop fly for Cobb, but Joe Callahan was there with his second and hit of the game, a single through shortstop to left field. It was then up to Bob Conley, and the Dorchester boy smashed a drive to deep centre field. It was one of the longest hits on the local grounds in years, and only the fastest kind of fielding stopped Conley from completing the circuit of bases. But Callahan had scored and he was held at third until Tommy Howe hit a long fly to deep right field. At the crack of the bat Conley started towards the plate, but hustled back to third base, and when the catch was made, sprung off the bag and raced for the plate. The throw by Casey was wide and high. The Calais players claimed Conley left third base before the ball was caught, but Rutherford rushed to Umpire Roberts and struck at him. The umpire held the player by the wrists and prevented his further efforts to strike him. Then Joe Neptune rushed at him, pushed him, and finally threw the umpire some distance. By that time the crowd had rushed on the field and threatened to beat the Calais players, but the police appeared in time to stop further trouble. Play was resumed after a few minutes, Umpire-in-Chief Staples announcing the intention of Manager Murchie, of the Calais team, to protest the game. Frank Hughes, who was called as a pinch hitter sent out a single, but the next man was out and Duval didn't give Calais a chance

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Table with columns: ABRRHBTBPOAE, Sney, Duggan, Conley, Callahan, Howe, Sullivan, Murray, Duval, Hughes, Tift, Totals, Calais, Neptune, Johnson, Cobb, Wait, Chism, Rutherford, Mitchell, Totals.

COUNCIL DEFERS ACTION ON THE EARLY CLOSING BY-LAW

At its special meeting last evening the common council by a vote of 12 to 3 turned down a motion of Ald. J. B. Jones to repeal the early closing by-law, and adopted a motion of Ald. Smith declaring that it was inexpedient for the council to take any action on the by-law pending the decision of the Police Magistrate upon the early closing cases before the court.

Some of the aldermen censured the authorities charged with the enforcement of the law and also the citizens who had defied the council and taken the position of law breakers. A large number of citizens were present at the meeting, but they were not given a hearing, as the opponents though they sent in a petition asking that it be repealed neglected to ask for a hearing. Both sides appeared to be well represented, though judging by the demonstrations evoked by the aldermen's remarks, the supporters of the by-law were in the majority.

The Mayor moved that pending the decision of the police court on the early closing cases this council consider the provisions of the by-law. The Mayor said he was in sympathy with the motion. At the same time he was not without sympathy for those who claimed to be injured. He thought some redress might be found by changing the hour of closing, or restricting the number of early closing evenings. Continuing he said they should first find out whether the by-law was legal. The council had been made a laughing stock by those charged with the enforcement of the law. It was the duty of the magistrates to make a decision in the cases before him. After that the council might take up the question of amending or repealing the law. He thought the opponents of the by-law had taken extreme measures. They had placed themselves in direct opposition to the law and defied the law makers. This was not a proper attitude.

Should Settle it at Once. Ald. Potts thought the council should settle the matter either way or the other to vote for the repeal of the law.

Ald. J. B. Jones remarked that the members of the council were not present, and that he doubted whether in view of the fact that the by-law had been adopted unanimously it would be right to attempt to secure its repeal. The Mayor said the same doubt had occurred to him. On consulting with the Common Clerk and Recorder, however, he had been advised that the matter should be dealt with by any meeting of the council whether or not there was a full attendance. Ald. J. B. Jones said the petitioners should be given a hearing. The Mayor--They have not asked for a hearing--they merely petition to have the law repealed. Ald. Jones' Opinion. Ald. J. B. Jones said he had supported the by-law, but was under the impression that it would not reach the small merchants who depended on an evening trade. He thought that in view of the protests and evidence of hardship the council should either repeal or amend the by-law. Ald. McGoldrick moved that the recorder be heard in reference to the matter. He thought there were two sides to the question, as a large number of merchants favored early closing. The opposition should have shown their hands before the adoption of the by-law. No doubt it bore hard on some keepers of small stores, but he thought most proprietors could do

RESULTS OF THE BIG LEAGUES

Table with columns: National League, American League, Eastern League. Rows for various cities like Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, etc., with columns for Won, Lost, P.C.

WILL PLAY EXHIBITION GAME TODAY

There will be an exhibition game of ball on the Marathons grounds this afternoon between the Woodstock and the Marathons. Uptman will make his first appearance in the box for the Marathons and Morris of Lowell, Mass., who arrived in the city yesterday, will be given a try out by Woodstock. Woodstock will try hard to even up with the Marathons who won yesterday's game and some fast ball will be expected. The game will be called at 3 o'clock sharp.

orphans be. The big stores would get all the business. The motion to repeal the by-law was then put, and lost on the following vote: Yes--J. B. Jones, Wigmore and Scully. Nays--Potts, Collier, Smith, McLeod, Christie, Elliot, Russell, Wilson, McGoldrick, Hayes, Elkin and C. T. Jones. Ald. Smith's motion was then adopted without the question being called.

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New York, July 13.--The annual motor race from Huntington Bay, Long Island, to Marblehead, Mass., will be started at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon when seven entrants are expected to respond to the starting signal, among them some of the best cruisers on Long Island Sound. The finish of the race will be off the foot of the Conantian Yacht Club, of Marblehead. The course is one of 240 nautical miles and it is predicted that the run will be made by the fastest craft among the entrants in about 18 hours. Most of the boats which will enter the race, were specially designed and built for the contest. The experts look for a keen struggle between the six owned by Frank Gheens, of the Motor Boat Club of America, and the inevitable, the property of Alexander Johnson, of the Yonkers Yacht Club. The Kitsu is 36 feet over all and the inevitable 40 feet, but time allowance will place both boats on an equal footing. The entries are as follows: Kitsu, Frank Gheens, Motor Boat Club of America; Inevitable, Alexander Johnson, Yonkers Yacht Club; Classic, James Craig, Motor Boat Club of America; Francis H. George W. Huertel, Hudson River Yacht Club; Surprise, Frank D. Cadmus, Staten Island Yacht Club; Thistle, Joseph H. Wallace, Yonkers Yacht Club; Despite, Dr. Victor C. Pederson, Thousand Islands Yacht Club.

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