OFFICIAL CONTROL OF PROFESSIONAL SPORTS AUTHORIZED

Bill to Establish Athletic Commission Now Awaits Formal Ratification.

GOOD FOR AMATEURS

The bill of Col. Carmichael for the establishment of an athletic commission passed the committee stage of the legislature and now only awaits its formal third reading and royal assent before becoming law. There was only one change made in the measure as originally introduced. The penalty clause, Col. Carmichael thought, was not severe enough, and at his suggestion the house increased it to $200 minimum and $1,000 maximum for violation of the act. The original penalty provided was minimum $20 and maximum $200.

The minister of agriculture, Hon. Manning Doherty, was assured that the proposed commission would be clothed with sufficient power to force any organization to produce a statement of their receipts and expenditures.

In the debate, the general opinion prevailed that professional boxing had now reached the stage where it should be controlled rather than encouraged, so that the people might "get a run for their money." One member, R. R. Hall (Parry Sound), thought that professional boxing had degenerated into brutality.

The premier was a strong advocate, he said, of amateur sports, but as professional boxing was strongly entrenched it should be controlled, and its promotors made responsible to the government. Such action was desirable in the public interest.

What Measure Calls For.

Some of the more important provisions of Mr. Carmichael's bill are as follows:

There shall be established a commission to be composed of five persons, appointed by the lieutenant-governor-in-council, and the commission shall be a body corporate under the name of the Ontario Athletic Commission.

The object of the commission shall be to assist, promote and encourage amateur sport and recreation in schools, community centres and thru amateur sports governing bodies.

Three of the members of the commission shall be designated, upon their appointment, as having special authority under this act so far as it relates to professional boxing and wrestling.

Each of the commissioners shall serve without remuneration, but shall be entitled to receive his traveling expenses and actual disbursements in transacting the business of the commission, and the lieutenant-governor-in-council may fix a per diem allowance as a living allowance to the commissioners who are absent from home in the transaction of the business of the commission.

Have Paid Officials

The salaries or other remuneration of the secretary and the other persons so appointed shall be fixed by the commission, subject to ratification by the lieutenant-governor-in-council, and such salaries or other remuneration and the expenses of the commission shall be payable out of the funds collected by the commission as hereinafter provided.

For the purpose of providing a fund for the payment of the expenses of the commission and of the salaries and other remuneration of the officers, clerks and servants of the commission, and for carrying out the purposes of the commission as hereinafter mentioned, every person, corporation or association conducting a professional boxing or wrestling contest or exhibition shall pay to the commission an amount not exceeding five per cent. of the gross gate receipts taken by such person, corporation or association in respect of such boxing or wrestling contest or exhibition.

To Create Fund.

The amounts so received by the commission, together with all fees received for licenses issued, shall be set apart by the commission and shall constitute a fund for the payment of the expenses, salaries and other charges, and any portion of such fund remaining unexpended at the end of any fiscal year and not required to meet charges may be used by the commission for the assistance, encouragement and promotion of sport and recreation in such a way and by such means as the commission may decide.

The commission may issue a license to any person to hold or participate or take part in holding a professional boxing or wrestling contest or exhibition, and no such boxing or wrestling contest or exhibition shall be held or participated in except by a person who is the holder of such license.

According to Rules.

Every such license shall contain a condition that all professional boxing and wrestling contests and exhibitions conducted thereunder shall be in accordance with the rules, regulations and conditions from time to time prescribed by the commission or by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, and the license shall be revocable by the commission upon any violation thereof or whenever the continuance of such license shall be deemed by the commission contrary to public interest or not conducive to the interests of legitimate boxing or wrestling.

Every person, club, corporation or association who conducts or participates in conducting or holding a professional boxing or wrestling contest or exhibition without having received the license provided for in section 11, shall incur a penalty of not less than $20 nor more than $200, to be recoverable under the Ontario Summary Convictions Act.

KINGSTON LADIES' GOLF.

Kingston, May 26.—The Kingston Ladies' Golf and Country Club, at its annual meeting, elected the following officers:

President, Mrs. W. R. Givens; vice-president, Miss Gordon; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Taylor; executive committee, Miss Smith, Miss F. Cunningham, Miss M. Chown, Mrs. H. C. Welch, Mrs. H. W. Davis; handicap committee, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Welch, Miss Redden.

The club has joined the Women's Golf League and may compete in several outside matches.

TODAY'S ENTRIES

AT BELMONT PARK.

Belmont Park, N.Y., May 26.—Entries for tomorrow:

FIRST RACE — Claiming, for three-year-olds and up; 6½ furlongs:

The Wit	106	Beauty Sleep	109
Huron II	*109	Bread Line	96
Night Stick	109	Frank Waters	109
Locust Leaves	*92	Sinn Feiner	116
Foultney	111		

SECOND RACE—Steeplechase, purse, for 4-year-olds, about 2 miles:

Wisest Fool	132	King Terry	132
Joyful	130	J. A. Sheridan	132

THIRD RACE—Selling, for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs, straight:

Episode	107	Dry Moon	110
Jacobina	115	Polythia	101
Ramkin	106	Baliotcar	97
Zealous	*98	Lady Lillian	106

FOURTH RACE — Handicap, for 3-year-olds and up; six furlongs:

Ticklish	120	Exterminator	140
Leading Star	108	Old Rosebud	123
Ralco	112	War Marvel	118
Krewer	115	Peter Piper	124
Hasten On	113	P. of Como	*111

FIFTH RACE — Selling, 4-year-olds and up; mile:

Chasseur	108	Orderly	*115
Mormon	108	The Belg. II.	*112
Sun Dial II	113	Frank Waters	115
Keen Jane	103	Phalaris	105

SIXTH RACE—Maiden, 2-year-olds; 4½ furlongs straight:

Irish Sea	115	Hard Guess	115
Tryster	115	Normal	115
Touch Me Not	115	K. of The H.	115
Aradu	115	Chevalier	115
Houyhnhnm	115	Our Boots	115
Hildur	115		

Weather clear; track fast.

*—Apprentice allowance claimed.

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., May 26.—Entries for tomorrow:

FIRST RACE — $1,000, claiming, 3-year-olds and up; six furlongs:

Harry Glover	*97	Plain Bill	102
Spice Bush	102	Vansylvia	*103
Fifi II	*103	Water War	*108
B. B. Thurman	*108	Hunter Platt	*108
Dragoon	*108	Thornbloom	*111
Tom Saunders	113	H. Smarr	113
Japhet	113	Billy Joe	113
Bringhurst	116		

Also eligible:

Squeeler	113	Humma	*108
Jazz	102	J. Walker	*108
Black Thorg	*108	Gipsy Queen	108

SECOND RACE—Purse $1,200, the Wilmington, 2-year-old maidens, colts and geldings; 4½ furlongs:

Greenland	115	Scotty	115
Pagan Pan	115	Sir Lawnfal	115
Napoo	115	Monsoon	115
Reprisal	115	Courtview	115
Sir T. Keene	115	Maurice H.	115
aJudge Budrow	115	aWest Side	115

Also eligible:

Philanderer	115	Gold Digger	115
Lou Widrig	115	The Virg'an	115
Pinecrest	115	Botheration	115

a—M. C. Moore entry.

THIRD RACE—Purse $1,200, The Craleston, 4-year-olds and up; mile and a sixteenth:

Kiku	100	L'Errant	105
Wickford	105	Herald	105
Plenty	105	Capt. Rees	*105

FOURTH RACE—Purse $1,200, claiming, the Jacksonville, 2-year-old fillies; 4½ furlongs:

Doric	*100	Dromore	*102
Yellow Blossom	105	Loch Leven	*105
Nancy Wyatt	105	Martha Gray	105
Lady Champ	105	Dor. Hines	105
Peppery Polly	107	Miss Dora	*107
Frivol	108	Skiptomelou	108

Also eligible:

Miss Fontaine	*110	Quick View	103
Tawasentha	*100		

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,400, Jefferson Post Handicap; 3-year-olds and up; fillies and mares; six furlongs:

Refuges II	97	Galli Curci	106
Blushing Beauty	113	Legetal	113
Lady Fairplay	114	Looking Up	114
Viva America	117		

SIXTH RACE—Purse $1,200, claiming, the Savannah, 4-year-olds and up; one mile and a sixteenth:

Guidepost	*105	Sunduria	*105
Mab	*105	Bar One	*110
Alexander	*110	Huffaker	*110
Brynlinah	*110	Adelante	*110
Kling	115	Spearlene	115
Frank Wilson	115	Constantine	115

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $1,200, claiming, the Brunswick, 4-year-olds and up; mile and a sixteenth:

Orenzo	*105	Harlock	*110
Dr. Rae	*110	G. Russell	*110
Hondo	*110	High Gear	*110
Athena	*110	Gourmond	*110
Night Wind	115	Lottery	115
Waterford	115	W. H. Pearce	115

Weather cloudy; track fast.

*—Apprentice allowance claimed.

AT DELORIMER PARK.

Delorimier Park, May 26.—The entries for Thursday are:

FIRST RACE—Purse $500, 3-year-olds and up, maidens; 5 furlongs:

Waldo Jr.	105	All Amiss	107
Aerial	108	Accuchia II	112
Lieut. Lester	105	Far East	108
Helma	110		

SECOND RACE—Purse $500, 3-year-olds and up, claiming; 6 furlongs:

Dahinda	113	Lady Kath.	113
Votary	115	Allen Cain	115
Mona G.	113	Margaret N	113
Phil T.	115	Osteco	118

THIRD RACE—Purse $500, 4-year-olds and up, claiming; 7 furlongs:

Zoie	108	Duke Ruff	110
Kernan	112	Capt. Hodge	110
Juanita III	110	Apple Jack	115

FOURTH RACE—Purse $600, Royal Prince Handicap, 3-year-olds and up; 6 furlongs:

White Crown	100	El 'Primo	104
Phedoden	110	Sedan	117
Lucky Pearl	101	Mx Gracie	103
Red Start	110		

FIFTH RACE—Purse $500, 3-year-olds and up, claiming; mile and a sixteenth:

Fairy Prince	107	Miss Sweep	108
High Tide	115	Sunningdale	116
Capitania	107	Knight of P.	110
Little Cote	115		

SIXTH RACE—Purse $500, 3-year-olds and up, maidens; 5 furlongs:

Dixie Flyer	103	Shilling	108
Joe's Sister	110	Tugs	112
Mary Mallon	Adorock		110
B. A. Jones	112		

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $500, 4-year-olds and up, condition; 5 furlongs:

Red Post	107	Alex. Getz	112
Weinland	112	Encore	117
Huda's Brother	112	Allah	112

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Weather clear, track fast.

HOLLIS HANDICAP GOES TO THUNDERSTORM

Belmont Park, N.Y., May 26.—Today's results:

FIRST RACE—Maiden two-year-olds, claiming, purse $800, 4½ furlongs, straight:

1. Martin A. Noonan, 112 (McAtee), 2 to 1, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3.
2. Salesman, 115 (Rice), 8 to 5, 3 to 5 and 1 to 4.
3. Queen Isabel, 111 (Ambrose), 5 to 1, 8 to 5 and 7 to 10.

Time .55 3-5. Seguerola, Gladys and Sea Court also ran.

SECOND RACE—Steeplechase, selling, four-year-olds and up, purse $800, about two miles:

1. Stucco, 138 (Mergler), 12 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1.
2. Syosset, 149 (Powers), 7 to 10, 1 to 3 and out.
3. Worstdale, 143 (Williams), 15 to 1, 5 to 1 and 5 to 2.

Time 4.19 2-5. Robert Oliver, New Haven, Bruin Belle and Infidel II. also ran.

THIRD RACE—The Mincola Handicap, for three-year-olds and up, $1000 added, one mile:

1. Milkmaid, 120 (Schuttinger), 9 to 5, 3 to 5 and out.
2. Lion d'Or, 105½ (Turner), 14 to 5, 4 to 5 and out.
3. Tailor Maid, 90 (Jarvis), 30 to 1, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1.

Time 1.38 4-5. Trojan, War Plume and Alibi also ran. Alibi left at post.

FOURTH RACE—The Hollis selling, handicap, for three-year-olds and up, $2000, six furlongs, main course:

1. Thunderstorm, 130 (Turner), 7 to 5, 1 to 3 and out.
2. Flying Orb, 98 (Mooney), 8 to 5, 1 to 3 and out.
3. Service Star, 101 (McAtee), 5 to 2, 7 to 10 and out.

Time 1.12 2-5. Only three starters.

FIFTH RACE—Three-year-olds, purse $800, one mile:

1. Leglorieux, 111 (Rice), 7 to 1, 3 to 2 and 1 to 2.
2. Flibberty Gibbet, 111 (Murray), 6 to 1, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2.
3. Sound Robin, 111 (Turner), 3 to 5, 1 to 5 and out.

Time 1.41. White Socks and Universal also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For fillies, two-year-olds, purse $800, 4½ furlongs, straight:

1. Prudery, 110 (Ambrose), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even.
2. *Costly Colors, 110 (Kummer), 15 to 1, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1.
3. Nancy Lee, 110 (Rice), 7 to 2, 7 to 5 and 7 to 10.

Time .52 3-5. *Peerage, Step Lightly, Turnabout, Light Fantastic, Mavourneen, Crimson Rambler, Refusal and Music in the Air also ran. *Coupled, Green Tree Stable.

FEATURE FOR OPENING AT THORNCLIFFE PARK

Entries will close tomorrow for the Thorncliffe Inaugural Handicap for three-year-olds and upward at six furlongs, for a purse of $1,500 and declarations must be made by 9.45 Saturday morning. This will be the feature race of Monday, the opening day at Thorncliffe Park, while six other races are on the program, each calling for $1,000 purses.

Condition books were yesterday distributed to the horsemen at the Woodbine by Racing Secretary J. B. Campbell, who is also acting as one of the judges at the Woodbine. Horsemen expressed themselves as well pleased with the book and there has been a great demand for stalling room at the Leaside track.

The strings of R. J. MacKenzie and J. Tevis, who were shipped from Louisville early this week, were reported at Windsor last night, and are due to arrive at the track this morning. Some 35 horses are reported in this shipment.

Arrangements have been finally completed for a special train each day from Hamilton to Thorncliffe track, while two special trains will be run from North Toronto station to the course.

The Thorncliffe Park Association have announced the prices for membership badges for their spring meeting, May 31 to June 7. A membership badge, including two ladies' badges, for the entire meeting, will be $15 and the charge made for privileged membership will be $3 per day, which will entitle the holder to privileges of the course and members' enclosure. The ladies' privileged membership ticket will be $2 per day. Badges will only be issued to applicants approved by the officials of the association. F. S. Livingston, 2 Toronto street, is the secretary.

WEEKLY ATHLETIC MEETS AT GUELPH

Guelph, Ont., May 26.—(Special).—The second of the weekly athletic meets that are being held under the auspices of the G.A.V.A. was contested tonight at the exhibition park; the 440 for men provided a very close finish, there only being about a foot between McGregor, first, and Hadden, second, with both men running stride for stride. Following are events and winners:

Men, 100 yards—1, J. McGregor; 2, R. Hadden; 3, D. McGibbon.

440 yards—1, J. McGregor; 2, R. Hadden; 3, D. McGibbon.

Two miles—1, D. McGibbon; 2, R. Hadden.

12-pound shot put—1, D. McGibbon, 27 ft. 11½ in.; 2, J. McGregor, 26 ft. 9½ in.; 3, R. Hadden, 26 ft. 4½ in.

Boys under 18, 100 yards—1, E. Wyle; 2, H. House; 3, F. Purvis.

Half mile—1, E. Wyle; 2, H. House; 3, F. Purvis.

Standing broad jump—1, H. House, 7 ft. 5 in.; 2, E. Wyle, 6 ft. 11½ in.; 3, F. Purvis, 6 ft. 4 in.

Boys under 15, 100 yards—1, Butchard; 2, K. McGregor; 3, N. McVicar.

220 yards—1, Butchard; 2, K. McGregor; 3, H. Berry.

Standing broad jump—1, Doulin, 7 ft. 1½ in.; 2, Butchard, 7 ft. ½ in.; 3, K. McGregor.

YALE TENNIS STAR FOR DAVIS CUP TEAM

New York, May 26.—Charles S. Garland, of Pittsburg, captain of the Yale University tennis team, and former junior champion, was chosen today as the fourth member of the United States team, which will sail for England next week to compete in the Davis Cup matches. The committee, which made the selection, was unanimous in its decision.

The other members of the tennis team who were chosen some time ago are: William M. Johnston, William T. Tilden, jr., and Richard N. Williams, jr. The selection of Garland, it was announced, was due to his defeat of Wallace F. Johnson of Philadelphia, and Richard Harte of Boston, in recent matches. Both Johnson and Harte had been considered by the committee.

THURSDAY, MAY 27,

THE GUMPS—A TREAT IN STORE FOR SOMONAUK