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MORE HOT BOXING AT OTTAWA

Howard, Toronto Swimming Club, Scored Two Victories in Lightweight Class.

GRAHAM'S CONQUEROR WAS BEATEN.

McGraw Outpointed Russell, Both of Toronto—The Finals for To-Night.

Ottawa, March 9.—There was another fine card on at the Canadian Amateur boxing championships at the Ottawa Amateur Athletic Association to-night.

There were some surprises. Stone of Perth, the hero of last night, when he beat Chris Graham of Peterboro, was outpounded by Hanley of Montreal. Stone's showing was very poor to-night. He knows little about boxing, and showed less against Hanley than he did against Graham. His sole idea seemed to be to ran away from his opponent, and he was spurting most of the time. Graham was present, and it must have made him feel cousin to Stone's callore. He beaten by a man of Stone's calibre. Stone was very elusive and Hanley could not find him very much, but the Montreal man won more on his general position in the ring. This bout was in the 125-pound class.

In the 135-pound class W. H. Thompklas of the Point st. Athletics Athletic Club of Montreal only lasted two rounds against Howard of the Toronto Swimming Club. Howard had a left jab that very soon began to get his opponent's eyes swelling. Thompklas was plucky, and made a fair showing, but was practically put out at the end of the second round.

In the same class, Howard later in the evening disposed of Bruire of the Montreal A.A.A. Bruire was a rusher, and set a hot pace, but Howard has a very long reach, and the Montreal man frequently ran into very hot lefts. Bruire was going at several stages in the last round, but pluckily held to his feet.

Vivian Austin of the Ottawa Amateur Athletic Association put C. Spence of the Capital Club out in a few punches in the 135-pound class.

The final to-morrow night between Howard and Austin should be a rattling hot go.

E. J. McGraw and Fred Russell of Toronto met in the middleweight class—158 lbs. The fight was fast and slow by turns, and was given to McGraw at the end of the fourth round, an extra round being necessary to decide a winner.

Wildner of New York, the cleverest and most scientific boxer at the tournament, had an easy victory over his club mate and pupil, Brady. The younger lad made a good showing, but was no match for the man who has won the 115-pound championship of America on more than one occasion.

There was noon for an exhibition of the keen rivalry which exists between the Capitals and the O.A.A.C. of Ottawa in the bout in the 145-pound class between Starrs of the Capitals and Vivian Austin of the O.A.A.C. This was another bout which required four rounds, and it was hot and fast all the time. The decision went to Austin, but the work of the two men was very even.

There was a rattling good bout, a special class, between two heavyweights from the Strathcona Horse, Sam White of D Squadron and R. H. Palmer of C Squadron. The men were not greenhorns at the game, and made a rattling good bout, and it evoked the wildest Fleinit of enthusiasm, largely from patriotic reasons. The bout was declared a draw.

All the finals will be pulled off to-morrow night.

Gardner Lasted Three Rounds.

New York, March 9.—Terry McGovern of Brooklyn now holds two championships, the bantam and feather weights, of pugilism. To-night, at the Broadway Athletic Club, he more than proved that he is a peculiar class, by his signal defeat of Oscar Gardner, the Omaha Kid. In the opening round of the bout Gardner, who was by long odds a non-favorite, caught Terry squarely with a left swing on the jaw, and Terry measured his length on the floor. The little Brooklynite was equal to the occasion, however, and resumed his feet within two seconds, sending back as good and better than he got. He forced Gardner all the way, placing the western man on the defensive till the ring of the gong. In the second round Terry was himself again, rushing, forcing and fighting with both hands like a machine. His attack was cyclonic, and, with a well-directed left, he put Gardner to the ropes. Gardner's defence, which at all times is almost perfect, proved to be no use against the torrent of fistic abuse that McGovern rained upon him. Five times in the second round Gardner sought the floor, and each time he went down the Kid almost took the count. It was all over, but the shouting when the boys came up for the third round. Gardner was in difficulty, and McGovern was more than fairly fresh. McGovern rushed like a bulldog at his adversary, and threw a left to the jaw, which staggered the western lad towards the ropes. Then Terry sent a right to the face, which put Gardner staggering in the opposite corner, and, seeing that Oscar was helplessly unable to defend himself, the little champion stepped in and landed a left swinging hook on the mark, which put Gardner down and out.

Round 1—Terry led left and fell short, then Gardner swung both hands, but failed to land, but came back with a left swing on the jaw a second later, and Terry fell to the floor. McGovern regained his feet in less than two seconds, and hard fighting at close quarters followed. Each of the men played for the body, and after some rapid infighting Gardner slipped to the floor in a breakaway. When Gardner got up he stood still, and Terry wound up the round with a straight left on the face.

Round 2—Gardner led left to face and Terry drove a right hard to the body. Then Terry drove Gardner to his own corner. He forced the pace as soon as Gardner got on his feet and with bulldog rushes sent him all over the ring. He was simply a fighting machine with gloved hands, landing any and every place on Gardner's face and body. Gardner went down five times and McGovern kept after him relentlessly and forced the game to the end of the round.

Round 3—This was the shortest and final round of the mill. Gardner was a bit groggy when he came up, and McGovern saw his opportunity and went right to his man. He feinted for the body and sent his left to the jaw. Gardner staggered and then McGovern threw his right to the opposite jaw. This blow came with such fearful force that it practically put Gardner into a helpless condition. He staggered toward the ropes and jumped out again as Terry rushed for him, but the little champion was too quick for him and sent his left swinging with terrific force, landing on the mark, and Gardner dropped flat on his back and lay like a dead man until Referee Johnny White counted him out and announced McGovern the winner. Time of last round 49 seconds.

Bennett Talks of Walter Burgo.

Jack Bennett of McKeesport, Pa., is on a flying visit to Toronto after a short stay at Mt. Clemens, Mich. He is just recovering from a long sick spell, and says he was in no condition for his last fights with Zeigler and Matthews. Bennett saw Tom Duggan's contest with Zeigler in Chicago, and says the Australian had all the better of the argument for five rounds, and he was surprised at Duggan's poor showing against Mahoney.

Bennett says the Crescent A.C. has a good match arranged for St. Patrick's Day, he saw Walter Burge knock out Frank Boyle in the second round of what was to have been a 20-round go at Wheeling, W. Va., on Feb. 22 last. Boyle was in good form. He is a stiff puncher, clever, and capable of taking all sorts of gruelling. Bennett calls Spike to win, but it should be a great contest, lasting well up into the limit. As to weight, Burgo and Boyle fought at 133—the same limit as for next week's bout. Burgo left Wheeling yesterday, and will arrive in Toronto this morning.

Bennett leaves for Philadelphia on Sunday. His next fight will be 10 rounds with Charlie McKeever at Detroit, April 2.

Lawrence Easy for Scholes.

San Francisco, March 9.—At the Amateur Athletic tournament last night J. L. Scholes, the Toronto champion, had a comparatively easy time disposing of Robert Lawrence, an unattached entry. Lawrence had nearly all the steam taken out of him in the first round, and in the second was in such a state of ennui that his seconds tossed up the sponge.

Around the Ring.

At Jamestown, on Thursday, Eddie Burns of Warren, Pa., was given the decision in a 20-round glove contest with Tom Coulig of Dunkirk.

Maxey Haugh of Brooklyn is confident he will defeat Kid McFadden at New York on Saturday night. They have been matched to go 15 rounds at 118 lbs.

Orillia Lost at Penetang.

Penetanguishene, March 9.—Orillia curlers played a match with the local club to-day and dropped their colors, as the score will show:

Orillia—		Penetanguishene—	
John Gilpin,		Jas. Leatherdale,	
E. A. Cameron,		Wm. Pratt,	
H. J. Bartlett,		W. Featherstonhaugh	
H. Holcroft, skip	7	J. B. Jennings, s.	14
Robert Burrows,		D. McDonald,	
Alex. Ketchman,		G. E. Robinson,	
Geo. Rapley,		A. Crawford,	
R. Cunningham, s.	11	J. F. Beck, skip	15
Total	18	Total	29

Whist at the Athenaeum.

At the Athenaeum Club last evening the third of the series of compass games to decide the whist championship of the club and the possession of the Shelbourne medals was played. Messrs. Corlett and Rathbone made top score north and south, and Messrs. Galloway and Limbers were the leaders east and west. The following pairs made plus scores:

North and South—Corlett and Rathbone, 7 tricks; Richardson and Coleman, 5 tricks; Ledger and Verral, 1 trick.

East and West—Galloway and Limbers, 5 tricks; Manison and Fuller, 3 tricks; Hand and McEachren, 1 trick; Hunter and Wallace, average.

Chicago's St. Patrick's Day Show.

Chicago, March 9.—Eight six-round contests is the program arranged to take place under the auspices of the Tattersalls Athletic Association, St. Patrick's night, March 17. With one exception, this is the longest program ever offered Chicagoans at one boxing show. As the result of a rough-and-tumble brawl Ed Denfass and his former manager, Jack McCormack, will meet in one of the contests. The full card is as follows: Tom Duggan v. Barney Connors at 148 pounds, Larry Gleason v. Kid Kelley at 125 pounds, Art Simms v. Ole Olesson at 130 pounds, Turkey Point Smith v. Solly Smith at 122 pounds, George Kerwin v. Dal Hawkins at 138 pounds, Jack Madden v. Morris Rauch at 118 pounds, Ed Denfass v. Jack McCormack, heavyweights; Benny Yanger v. Harry Forbes at 120 pounds.

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BIG CLUBS FOR THE EASTERN.

Baltimore and Washington Likely to Round Up Pat Powers' Circuit.

NATIONAL LEAGUE DELIBERATIONS.

How the Four Organizations That Are Disfranchised Will Be Recompensed.

New York, March 9.—The National League, by a unanimous vote, taken at 11.30 last night, decided to purchase the franchises of the Cleveland, Louisville, Washington and Baltimore clubs and reduce the circuit for 1900 to eight clubs.

The organizations that will constitute the league during the coming season are New York, Brooklyn, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago.

The greatest harmony prevailed in the league after the agreement was finally made to cut the circuit. Not only were the clubs satisfied that were bought out, but those who did the purchasing were equally well pleased.

Chairman John T. Brush, who made the announcement of the reduction, said that everybody in the league had met the question fairly with a desire to work for the good of the game and the organization.

"There may have been some differences of opinion," said he, "but there is none now who has a grievance of a fault to find. Our organization is reduced, but in a most peaceable and dignified manner, and there are to be no accusations of ill-treatment or unfair play. We have signed no agreement, but have decided unanimously by voice that this is the one course to be adopted.

"I cannot state what amounts were paid. There is no statement of figures to be made to-night. That part of the deal is merely a business transaction, and as we have been accused of talking too much about business, perhaps it is just as well that we drop the subject for a time and confine ourselves hereafter to baseball. There is nothing in our way now to prevent this league from being the most successful in the history of the sport, for surely it is the strongest that have been organized in the history of our national pastime."

The club owners were jubilant the moment it was decided to cut down the number of clubs, and shook hands with each other, and with the newspaper reporters, who had been waiting for developments.

President Freedman has announced that he would put one of the strongest teams in the history of New York in this city in the event of an eight-club circuit. His chance is now before him. William Buckingham Ewing, so well known here, will be the manager.

The official report of the Circuit Committee was made as soon as the league members were assembled in the afternoon. It was merely a formal document, in which the committee announced that it believed there would be no objection on the part of Louisville and Cleveland to retiring on a reasonable financial basis.

Further, the committee asserted that a conference had been held with the Baltimore officials, and that the price demanded by that organization was perhaps more than the league would acquiesce in.

Then Chairman Brush announced that there had been no conference with the Washington club, and asked the league to take a recess while the Circuit Committee conferred with the Washington officials, who were present.

This was agreed to and the league adjourned temporarily, while the Wagners, who own the Washington Club, remained in the committee room.

"They talked to me an hour," said J. Earl Wagner afterwards, in describing his experiences, "when, had they permitted me to have the first talk, I could have been all thru in five minutes. In fact, it took me less time than that to state my terms. I said the Washington club would sell players, franchise, ground lease, stands, in fact, all we own in the baseball business, for $46,500 cash." To quote Wagner literally, "I'd delivered on the table." Wagner deals in meats in addition to directing baseball affairs.

The Circuit Committee looked solemn as Wagner spoke, bowed him out in dignified silence, and sent for the Baltimore delegates for another conference.

Many wild guesses have been made as to the amount asked for this franchise. There is some reason to believe, however, that Baltimore wanted $30,000 for its franchise alone, with the privilege and full protection from the league of selling its players for the largest sums that can be obtained.

Why Baltimore asked so high a price for the franchise alone is that the owners of the club are of opinion that there will be a profit during the next two years at Baltimore.

The Circuit Committee refused to discuss what its plan to reduce the number of clubs amounted to. Louisville, Washington and Baltimore—$10,000 outright for the franchise. That would entail a gross expenditure to the league of $40,000.

In addition to that, each club was to be allowed to sell one player, and certain arrangements were to be entered into providing for the protection of ground rentals and such expenses as may have been incurred by leases.

President Pat Powers of the Eastern League is one of the most anxious of the minor league officials attending the meeting, as the outcome of this session will mean everything to his organization, which has not held its annual meeting, preferring to wait upon the National League's move on the baseball checker board.

Baltimore and Washington will go into the Eastern League, if they are disfranchised by the National League, and it is not at all improbable that Billy Barnie, once manager of the Baltimore club, will conduct the affairs of the Eastern League club in that city, while Tom Burns, formerly of Chicago, will go to Washington.

Baseball Brevities.

The St. Mary's Club, last year's champions, will put a strong team in the Senior League.

Manager Loftus of the Chicago Baseball club has signed Pitcher Cunningham of Pittsburg for the Chicago team, paying a large bonus.

Rochester has signed Pitcher McFarlin for this season and expects to make a winner out of him. McFarlin is all right, but he lacks that one essential to success—sand, as Springfield discovered some seasons ago.—Springfield Union.

The White Oak B. B. C. would like to hear from all teams whose average age is 15, that would like to join a junior league. Robert Kennedy, 26 McMurrich-street. The White Oaks will hold a meeting on Tuesday, March 13, at 4 Avondale-place, at 8 o'clock. All players and members wishing to join are requested to attend.

For the past few months Manager Pat Hayes of the St. Mary's club, champions of the Toronto Senior League last year, has been a very busy man, working quietly and now looms up with a string of players, mostly new blood, from which a team can be selected which should certainly be a factor in the race for the pennant. Capt. Sharkey, Maurice and Jack Walsh, McBride, Downs, Read Hanrahan and "Crutchey" Wiggins are once more on the list. The new men are all well-known to followers of the game, being Burns, Ward, Gloynes, McVee, Frank Miley and Eddie Gleason. The executive have closed a lease for grounds and practice will start so soon as the weather man issues the required permit.

Sporting Notes.

George Wheelock, who is in Paris, has arranged a match between George Slosson of New York and Maurice Vigneaux, the champion billiardist of Europe.

During the coming week it is expected that all of the crews at Harvard will go out for work on the river. As soon as the boats can be made ready the work will begin.

The final games in the pedro tournament at the Toronto Canoe Club will be played off to-night at 8 o'clock. Members are requested to be on hand early so as to get thru in time for a hot-ending Boston bean supper.

The Robertson Cup, for competition in the senior series of the Ontario Hockey Association, and which was won by the Wellington Hockey Club of Toronto, is on view in Ryrie's window, Yonge-street. The formal presentation of the cup to the champion Wellingtons will be made next Friday evening, March 16.

The Night Owl basketball team met and defeated the Grand Trunk Y.M.C.A. in a fast and exciting game Thursday night at the latter's rooms; score 10 to 4. The Night Owls will choose a team from the following players to represent them in a game with St. Stephen's Church boys next Wednesday night: S. Allen, Thompson, Nicholson, Dunn, J. Allen, Whitcombe, Hunnisett.

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HEAVY TRACK AT NEW ORLEANS.

Four Favorites Fail—Toronto Horses Run in Palace Hotel Stakes To-day.

New Orleans, March 9.—Round O and Prince Real were the only winning favorites to-day. The track was heavy and lumpy and there was but little to pick in the going. Dorsey was suspended for his ride on Protus in the first race. McJoynt was fined $50 and suspended for a week for his ride on Walkenshaw in the last race. Summaries:

First race, mile, selling—George B. Cox, 106 (Boland), 10 to 1, 1; Old Fox, 101 (Mitchell), 9 to 1, 2; Goose Liver, 106½ (McJoynt), 13 to 5, 3. Time 1.46¾. Loyalty, The Bondman, Lord Neville, Leaseman, Manlius, Protus, Island Prince, Tinkler, Lafayette and Zolo also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Round O., 160 (Gilmore), 4 to 1, 1; Wilkerson, 107 (McCabey), 40 to 1, 2; Fair American, 112 (Winkfield), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.20. Joan Spencer, Faischood, Eva Moe, Eugene, Sidnia, Traynor, Javelin, Newton, Anger and Long Life also ran.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Bright Night, 103 (J. Miller), 12 to 1, 1; Jump, 110 (McJoynt), 4 to 1, 2; Astor, Can I See 'Em (Shaw), 10 to 1, 3. Astor, Can I See 'Em, Prospero, Arline C., Warrior and Overall also ran.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, handicap—Collins, 105 (W. Shaw), 5 to 1, 1; Maggie Davis, 90 (J. Waldo), 5 to 1, 2; Gold d'Or, (Weddersteadt), even, 3. Time 1.14½. Aratoma, Deceptive and Monomania also ran.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Caviar, 100 (McJoyn), 5 to 2, 1; Lomond, 106 (Frost), 8 to 1, 2; Avator, 107 (Mitchell), 6 to 5, 3. Time 1.20½. Sorrel Rose, Miss Dede, Sue Johnson, Wedding Guest and Polly Bixby also ran.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Prince Real, 100 (Mitchell), 9 to 5, 1; Walkenshaw, 113 (McJoynt), 5 to 2, 2; Indian, 100 (Dominick), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.32½. Vie Lamont, Jonquis, Menu, The Burlington Route, Lavena, Balsan and Leando also ran.

Entries: First race, 3-year-olds, handicap, mile—Diffidence 95, Ben Chance 89, Diana Fonso 101, Arthur Behan 101, Caviar 108, Kingan Banneret 114, Prince of Veronica 119, Sir Fitzhugh 119.

Second race, 2-year-old fillies, ½ mile—Bonnie Hall, Jane Wood 103, Erema, Plead, Queue of Eagle, Francis Reiz, Jumnette 110.

Third race, handicap, steeplechase, short course—Lost Time 140, Pan Becker 151, Minor D. 152, Neva Smith, Seidenbach 154, Jim Hogg, Van Brunt 155, Jack Hayes 152.

Fourth race, the Dewey highweight handicap, ⅞ mile—Irma 100, Acusma 104, Flurries 105, Prospero 115, Debrisse 126, Tobe Payne 121, Sea Knight 126, Woihurst 133, Tobe Payne and Sea Knight coupled as Lizzie entry.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile, selling—Jackanapes 97, Possum, School Girl 100, Rusnelds, Pat Garrett 109, Banjo II., Julius Caesar, Moonogah 109, Albert Vale 115.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Althea 97, Marion Sanson 99, Nannie Davis, Sister Rox, Jennie F. 101, Shimtane, Sun God 102, Lou Reese 106, Judge Steadman 108, Planalda 105, Clarence D. 105.

Seventh race, ⅞ mile, selling—Donjonis 97, Prince Real 98, Claroba 98, Maddesoine, Marselines 100, Shieldsearen, Neile Prince 100, Ever Hope 103, Cordelia 107, Tenole, Ben Frost, Diggs, Wiggins 109.

The Round at Oakland.

San Francisco, March 9.—Weather raining; track sloppy.

First race, ⅞ mile, selling—Isaline, 107 (Ross), 4 to 5, 1; For Freedom, 107 (Gannaway), 4 to 1, 2; Morella, 107 (Hallman), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.11½. Bona, Bandora, Fille d'Or, Flush of Gold and Paldala also ran.

Second race, 7-16 mile, 2-year-olds, maiden, purse, miles—Pluto, 108 (Henry), 4 to 1, 1; Ionic, 108 (Piggott), 6 to 1, 2; Caribee, 108 (Jenkins), 8 to 5, 3. Time 44. Screenwell Lake, Tioiota, Undergrowth, Carelessness, Sesame, Joe Hot, Merida and Catharine Bravo also ran.

Third race, ⅞ mile, purse—Dr. Nembula, 100 (Jones), 7 to 1, 1; Corsina, 108 (Jenkins), 4 to 1, 2; Clarendo, 104 (Ross), 2 to 1, 3. Time 1.03. Uncle True, Isabelle, Sheinac, Reina de Cuba, De Bialse, Jim Brownell, Jessie O. also ran. Faicon left at post.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile, selling—Choteau, 107 (Ross), 3 to 1, 1; Jolly Briton, 104 (Henry), 6 to 1, 2; Burdock, 108 (Howell), 7 to 1, 3. Time 1.3. William F., Antier, Saumas ran out at start.

Fifth race, mile, selling—Obsidian, 100 (Hallman), 7 to 1, 1; Captive, 114 (Hoar), 7 to 5, 2; Charles Lebel, 110 (Hennessy), 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.46. Agam Andrew, Scintillate, Road Runner, Duke of York II. and Golden also ran.

Sixth race, ⅞ mile, selling—Good Hope, 98 (Henry), 8 to 5, 1; Uarda, 107 (Ross), 6 to 1, 2; Peace, 103 (Walsh), 8 to 5, 3. Time 1.31. Hammadia, Grand Sachem and True Blue also ran.

Entries: First race, 7 furlongs, selling—Durwad, Uncle True, Cipriano, Greynurst, Sonia 110, Lead Runner 113, Romion, Hannah Reid, Synia 105, Gold Baron 107, Wildnel 108.

Second race, 1⅛ mile, purse, 2-year-olds—Sofaia 110, Loyal S., Ether 105, Imade, Mildreth and Rattan, Laura Marion 100.

Third race, mile, purse—Malay 112, Horton 110, Flamora 98.

Fourth race, 1⅛ miles, Palace Hotel Stake—Ben Doran 124, Advance Guard 112, Topmast, Rosmanie 108, Uardo, David Tenney, Storm King 117, Formero, Imperious 108, Pat Morrissey, Acrobat 107, Flitterman, Zelka 88. Morrissey and Tenny B. & W. entry; Guard and Topmast Shields & Carpenter entry. Acrobat and Zelka doubtful starters.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Vesuvian 100, Good Hope 97, Durango 85, Ben Lodi, Cormorant 114, Pat Murphy 78, Miss Marion, Santomas 102, Nembula 107, Silver Tone, Obsidian 105.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Charles Lebel, Chapple, De Bialse, Irenes, Cowanda, Jockey Bill, Obsidian 110, Orion, Truxlio, Captive 113, Lena, Torsina 108.

Highest Price on Record.

Commenting on the sale of Flying Fox to M. Blanc for 191,325, The New York Press says:

This sale makes a record for the world. The purchase of Flying Fox by M. Blanc probably means that the horse will be retired to the stud at once. Until this sale the record price was $150,000, paid by W. O'Brien McDonough of California for Ormonde, and horsemen on this side of the water were not inclined to believe Ormonde's grandson, Flying Fox, would bring $41,325 more than Mr. McDonough paid for him.

The only other price approaching these figures is that of $100,000, paid by Charlie Reed of the Fairview Stud, Galatin, Tenn., for St. Blaise, when he was sold at auction in this city. Mr. Reed's was the first and only bid on St. Blaise.

"Flying Fox isn't a handsome horse," an American who saw him in England said recently. "We have many horses and there are many horses in England that would outpoint him in a show ring. On the track, however, he seemed to be supreme. He simply won his races as he pleased."

Sutton defeated Catton in the three-cushion carom tournament at Chicago on Wednesday by a score of 50 to 38. Sutton's same element of luck followed him; his run of 8 was completed with some marvelous shots, notwithstanding. Sutton's high run was 8, Catton 3, in 88 innings. To-night Schaefer will play Carter.

Taken Home for Burial.

The remains of the late F. D. Asnwell, who died from the effects of an injury received on Tuesday night, were taken to his late home, at Strathroy, yesterday for interment. Among the floral offerings placed on the casket was a pillow of roses from the employes of the Street Railway Company.

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PROFESSIONAL HOCKEYISTS.

The O.H.A. Executive Met Last Night and Expelled the Guelph Nationals.

GUY CURTIS A GOOD AMATEUR.

Hockey Dixon Will Be Asked to Defend Himself—Other Cases to Be Investigated.

A meeting of the Ontario Hockey Association was held last night at the Rossin House, with President John Ross Robertson in the chair, and Frank Nelson, Gordon Crawford, Dr. Thompson, J. Macfadden and Secretary Beaton present. The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the amateur status of numerous players.

The first case taken up was that of Guy Curtis, regarding his trip to Brooklyn. The verbal statement he gave was considered satisfactory, and he will be asked to put it in writing.

The Guelph Nationals had been notified that they would have to answer to the charge of professionalism. Only one of the seven put in any defence—Howell—and he produced a telegram offering him a situation on the Victoria team of Hamilton, and also one from Welland. His idea in showing these was to show that he did not want to be a professional. This did not go, and the whole of the seven men were declared professionals.

Another man who will be asked to prove his amateur standing is Hooky Dixon, who played last season with Barrie.

Preston is charged with playing two outsiders in the persons of C. Edmunds of Berlin and G. Hunt of Galt.

The application of Varsity to have a fine of $3 refunded was refused.

Two cases are being investigated, that of Lindsay for playing two of the suspended Collingwood players, and the row in Kingston in the R.M.C.-Peterboro match, in which the Peterboro goal umpire claims he was assaulted.

There was a great deal of discussion over the division of the gate receipts in the final games.

It was decided to take the O.H.A. representatives' expenses out of the association's share, and not charge it in the expenses of the game.

Beautiful Cup for Lindsay.

Lindsay, March 9.—The third game between the Lindsays and Beaverton Falls hockey teams was played here to-night for the Simpson Cup, and was won by Lindsay. Score, 7 to 1. The first game was played at Lindsay and was won by the home team by a score of 4 to 2. The second was played at Fenelon Falls, and resulted in a tie, 4 all. Lindsay won to-night by a score of 7 to 1, and as a result becomes owner of the beautiful cup. On Wednesday afternoon of this week Lindsay Juniors defeated Sunderland by a score of 8 to 1, and the same evening our senior team defeated Peterboro Seniors, 14 to 3. All games were well patronized.

Fawkes Trophy for Woodstock.

Woodstock, Ont., March 9.—To night the last game of hockey in the series of the O.H.A. series of the Gold and Blue and Pink and Grey hockey teams was played here between Paris and Woodstock. At half-time the score stood a tie, the first half the home team had the speedy, but good hockey prevailed, and the home boys were victorious by a score of 7 to 5 when time was called. This takes the Fawkes Trophy Cup from Paris. The line-up was as follows:

Paris (5): Goal, Gray; point, Munn; cover, Layden; forwards, Gillard, Adams, Taylor, Wright.

Woodstock (8): Goal, Maltman; point, Wilkinson; cover, Brown; forwards, Pascoe, Miller, McLellan, Simpson.

Whitby 8, Port Hope 2.

Whitby, March 9.—The Port Hope hockey team came to Whitby to-day to settle the question of superiority, which was left open by the unfinished game of a week ago. The game to-night at Barnes' rink was of the hottest description. Both teams did their utmost to win, amidst the great cheering of the Port Hope contingent and the great Whitby crowd, at the end of the first half the score stood one to one. But in the second half the home team scored by the fastest and most beautiful combination work ever seen here, seven goals to Port Hope's one. Once more Whitby has shown herself invincible. The game was quite devoid of roughness or any objectionable features. Mr. A. W. Cayley gave complete satisfaction as referee.

The line up of the teams was as follows:

Whitby (8)—Goal, Mathison; point, R. Stewart (Captain); cover point, McLaren; forwards, Nicholson, C. Stewart, G. Barnes and W. Barnes.

Port Hope (2)—Goal, Raymond; point, J. McMillan; cover point, W. McMillan; forwards, Brown, Bunney, Hawley, Colman.

Umpires, E. R. Blow, Whitby; A. F. Henderson, Port Hope.

The statement that Tom Sharkey would second Spike Sullivan against Walter Burge on March 17 caused favorable comment among the followers of the game he e, who have never seen the sailor. The visit will be brought about owing to the friendship of the two Irishmen, and the spectacle of Sharkey in Sullivan's corner will go as an extra feature of the big show.

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