

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

BASEBALL

Ruth Gives Way

New York, Oct. 22.—Babe Ruth, home run king, has abandoned his barnstorming trip and has expressed regret at having violated the rules of organized baseball, so Colonel Huston, part owner of the New York Yankees, announced last night on his return from Scranton, Pa.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 22.—Babe Ruth continued late last night a report that he has abandoned his barnstorming tour. He said he had reached an agreement with Colonel Huston.

TURF

"Pop" Geers Wins Two

"Pop" Geers won two firsts and one second at the grand circuit meet in Atlantic City yesterday. He drove Duetto to a win in three straight heats in the 211 trot, Lillian Silkwood to a win in the 211 class pace and Utah to second place in the 209 class trot, which was won by Dottie Day. The 220 class trot was unfinished.

BASKETBALL

City League Reorganized

A large number attended the reorganization meeting of the City Basketball League held in the Y. M. C. A. last evening. The league will be composed of three teams from the Y. M. C. A., the seniors, Trojans and Alerts and a team from the Y. M. C. I. The intermediate section will comprise eight teams, Y. M. C. A. intermediates, Y. M. C. A. business, Y. M. C. I. intermediates (two teams), High School, St. David's, St. Jude's, German street and St. George's. A. C. Officers were elected as follows: Honorary President, Frank White; President, Roy Willet; Vice-president, H. Sloan; Secretary, Walter Golding.

GOLF

Miss Letich Wins

Miss Cecil Letich, British, French and Canadian woman's golf champion, won the Bellechere invitation tournament held in New York yesterday when she defeated Mrs. Thomas Hunkall 11 up and nine to play.

BOWLING

Y. M. C. A. League

An organization meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Senior Bowling League was held at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The following officers were elected: E. A. Smith, president; A. W. Estey, vice-president; Bruce Winchester, secretary. It was decided that the league should be formed of six teams and that games should be played three times a week, at 8 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

The teams selected were:

Bluebirds—S. G. Bent, capt. E. A. Smith, A. W. Estey, A. W. Cover, George Roberts, Harry Jackson. Pirates—Leslie Carr, capt. R. Somerville, M. MacGowan, N. MacGowan, K. Nelson, B. O. Smith. Riverdales—W. G. Jenkins, capt. J. G. MacGowan, M. M. Somerville, Bruce Winchester, R. Pendleton. Orioles—Herb Mayes, capt. T. Yeomann, J. Brown, W. M. McLaughlin, M. McMurtry. Wanderers—S. M. Shannon, capt. R. J. MacGowan, H. B. Hunter, W. M. Hunter, W. B. Waring. Pirates—W. R. Golding, capt. E. A. Smith, A. W. Estey, S. Stevens, F. Thompson, A. Malcolm.

The opening game in the league will be played on Monday evening.

St. Peter's House League

In St. Peter's Y. M. C. A. House League last evening the Shamrocks took all four points from the Thistles. The game was keenly contested and was witnessed by a large number of fans. The individual scores follow:

Shamrocks	Total	Avg.
W. O'Connor...	89 101	89 279 93
J. Doherty...	81 72	89 239 79 2-3
P. Doherty...	78 88	88 259 86 2-3
G. Doherty...	73 100	89 262 87 1-3
J. McCurdy...	86 75	85 280 83 1-3
	407 440	442 1289

Thistles

Thistles	Total	Avg.
B. McIntyre...	73 70	78 221 73 2-3
L. McCarthy...	73 81	81 235 78 1-3
L. McGovern...	72 71	67 210 70
K. Killen...	75 80	84 249 83
M. Garvin...	82 73	82 247 82 2-3
	885 875	402 1162

Games Last Evening

In the Wellington League last evening the Nashua Pulp & Paper team and that of the Purty Ice Cream split even, each taking two points. The former had a total pinfall of 1190 and the latter 1187.

In the Commercial League the Ford Motor Works and the Imperial Optical Company's teams split even, each taking two points. The former totaled 1272 and the latter 1273.

In the Garrison League the R. C. A. E. C. took all four points from the R. C. E. C. The winners totaled 1188 and the losers 1071.

RING

Mike McGuire Wins

Mike McGuire of New York, champion middleweight of Canada, scored a technical knockout over Buck Crouse in the sixth round of a bout held in Montreal last night. After being outpointed for three rounds, McGuire came back strong and knocked Crouse down four times in the sixth. Crouse was dragged to his corner and when partially re-

vived rushed at McGuire and had to be separated by officials and spectators. In the semi-final Roddy McDonald of Glace Bay knocked out Spike Sullivan of Montreal.

St. John Boxers

A sporting event which is creating considerable interest in Port Fairfield will be staged under the management of Walter Lovely, Post No. 27 of the American Legion, on November 3, when "Young" Pooler of Brewer will meet Ira Putnam of the American Legion. Both are reputed to be exceptionally clever and are said to be in the pink of condition for the boxing bout. It is also planned to have Ted Merritt of St. John meet Stanley Putnam in the semi-final.

Recently Ted Merritt met Mike Haddock of Millinocket and the bout was said to be a thriller. Haddock was clever, but his age was against him, and Merritt disposed of him in the second round. The main bout between Ira Putnam and Jack Ryan of St. John was a-sided. Ryan was reported in poor condition, and in the second round his seconds threw up the sponge to save him from further punishment.

Rocky Kansas Wins

"Rocky" Kansas of Buffalo was awarded a decision over Lew Tandler of Philadelphia in a fifteen-round bout staged in New York last night.

FOOTBALL

Rothschilds Defeats Fredericton

Rothschilds Collegiate football team defeated Fredericton High School team at Fredericton yesterday by a score of 13 to 5. At the end of the first half both teams were tied 5-5, but in the second the Fredericton's defense crumbled and Rothschilds scored two tries and converted one.

St. John Boy Making Good

Many friends will be interested to learn that "Bert" Wilkes of this city, who is a student at Toronto Varsity, studying dentistry, has accomplished what is considered "the impossible" and made the senior rugby team during his first year. He went out with the dental team in the inter-faculty games and made a favorable showing. He was then asked to turn out for practice with the senior team and in a recent game broke through his opponents' guard and scored a try on a spectacular run. The following day the senior team notified him that he was appointed receiving quarter and is in that position today playing against McGill. Wilkes formerly captained the St. John High football team and was one of the leading players in the league at that time.

McGill Students

Montreal, Oct. 22.—Fall registration at McGill University is now practically complete, and the roll of students is shown at 2,391, the faculties of dentistry, agriculture and music, the school of agriculture and the school of household science not being included in this total.



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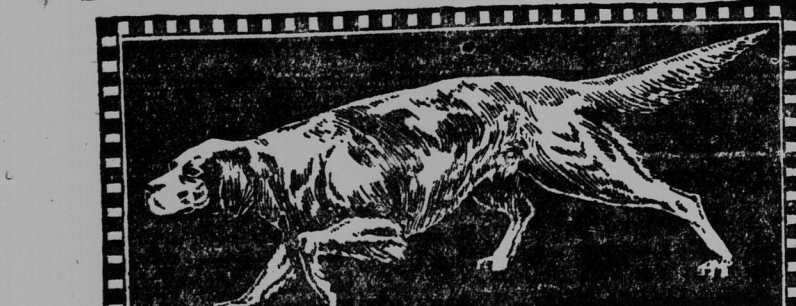
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