

THE WORLD OF SPORT

Make-Up of O.H.A. Senior Race For 1925-26 Season Still Open To Speculation

Seat Sale Opening, Preparation For Ice-making Starts Local Interest.

NEW TEAMS RUMORED

Work on removing the floor at the London arena will be begun today, and it is expected that there will be ice in a little less than two weeks. The seat sale, which opened yesterday, has been a success, according to Manager Fidler, and while there was no long queue of riot calls sent in to the police, there was a good demand. It is hoped to have the new junior city league ready to start in November, as soon as a sheet is available, and the seniors will also get ice action as early as possible. Several exhibition games are already in prospect. Victoria Cougars, world's champions, are coming east during November, and are slated to play games in Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa. It is possible the Cougars may make an appearance here, unless their stay in the east is too short. Niagara Falls, who are also slated to play games in Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa, are also expected to play games in this city. The northern team, however, may not arrive until some time in December, but may yet decide to make a tour of Toronto and the cities in the artificial ice.

Talk of New Clubs.
Little has been heard of the prospects in senior hockey circles this year. There are said to be some new clubs. Oshawa, Hamilton, and Niagara Falls, the latter club having been revived, and one or two other organizations in Toronto are said to be angling for franchises, and an effort is being made, it is said, to effect an organization of the old Simcoe club. Several teams could play at the new West Toronto arena, now under construction.

Some of the clubs that comprise the Big Six group of senior O. H. A. hockey are not taking kindly to Gene Fraser's proposal that all the teams in the league be put in one group this winter. The Niagara Falls manager broke into print some time ago with this idea, but it is hardly likely that the O. H. A. will consider it seriously, especially in view of the opposition and protest which has been aroused. As it is, the O. H. A. will have trouble enough arranging a satisfactory group in the old system.

Windsor is clamoring for a place in senior hockey, which is 120 miles removed from the next nearest senior team. Windsor, it is said, has a team which will have trouble enough arranging a satisfactory group in the old system.

Traveling Costs.
The main objection to the one-group plan is the cost of traveling. Galt, Preston and Kitchener have all spoken against the plan, owing to the long trip to Windsor. Niagara Falls, London and Stratford have yet to be heard from, but it is unlikely that any of these clubs will favor the proposal. Peterboro, 60 miles northeast of Toronto, is bound to be back again and a jump from Windsor to Peterboro would be an expensive item. Peterboro would be the champion of group 1 last season, but lost to Niagara Falls in the play-offs for the senior title. The Peterboro club will be strong contender again this winter.

Another objection to the one-group plan is the number of teams and the length of the schedule. With Hamilton and Windsor included, there would be at least twenty teams. This would mean that each team would play 22 games, 11 at home and 11 away. It would be necessary for each club to play three games a week in order to get the games all played by the end of the season. The six teams in senior group No. 2 played a double schedule, which called for each club to play 20 games. This schedule was too strenuous for most of the clubs. Three games a week of hockey a week is too much, and it is not likely that such an arrangement this coming winter will find many supporters. The fans got too much hockey and the patronage fell off towards the latter half of the season.

Western To Get Senior Standing After This Year

Purple and White Track Athletes Put in Last Season Minus Recognition.

The Interscholastic track and field meet at McGill University, Montreal, last Friday, marked Western's second year in senior competition and the final season that the purple and white athletes will compete on the under path without recognition, for by college rules they now become full-fledged members of the senior interscholastic group. Altogether, Western did well in the meet Friday. The high jumper, who placed in the four-man high jump, beating out Queens for that position. Gormley won third honors in the mile, lavelin throw and Kanivan captured the third rating in the pole vault. MacLennan showed up well in the sprints, getting into the finals in both the 220 and 100, but was beaten out there. Wilson failed to reach the finals in the 220, being beaten out by Hughes in his heat of the 220. However, he more than made up for this by running a great lap in the relay.

RODNEY

Special to The Advertiser.
Rodney, Oct. 19.—Howard Brubaker of Detroit is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brubaker. Peter McVannell has moved his family into the residence on Ridout street which he recently purchased. Mrs. J. A. Wehlman has been taken to Detroit, where he will undergo an operation. Sanford Campbell of Seven Persons, Alta. was called home owing to the serious illness of his father, T. C. Campbell. Mrs. Thomas Kivell is visiting friends in Detroit. Mrs. D. G. Gillies and little son Donald of Springfield are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garfield. Mrs. Kellor and daughter Laura of Vancouver have returned home after visiting friends in this vicinity. Norma Ford of Toronto was a recent visitor with his cousin, N. J. Ford.

On the Side Lines

PRO. BOXERS.
Professional boxers are considered to display the worst traits of all athletes who get paid for their work, but it might be surprising to their detractors to know that as a rule, they measure up extraordinarily well when it comes to real sportsmanship. An example of that was given Saturday night, when the most interesting bill of boxing ever given here brought forth the smallest crowd. The boxers knew exactly where they stood when they saw the size of the crowd, and yet knew there was no more than expense money and fought just as hard as any one of them gave a splendid exhibition and fought just as hard as if they were getting paid. It's questionable whether professional hockey or baseball players could have shown a better spirit, and that would probably go for many amateur athletes as well.

Niagara Falls started out this season very indifferent to professional boxing, but the game has caught on now to such an extent that Gene Fraser is running shows every two weeks. London's indifference to the fight game was considered the result of cynicism regarding outside fighters, but Saturday night's fiasco proved that even home talent of undoubted merit was not to expect much encouragement.

It looked last night as if Brownies and McCormicks would have to wear snowshoes to settle their softball differences.

Mike Baker in a letter to this office intimates that his dreams are still disturbed by short rightfield fences. He thinks that Buzz Wetzel ought to have had a picture taken of Hamilton's short right field as a den decoration.

THE CYNICS.
The late world's series brought forth quite as much dark fears and doubts as any that have preceded it. Every second fan openly expressed his opinion that it was all fixed—that the series would go to seven games. How impossible it would be for owners and players to get together and arrange a seven-game series doesn't strike the reasoning powers of these suspicious fans. There would have to be roughly 100 powers of these suspicious fans. Even placing the ball players at the worst valuation in the way of honor, they would have no object in extending the games beyond four, for beyond that number they do not share in the receipts.

It might be possible to fix ball games, but it's not an easy task. The Black Sox scandal proved how hard it was to throw games. For with over half the team supposed to have been trying to toss games away, little Dickie Kerr managed to win just the same.

HAI! SO THAT WAS IT!
Toronto Star: Varsity's senior intercollegiate squad trotted out some of the new line stuff that "Hank" Bjorkman, the ex-Scarborough college star, taught them last week, in an exhibition game at London Saturday with London Intermediate. Varsity won 21-1. The new ideas were worked out in real action, and while they did not produce as big a score as was possibly anticipated the result was very satisfactory. Several factors contributed to the comparative lowness of the score produced. The game was played on a baseball diamond which had been skinned. It rained hard Friday night and the skinned infield was covered with sawdust which made the footing very slow in that portion of the field. Then again there was mighty little fight in the game. The result was that progress was made the footing very slow in that portion of the field. Then again there was mighty little fight in the game. The result was that progress was made the footing very slow in that portion of the field. Then again there was mighty little fight in the game.

"GOOSE" IS GOAT, TOO.
Two of the umpires who officiated in the world's series games claim that "Goose" Goslin should be censured more than Peckinpaugh for the loss of the seventh and deciding game. The fact of the matter was that the people in the stands could not follow the ball to the outfield, owing to the heavy mist, but they could see Peckinpaugh make the two hits which led to four runs. Moore was the first batter up for Pittsburgh in the seventh and he hit a fly to short. Peckinpaugh was waiting for the ball, but dropped it after it fell into his cupped hands. Moore went to second on the error. Carey then hit a fly to left. Goslin circled under the ball and finally pulled up. The ball dropped near him and bounded away for a double. Moore scored on the Carey hit. Two outs followed, and then Traynor tripled. Had Goslin caught Carey's fly, Pittsburgh would have gone scoreless. In the eighth, Smith doubled to right with two out. Bigbee batted for Kremer. He hit a fly to left that should have been the third out, but Goslin, after being set and waiting for the ball, suddenly turned and ran. Then he lost the ball and it bounded against the fence for a double. Goslin scored on the hit, and then came Peckinpaugh's second error that made two more runs possible. Had Goslin caught Bigbee's fly, the side would have been retired scoreless. While two errors by Peckinpaugh made possible four Pittsburgh runs, two misjudged flies by Goslin gave Pittsburgh five runs.

EMPIRE RESULTS
FIRST RACE, 6 furlongs: Haphazard, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, won. Second, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, second. Third, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, third. Fourth, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, fourth. Fifth, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, fifth. Sixth, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, sixth. Seventh, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, seventh. Eighth, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, eighth. Ninth, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, ninth. Tenth, 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 5 to 2, tenth.

VOSS, QUEEN'S HALF, HAS HIS NOSE FRACTURED
Canadian Press Despatch, Kingston, Ont., Oct. 19.—Whether Carl Voss, the plucky Queens halfback, whose nose was broken by a high tackle on Saturday, will be able to play next Saturday is still doubtful. Dr. Bill Campbell said this morning that it was a bad fracture and that it might make it impossible for him to play, but that he was no telling for a few days yet. Voss was around to his studies as usual, feeling all right and with his nose patched up. The fracture was a most unusual one, the cartilage being badly splintered and penetrating the flesh, making it a compound fracture.

GOLDEN RULE IS FIRST IN CAMBRIDGE HANDICAP
Laurel Race Track, Md., Oct. 19.—The orange and black racing colors of the Golden Rule in the Cambridge Handicap were carried to a well-earned victory by Golden Rule in the Cambridge Handicap today, when he won by a head in today's racing card here.

ENGLISH SOCCER TEAM WILL VISIT CANADA
London, Oct. 19.—The international section of the English football association has decided to accept the invitation to send a soccer team to Canada next summer. The team will leave England in May and return in the middle of July, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made to send a strong and representative side.

FUNERAL ON SUNDAY
Special to The Advertiser.
Florence, Oct. 19.—The funeral of the late Mrs. William Christman was held on Sunday afternoon, with service in St. Paul's church and interment in St. Paul's cemetery, Dawn township. Mrs. Christman died on Friday morning of heart failure. Survivors are the husband, one son and two sisters.

MENTORS OF FAMOUS TRI-COLOR CHAMPS.
Dowell, the secretary-treasurer of the Queens athletic association, and on the right Dr. W. A. Campbell, who superintends the physical training of the squad.



CARSTEEL STILL LEADS INTERPROVINCIAL LOOP

All Scots, Scottish and Hamilton City Soccerites Saturday Winners.

Canadian Press Despatch, Toronto, Oct. 19.—Three interprovincial league games were played on Saturday, but in neither case did the result affect the standings of the teams. Hamilton Thistles, who gave such a brilliant exhibition the week before against Carsteel in the Giebe cup, lost to All Scots by the odd goal in three in a game that scintillated with clever combination. Toronto Scottish always held the leading reign against Caledonians, who were whitewashed 2 to 0. Gunns, who have not won a league game this season, fell once more to Hamilton City. In this game, when Goldworthy of Gunns was injured, Vickers, a Hamilton full back, stepped in for him, thus leveling up the teams. After being shut out of the game for two weeks, following suspension by the O. F. A., Ulster United, the Dominion champions, on Saturday played Congasco in the Robertson charity cup. The red-handers led at the interval by three goals, but only won the game with a goal scored almost on time. The interprovincial league standing to date is as follows:

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Carsteel	14	0	0	40	11	28
Thistles	8	5	1	26	23	17
Willies	7	5	3	21	22	17
Ulster	7	3	0	19	16	14
All Scots	6	6	2	20	22	14
Scottish	7	5	0	18	15	14
Caledonians	8	10	2	17	34	8
Hamilton City	2	8	3	15	37	7
Gunns	0	11	2	12	11	2

Central Juniors Play Wednesday

Meet St. Thomas in Second Round of Wossa.

Central Juniors start their campaign in the second Wossa round in St. Thomas Wednesday, when they meet the Flower City critters in the first game, with the return engagement here on Saturday. The game here will in all probability be played as a preliminary to the Western-O. A. C. battle at the arena on Saturday.

Last night the team held a work-out, running through the signals with a few scrimmages thrown in. This is the first year that the purple and gold has shown anything real promising in the junior class, and Coach Adamson has every confidence in their ability to put the St. Thomas kids out of the picture.

The seniors had their first and last game of the season Saturday, whenfair to clean up this year.



Locals Show Big Absence Roll To Begin Week's Sff Grind For Trip To Saia

Connelly Falls For Grid Thrill

Took in First Game Saturday and Became Fan.

By FAIR PLAY.
New York, Oct. 19.—One-eyed Connelly, the gate crasher at box fights, had never seen a football game until he came to the arena last Saturday night. He had never been enough interested in the sport to try to crash his way into a game—small—gridiron struggle. But on the morning of the Notre Dame-Army game someone slipped him a ducat and One-Eye accepted it, chiefly because he had nothing else to do. Today, when he appeared at the arena, Connelly declared he had become a football enthusiast and would become a big game fan now on. "That's the greatest sport in the world," he declared, "and I don't bar boxing from that statement, in boxing there is rules but in football the lid is off and everything goes." "Say, on Saturday I saw two guys carried off the field and three helped off. That was sport, eh? It was a battle to me. I saw more fancy rough and tumble holds than I knew had been invented. Once I saw two men grab a man by the feet and two more by the shoulders, each twisting him in the opposite direction. Boxing? That's a May-time festival compared to football. Say, do they bite one another down below the neck? I saw everything done and I was wondering." Copyright, 1925.

UNBEATEN COLT CAPTURES ARGENTINA TURF CLASSIC

Associated Press Despatch, Buenos Aires, Oct. 19.—The Grand Premio Nacional Argentina turf classic was won Sunday by Dr. George Mitro's unbeaten colt, Macon. The race was at 2,500 metres (a bit more than a mile and a half), and was worth \$40,000 to the winner. Macon covered the course in 2 minutes 36 1/2 seconds.

BRITISH GOLFER MEETS MATCH.
Associated Press Despatch, London, Oct. 19.—Sir W. E. W. Holderness, former British amateur golf champion, has won another prize on the links. He is McQuade, an Australian girl, and he is to marry her shortly. The met while golfing on Walton Heath. Miss McQuade took up the game only a year ago, but now is an enthusiastic golfer.

Made Splendid Showing Saturday, But Coach Regrets Them of Test Saturday.

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Nearly a third of the London grid squad seemed to consider last night that the game Saturday against Varsity's intercollegiate team would not be a workout on this week's prelude for next Saturday's crucial game in Sarnia, for they failed to answer the coach's call. Coach Huestis was far from pleased with the turnout and didn't as words when he cast his eye over the assemblage. There was one team, but there should have been enough to threaten every moment of the game. Ross Somerville and Jerry Goodman were both out, owing to the high gale blowing threatening every moment of the game. The grandstand and deposit it around center field, neither did m kicking, but worked in with the formations and concentrated on signal drill. Even with their good showing again Varsity Saturday, and it was much better than even the team's most enthusiastic supporters hoped for, they still remains much to be done before the Grizzlies can invade Sarnia Saturday with any certainty of success. As a whole the squad came out of Saturday's game unhurt, and was man on the team but picked up a point here and there. Bram Churchill was the only one to get hurt and his ab he got trying to stop one of the Varsity plungers in the first period. He went on again later, but was not in good shape and should have stayed out of the game. The Londoners tackled just as well as Varsity Saturday, but had nothing with which to cope with the blue and white's interference play. The halves, considering that they received nothing like the protection afforded the Varsity half line, showed up especially well. Goodman's showing was particularly encouraging, as two of his gains were on pretty runs and he booted several good ones. Red Wilson and Norm Perry were amongst the Sarnians who witnessed Saturday's game here. They admitted the improvement on the London squad. Sarnia is drilling hard every night and are not taking anything for granted, despite the fact that they are sitting pretty with two wins.

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