

Technical School Eleven Eliminated From W.O.S.S.A. Soccer By Simcoe High

London Is Held Scoreless and Loses Round By Point

Local Students Are Outclassed in Last Chance To Stay In Running.

ARMSTRONG STARS

Special to The Advertiser.
Simcoe, Nov. 2.—Simcoe high school's classy soccer eleven outplayed the fast London Technical team here today, held them scoreless, and earned the right to meet London South, the Forest City's second representative in the W.O.S.S.A. play-offs. But while Simcoe had easily the lion's share of the play, they found an inevitable bulwark in Armstrong, London's sterling goalie, who by virtue of several sensational saves and two scores or more of the easier variety, managed to shut out the home team.

Armstrong's work brands him as an outstanding star in the W.O.S.S.A. series. He kicked or batted out the dead-on drives of the local forwards with amazing regularity, and his half-dozen impossible saves earned him a deserved round of applause.

Rogers, Simcoe's sturdy half-back, started for the home team, and the local front line worked with oil-like precision. From the outset, Simcoe assumed the offensive, and they never eased up. The story of the game is simply repeated, repeated up on Armstrong, only to be met with equal regularity.

The teams:
London—Goal, Armstrong; full backs, Carmichael and Graham; half backs, Knowles, Jacobs and Jackson; forwards, Smith, Nelson, McIntosh, Markham and Patterson; spares, Mitchell and Walker.

Simcoe—Goal, Cross; full backs, Rogers and Guntton; half backs, Tisdale, H. Watt and C. Courtenage; forwards, Tyrell, Wyckoff, McConnell, and Gell; spares, A. Watt, C. Watt and T. Muir.

Referee—Huill, of Waterford.

Grid Gossip

Pointed criticism of Varsity was not lacking in Toronto, as the following bits show.
All this talk about stolen signals is trash. The players solved the code in the first half and Quarterback Baldwin and Leadley stood back and called the turn on varsity plays as fast as Coleman could read off the numbers. The signals were not stolen—they were guessed by players who have rugby brains.

Without taking any credit away from Queens it must be said that Warren Snyder, the Varsity half line star, was a "first" all afternoon, and that Trimble, who showed so brilliantly at Kingston, both before and after his bad break, was just as bad. Both should have been yanked before half time. Only four men on the team played anything like their real game—Fraser, Stollery, Coleman and Weber. The rest of the team played like a flock of Harard geese while their much vaunted line plunging was just a squib. In about ten minutes their line plungers looked good. They got "yards" four times. After that Queens played all the "extra" and stopped them almost before they got started. The hole-makers with all their American instruction couldn't hold down a job in a doughnut factory.

Saturday morning, "Didja get seats for the rugby game?"

"Yes."

"Monday morning, 'Didja get seats for the rugby game?"

"No."

"Tuesday morning, 'Didja get seats for the rugby game?"

"Come on you Balmi Beach!"

Montreal, Nov. 2.—The Gazette commenting on Montreal's win over Saturday over Toronto Argonauts, says in part:

"While much credit can be given to Russell and Whitehall for the victory, the entire Montreal squad played good rugby. Their putting back, kicking and distance, and the wings gave splendid support. With the exception of Breen, Argos seldom threatened in this department. With Montreal leading in the last quarter, and fighting hard to hold Argos back, Booth sent a beautiful punt from center field to the Argos' goal line, which relieved the pressure.

"With the exception of the first quarter and part of the second, the catching of Breen was a constant source of trouble. McCormick made his first appearance of the season with the Toronto squad, and started on the right flank with Breen and Paul. He gave a good display, and shared in the kicking with Hamblin.

"Their punting, however, was shaded by the booting indulged in by Booth. Cap Fear was as reliable as ever, and upheld his reputation as one of the leading outside wings playing rugby in Canada. Fear, however, was given a close run by Doc Anderson, the Montreal outside, who received a hand from the crowd for his neat, low and effective tackling.

"First downs were obtained by Montreal six times against Argos' four. Montreal made two tries, both unopposed, while Argos' made three times, but recovered twice."

PETROLIA AND 'BURG

C. I.'S PLAY THURSDAY

Special to The Advertiser.

Wallaceburg, Nov. 2.—Next Thursday afternoon will witness the first rugby game of the season at the Steinhoff Memorial Park, when the Petrolia and Wallaceburg high school teams will clash. The first game was played a week ago and resulted in favor of the Oil City boys by a score of 21-0. However, the locals are confident of winning the return encounter.

PETER DE PAOLA FAILED

TO BREAK RACING MARK

Associated Press Despatch.

Salem, N.S., Nov. 2.—An announcement made that Peter De Paola, in winning the 20-mile automobile race here had broken the world's record for the distance, was found yesterday to be incorrect. De Paola's time was given as one hour, 55 minutes and 25 seconds. Tommy Milton, of Culver City, Ind., last March made 250 miles in one hour, 58 minutes and 15 seconds.

J. A. (DOC) ANDREWS DEAD.

Associated Press Despatch.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 2.—Surrounded by baseball clippings and pictures of old-time major league stars, the body of Jay A. (Doc) Andrews, former outfielder with various teams in the old Western league, was found in his home here last night. He had been pronounced dead due to the accidental turning on of a gas jet. Andrews started his baseball career in the late 1890s, playing three seasons for Baltimore.

Queens After 4 Dominion Titles

Canadian Press Despatch.
Kingston, Nov. 2.—Now that Queens university has won the intercollegiate championship, and thus equaled the varsity record of four consecutive championships, it is definitely after a brand new record in the form of four consecutive dominion championships, for it is now absolutely decided that the team will go on into the dominion finals.

So far as Queens' team is concerned they came through the struggle on Saturday in good shape and are being given a rest this week because they have no games to play for three weeks to come. Strenuous training will begin again next week, and in the meantime only light practices and running will be indulged in.

BILLY GIBSON DENIES HE IS READY FOR LILY

Manager of Gene Tunney Will Be On Hand at Risk Bout.

By FAIR PLAY.
Special to The Advertiser.

New York, Nov. 2.—Those who spread the news along the great white way that Billy Gibson was getting ready to die stretched the truth somewhat.

Maybe Tunney's manager is preparing for his end, as all good men should, but his doctors insist that it is a long way off.

The pneumonia they were talking about turns out to be nothing but a slight attack of flu, due to Bill's activity in standing out in the cold and looking for customers to his professional football show at the Polo grounds.

Gibson says he will be on hand in Cleveland when his meat ticket meets Rasko in the interest of Gene and Billy's joint bank account.

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MOORE DEAL SPIKED

BY RIVAL OWNERS

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 2.—Rival National league owners have spiked the possibility of sending Eddie Moore, Pittsburgh second baseman to the San Francisco club of the Pacific Coast league in part payment for two minor league stars bought by the Pirates during the winter series. It was declared here today.

Announcement was made that every other club in the senior circuit put in claims for Moore when requests for waivers were asked by President Barney Dreyfuss.

KENORA CLUB ADMITTED

TO THUNDER BAY A. A.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Port Arthur, Nov. 2.—Kenora was admitted to the Thunder Bay amateur association as a senior club at the annual meeting held here this evening. The resolution of admission also called for an effort to be made to arrange with one or more Manitoba clubs, Tigers to be one of them, a four or five-club circuit in which Port Arthur and Port William would again play. Kenora will also play in the Junior Thunder Bay series with three or four clubs of the two cities.

WHITE SOX WILL TRAIN

AT SHREVEPORT, LA.

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—The Chicago Americans will train next spring at Shreveport, La., where they conditioned for the 1925 season. Date of departure probably will be about March 1. An extended barnstorming tour will be arranged. The exhibition season will be a series at Indianapolis.

AGED GELDING CAPTURES

MANLEY STEEPLECHASE

Associated Press Despatch.

Pinelco, Nov. 2.—Lizard, 3 E. Wagon, captured the Manley memorial steeplechase, the opening feature of the Pinelco race meet today. Lizard was second and Soot third. The time was 5:01 3-5. Lizard was a 11 to 10 favorite.

JIM MULLEN IN NEW YOYRK

LOOKING FOR MATCHES

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 2.—Jim Mullen, Chicago promoter in New York, looking for matches, expressed the opinion that Chicago soon will be rivaling the United States metropolis as a pugilistic center.

"The Windy City is certain to vote in favor of boxing next spring," he says.

KILLS AGED MOTHER, THEN

SHOOTSELF WITH GUN

Canadian Press Despatch.

Sherbrooke, Que., Nov. 2.—Word was received here today of a double shooting tragedy in the village of Moe's River, situated in Compton county, about fifteen miles from this city. For no apparent reason, Ira Moe, 20, shot and instantly killed his aged mother, 60, and then turned the gun on himself, inflicting a wound, which proved fatal.

During the day of the tragedy Houle talked considerably of guns and shooting, and it has since been learned that he had been weak-minded for some weeks past.

DIES FROM INJURIES SUSTAINED

IN FALL.

Associated Press Despatch.

Cobalt, Ont., Nov. 2.—Fred Douglass, aged 24 years, manager of the Temagami store of the Temagami Fur Company died today from a fracture of the skull, which he sustained when he fell on the steps leading to the station of the T. and N. railway here, Sunday last. He will be buried in Toronto where his parents reside.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE.



PERTH INSURANCE EXPERT SUCCEUMBS

Chas. Packert, Prominent in Fraternal Circles, Dies in Stratford.

Special to The Advertiser.
Stratford, Nov. 2.—A host of friends in Stratford and elsewhere will learn with deep regret of the death of Charles Packert, manager of the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

On Monday last, Mr. Packert underwent an operation for appendicitis, from which he rallied well, and it was hoped that although he had just passed his 77th birthday, his remarkable strength and energy would enable him successfully to withstand the strain, but it proved too great.

Coming to Stratford as a young boy, he was in 1877 appointed secretary of the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Company, then a small and struggling concern, which, under his energetic and capable management has since developed into one of the largest and strongest Canadian fire offices.

FOG CAUSES ACCIDENTS

ON CHATHAM HIGHWAYS

Sheep Shearing Contest To Be Included in Events of Winter Fair.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Nov. 2.—One of the heaviest fogs ever experienced in this district, late Sunday night and early today, was responsible for three accidents, which, fortunately, had no very serious consequences. Jack Tewksbury, barber, driving alone on the provincial highway at 2 o'clock this morning, plunged into a ditch. Samuel Shaw, late last night, drove his taxicab into a freight train on the Pere Marquette crossing of Grand avenue east. Regis Trudell, Dover township, driving his car to Paincourt, crashed into the rear of a heavily-laden sugar beet wagon. None of the three drivers was injured. Customs returns for the various ports in Chatham district for the month of October amount to \$70,074.99.

A sheep-shearing contest is to be included in the program for the annual winter fair, which will be held here December 7-11. Already the promoters of the contest have received a number of applications for entrance.

TWO MEN INJURED.

Special to The Advertiser.

Brigden, Nov. 2.—The heavy fog early today was responsible for the head-on collision of automobiles driven by John Short and Roy McDonald of Brigden. The accident occurred on the highway about a mile east of town. McDonald suffered bruises about the chest while Short was rendered unconscious and sustained nasty cuts about the face and head because of broken glass. He was resting easily tonight.

COL. ROBINSON OF W. ESSEX HAS MAJORITY OF 2,521

Canadian Press Despatch.

Windsor, Nov. 2.—According to the official count made by Damien Gourd, returning officer for the riding of Essex West, Col. C. Robinson, M.P., elect, has a majority of 2,521 votes over his opponent, E. Blake Winter.

Ald. John McConnell and Cecil Robinson represented Col. Robinson, while Geo. Brown, assistant city clerk, acted in behalf of the plaintiff. While his appeal is dismissed, is not barred from his right to redeem the property.

Test Shows Emslie's Speed Matched Walter Johnson's

Walter Johnson was credited, when in his prime, with having thrown a baseball swifter than any other human being, but Jim Parke, the dean of Baltimore in the new Major League, has delved into the records and found that a Canadian did some mighty nice work away back in the eighties. The Canuck mentioned was none other than Bob Emslie, of St. Thomas, who since that time won world-wide fame as an umpire in the National league. Walter Johnson and Nap Rucker, back in 1912, made a speed test on a machine constructed to measure the speed of bullets. Each pitcher had three tries. Johnson's first was 120 feet, his second 121 feet and his third 123 feet. The best Rucker could do was 113 feet. This means that Johnson could shoot the ball from the pitcher's box to the catcher's mitt, 56 feet, 6 inches, in less than half a second, for the early speed would be the greatest. In 1884, Jimmy and Bob Emslie, the present umpire, were the acknowledged speed merchants. They were tested with a special instrument for 50 feet, then the distance between the pitcher's box and the home plate. Each of them shot the ball over in two fifths of a second. This joint record is perhaps more remarkable than Johnson's, for, in 1884, says Parke, all deliveries were thrown from below the waistline, there being no freedom of side-arm or over-the-shoulder delivery. The ball-like deliveries with bare hands and no mask.

Opposing Parties Clash, 5 Killed

27 Also Wounded During Course of Mexican Elections.

Associated Press Despatch.

Mexico City, Nov. 2.—Five killed and twenty-seven wounded during the course of the gubernatorial elections in Yucatan today are reported in special despatches from Merida, capital of the state.

Socialists supporting Dr. Alvaro Torre Diaz, Mexican minister to Brazil, claimed with supporters of Antonio Alberto in several towns. The socialist mayor of the town of Kanasin was killed by adherents of Jose Canton, who was also a candidate for the governorship.

VIOLATE SUNDAY LAWS.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—Twenty-six men were taken into custody and charged with gambling on the Lord's Day rooms of a local athletic club early today. The "haul" was the largest in the history of the local police department.

Was Nearly Crazy From Headaches

Miss K. Brill, 579 Redwood Ave., Winnipeg, Man., writes:—

"I was nearly crazy from headaches that some times I was nearly crazy with them."

One day a friend told me about, and advised me to use

Burdock Blood Bitters

so I tried it, and it has done me a world of good. I just took two and a half bottles and I haven't had a headache for a long time, now."

Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

ICE STARS ENTER BIG MONEY CLASS

Hockey Players Draw Higher Salaries Than Major Diamond Trampers.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Nov. 2.—The sporting editor of the Citizen in an article which will appear tomorrow morning commenting on the salaries paid hockey players, states: "In the National hockey league the salaries appear much higher than those in any other circuits. In proportion to the time employed and the time required hockey stars of the present day, draw down much more than big league ball players."

After stating that only a few years ago the average hockey star was satisfied with a contract calling for a few hundred dollars, the article points out that in 1918 Eddie Gerard was considered the highest paid hockey star with a contract for \$1,100. Last season, the Montreal club paid Yano Munroe \$7,000, and purchased Reg. Noble from the Toronto St. Pats for \$7,000.

"This year," the article says, "with New York and Pittsburgh added, the contracts call for higher figures than ever. Lionel Conacher, former Argonaut football star, now with Pittsburgh, is said to be the best paid player in professional hockey. 'Conny' is understood to have a three-year contract at \$7,500 per season. Billy Burch recently signed up with New York at \$5,500 for three years, and Joe Simpson had to be guaranteed \$6,000 before he would attach his name to a New York contract."

The article further states that "the Montreal Maroons are said to have recently offered to pay \$20,000 for Howie Moroz of the Canadiens and \$15,000 for Babe Day of St. Patricks. New York was offered \$25,000 for Billy Burch and \$15,000 for Charles Langlois. It will thus be seen that hockey, with 'Happy' Day getting \$8,000, Lionel Conacher \$7,500, Billy Burch \$5,500, Joe Simpson \$6,000, and Sprague Cleghorn \$5,000, is certainly getting into the big money class."

DELANEY IS PRONOUNCED

FIT TO FIGHT BERLENBACH

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Nov. 2.—Jack Delaney, Bridgeport, Conn., light-heavyweight, who is scheduled to meet Paul Berlenbach in the new Madison Square garden here December 11, for the world's title, was examined at a local hospital today and pronounced fit for the

resumption of boxing.

Delaney has been out of condition for some time due to an operation, but three weeks of hunting in New Hampshire has given him back his ordinary weight of 175 pounds.

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