

Maritime Ch'pships

World's Trotting Record at 2.02

Tennis Finals

FOOTBALL NOT SO DANGEROUS

Sweeping Changes in Rules Expected to Result in Fewer Fatalities--Rest Periods Provided for.

New York, Aug. 17.—After labor lasting nearly all summer for the football rules committee today made public the rules which are to govern the conduct of the game during the season of 1910.

The changes adopted are revolutionary in character and calculated to minimize greatly the danger of fatal accidents existing under the old rules.

For one thing the time of play is divided into four periods of 15 minutes duration instead of the traditional two halves of 35 minutes each. The usual intermission of 15 minutes is made between the second and third periods, but an intermission of three minutes only is allowed between the first and second and third and fourth periods.

During this short intermission no player is to be allowed to leave the field nor will any one be permitted to come on the field save only the individual who looks after the physical condition of the players.

Another radical change is that governing the flying tackle. This has been entirely eliminated by a new rule, which provides that a player must have one foot at least on the ground when tackling an opponent.

The new legislation governing the forward pass, which a number of the experts were inclined to abolish altogether will materially alter the play and aspect of the game.

This year's rules provide that a forward pass is only qualified to receive a kick, which provides that a player may kick a ball into the air or over the back of his own line scrimmage or occupies the position on the end of said line. No man may make a forward pass or kick the ball unless he is five yards back of the line scrimmage.

The try forward of the line of scrimmage and consequently in the enemy's camp, is adjudged neutral for a distance of twenty yards pending the completion of a forward pass or kick. A forward pass is not legal if the ball crosses a line twenty yards in advance of the spot where it was put in play before touching the ground or a player.

In the case of a kick, the players on the defence within the twenty yard zone must not interfere with the ends, or other players, in any way until those opponents have advanced 20 yards beyond the line of scrimmage. Interlocked interference that is, players of the side having the ball taking hold of each other or using their hands or arms to grasp their team mates in any way, is forbidden and it is also forbidden for any man on the side having possession of the ball to push or pull in any way the man running with the ball.

Another innovation is to be noted in the substitution of a player during a game. A rule has been passed which provides that a player who has been removed for any cause except disqualification or suspension, may be returned to the game once at the beginning of any subsequent period.

CLEVELANDS HAVE FULL COMPLEMENT

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 17.—The Cleveland Club today purchased pitcher Krapp and shortstop Olsen from the Portland, Oregon, club of the Pacific Coast League. This makes four players Cleveland has secured from Portland, the others being pitcher Gregg and catcher Fisher.

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FREDERICTON WON MATCH BY 4 WICKETS

St. John XI Defeated in All-Day Cricket Match on E. D. C. Grounds Yesterday—Score and Analysis.

Fredericton defeated the St. John XI in an all day match yesterday on the Ever Day Club grounds by 4 wickets. The game was very evenly contested but mistakes in the field by the home team were to a great extent responsible for the result. Several catches missed and a total of 10 byes out of a score of 45 in the first innings put the visitors on good terms with themselves and materially aided their victory.

St. John won the toss and took first innings on a pitch, which by using matting played fairly true throughout the day. Fairweather was the only member of the side to get into double figures, scoring 14. Jones and Turner bowled throughout the innings and were well supported in the field. The innings closed for 43.

Fredericton made a poor start and lost 7 wickets for 28. Burgess by steady cricket added 10 and the home eleven's total was passed with two runs to spare. Popham and Sturdee for St. John bowled well but met with only poor support.

The second innings of the home team totalled 49 for 9 wickets when Fairweather declared leaving the visitors 48 to get to win. Lewis was top notcher with 12 to his credit. With rather more than an hour to play Fredericton started none too propitiously and had six wickets down for 34. Jones and Turner then made a stand as the runs required were hit off without further loss. The game was keenly contested and thoroughly enjoyed. Luncheon was served on the grounds. Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond umpired for the St. John XI. It is hoped that further matches can be arranged before the end of the season.

Following is the full score and analysis:

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes ST. JOHN 1st Innings and FREDERICTON 1st Innings.

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The Harvester Lowers World's Trotting Record at Fort Erie



THE HARVESTER GEERS UP.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 17.—World's records were made today at the Fort Erie track when The Harvester, driven by Ed. Geers, covered a mile in 2:02 over a track said to be fully a second slow. The record time was made in the last heat of the 2:07 trot, distance being waived by the other starters. Geers sent the brown stallion away to a good start. The half mile was made in 1:01. The Harvester was faltering after the turn into the stretch, but Geers applied the whip and the sturdy son of Walnut Hall flashed under the wire with a champion's record.

He had clipped a quarter of a second off the world's record of Croesus, made 9 years ago, established a new third heat record for stallions, mares or geldings, and also made a record for a 3-year-old trotter. Dudie Archdale, heretofore unbeaten and winner of the \$10,000 M. and M. stake and several other rich prizes was beaten by Hallworthy in the \$5,000 King George V. stake for 2 1/2 trotters. Joan won the first, but Hallworthy took the last three.

HOW WADDELL HIT NEWARK

Didn't Know the Town, but is Quite Willing to Win the Pennant—Thought Flags Were for Him.

A Newark paper thus describes "Rube" Waddell's arrival in that fair city: It has happened. Rube Waddell blew into town today and the whole burg is in holiday mood. The Rube's coming was in keeping with his usual stunts. A telegram from Columbus, Ohio, tore Manager McGlinity out of bed at 3 o'clock this morning, rudely disturbing his dreams of having a piece of blue bunting to the top of a stick of timber. The Iron Man walked to the door dressed in a barrel and was at the Pennsylvania station at 4:55 A. M., signed G. E. Waddell.

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At the appointed hour a train from the West pulled into the station, "Hey you, in this Newark!" yelled an excited individual who was later identified as G. E. Waddell. "That you, Joe?" he said on spotting the drowsy McGlinity. "Gee, I wouldn't a knowed Waddell was yanked from the train and then he and his new boss fell to talking business.

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McGlinity replied that Toledo didn't happen to be in the league, and that it was Rochester they had to beat out. "Oh, well, it's the same thing," spoke Mr. Waddell. "The difference of a name won't cut any ice."

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REACH FINALS IN TOURNAMENT

St. John Girls Will Do Battle for Honor of Meeting Provincial Champion in Ladies Singles.

Fredericton, Aug. 17.—Finals were reached in ladies' singles in the New Brunswick Tennis Association's annual tournament today, and tomorrow Miss B. MacAulay will play the winner of Miss Jean Trueman of St. John and Miss Madge Robertson of Toronto match, to see who will meet Mrs. H. R. Babbitt of this city, holder of ladies' singles title for championship on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Babbitt, Ohio, tore Manager McGlinity out of bed at 3 o'clock this morning, rudely disturbing his dreams of having a piece of blue bunting to the top of a stick of timber. The Iron Man walked to the door dressed in a barrel and was at the Pennsylvania station at 4:55 A. M., signed G. E. Waddell.

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TIGERS WIN IN 13 INNINGS

Detroit Takes Last of Series from Senators--Pirates Win in National--Montreal Defeats Jersey City.

Boston, Aug. 17.—Boston closed the home series by defeating St. Louis to 4 to 3. The locals made only three hits, but with two errors and Corridon's wildness, they were enough to win. Score by innings: St. Louis 00000000—2 3 0 Boston 00000000—4 3 0 Batteries: Corridon and Phelps; Mattern and Hariden. Time: 1:55. Umpires, Klem and Kane.

Second game: Score: Chicago 00000000—5 8 1 Brooklyn 00000000—7 1 1 Batteries: Overall, McIntyre and Kling; Knetzer and Erwin. Time: 2 hours. Umpires, Johnstone and Eason.

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At New York: Score: Pittsburgh 02000000—2 6 1 New York 00000000—1 2 0 Batteries: White, Phelps and Gibson; Sharpe, Randall and Schiel, Wilson. Time: 1:44. Umpires, Rigler and Emalie.

At Philadelphia: Score: Cincinnati 00000101—3 13 3 Philadelphia 000001120—7 1 4 Batteries: Beebe, Benton and Clarke; Stack and Dooin. Time: 1:55. Umpires, O'Day and Brennan.

Second game: Score: Cincinnati 002100000—3 7 3 Philadelphia 00100120x—4 12 1 Batteries: Burns and McLean; Brennan, Moore and Dooin. Time: 1:34. Umpires, Brennan and O'Day.

American League. At Cleveland: Score: Cleveland 10010120x—5 9 1 Philadelphia 002000000—2 11 0 Batteries: Mitchell, Harkness and Easterly; Morgan and Livingston; Summers and Stanga. Time: 2:45. Umpires, Coffinower and Evans.

At Washington: Score: Washington 000010000001—2 10 2 Detroit 0000000010003—4 6 1 Batteries: Gray and Almsmith; Summers and Stanga. Time: 2:45. Umpires, Kerin and Connolly.

Eastern League. At Providence: Toronto 1; Providence 0. At Baltimore: Rochester 4; Baltimore 4 (called end 11th on account of darkness). At Jersey City: Montreal 8; Jersey City 4. At Newark: Buffalo 4; Newark 7.

ST. JOHN MEN WIN PLACES AT CHARLOTTETOWN

Sterling Second and Walsh Third in Exceptionally Fast Mile--Meargarty First in Junior 220--Conley Second.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 17.—Thousands of visitors are in the city today attending the M. P. A. A. sports, special trains and boats running all day carrying the crowds. The weather is delightful and the events never so hotly contested.

The summary follows: Pole Vault—1st, H. Harley, Victoria; 2nd, W. Stanway, Victoria; 3rd, James Duff, Abegweit. Height ten feet four inches.

One hundred yards dash, first heat—Schaeffer, ten three fifths; Hooper; second heat, Stanley, ten three fifths; Covey; third, James Duff, Abegweit. A. W. Covey, St. John, tie. In run off, won by Covey, ten three fifths. Time for final, ten two fifths.

Throwing 16 lb. hammer—1st, J. A. Kennedy, I. A. A.; 2nd, James McDougall, N. G. A. A.; 3rd, J. D. Kennedy, I. A. A. Distance 123 feet, 4 3/4 inches.

High Jump—1st, D. A. Cameron, Pictou; 2nd, W. J. Donovan, Abegweit; 3rd, W. Stanway and James Duff tied. Height 5 feet 5 inches. 220 (boys)—1st, A. E. Megarity, St. John; 2nd, H. W. Turner, Amherst; 3rd, E. Hughes, A. A. A. Time 2:5 1/2.

Broad jump—1st, R. E. McKenzie, Pictou; 2nd, D. A. Cameron, Pictou; 3rd, W. J. Stanway, Victoria. Distance 19 feet 2 inches.

220 yards—1st, F. O. Schaeffer, W. A. A. A.; 2nd, H. Stanley, A. A. A.; 3rd, H. Paul, A. A. A. Time 2:4 1/2. Putting shot—1st, B. D. Kennedy, I. A. A.; 2nd, James McDougall, N. G. A. A.; 3rd, Jack Pringle, P. A. A. Distance 40 feet 5 inches.

Half mile bicycle race, first heat—Gaudet Winchester, Charlottetown, 1:15 2/5; second heat, Prowse, Pearson, Charlottetown, 1:15 4/5; final heat, 1st, Prowse, W. A. A.; 2nd, Winchester, A. A. A. Time 1:25.

One mile run—1st, F. Cameron, Amherst; 2nd, Sterling, St. John; 3rd, W. B. Walsh, St. John. Time 4:34 1/5. Quarter mile run—1st, J. P. Hooper, A. A. A.; 2nd, D. O. Schaeffer, A. A. A.; 3rd, H. Stanley, A. A. A. Time 5:12 1/2.

One mile bicycle race, first heat—Prowse, Foote, 3:38 2/5. Second heat—Pearson, Smith, 3:15 2/5. Final, 1st, Prowse; 2nd, Pearson; 3rd, Smith. Time 3:14.

Half mile run—1st, H. Paul; 2nd, H. Harley; 3rd, J. P. Hooper. Time 3:10 2/5.

Five mile run—1st, F. L. Cameron, Amherst; 2nd, M. Thomas, A. A. A.; 3rd, Sterling, St. John. Time 26:18 2/5.

100 yard hurdles—1st, J. P. Hooper, A. A. A.; 2nd, J. Duffy, A. A. A.; 3rd, D. A. Cameron, Pictou. Time 1:19 1/2.

RULING ON RELEASING OF PLAYERS

Cincinnati, Aug. 17.—After declaring Ernest B. Lush, formerly a player on the rolls of the New York and St. Louis National League teams, on the Troy team of the New York State League, a free agent, the National baseball commission today promulgated the following ruling: "If a player is released by a minor league club without notifying the club having an option on his services, they are responsible for his salary until he gets engagement. If they do not notify the club holding the option that they are to release the player and do not hear from that club within three days, they will be permitted to release the player outright." Lush was released to the Troy club by New York last May, was attacked with rheumatism and later released by Troy. New York then claimed him and pending a decision by the commission, he signed with the St. Louis National League team.

TO RACE IN AFRICA TODAY

Professional Sculling Championship, Arnst vs. Barry, to be Decided on Zambesi River--\$5,000 Purse.

London, Aug. 17.—A world's championship is to be fought out tomorrow in a spot which, within its history, was an unexplored part of the Dark Continent.

It will be the sculling championship of the world between Richard Arnst and Ernest Barry, and the scene of the contest will be the Zambesi river, close to the famous Victoria Falls, discovered by Dr. Livingstone, who, when he first saw them, committed on his own confession, the only piece of vanity of which he was ever guilty. He cut his initials on a tree, and they remain to this day for the visitor to see.

Since the railway to the Zambesi was completed in 1904 many of the most important races have been held as follows: 1890—P. Kemp beat Nell Matterson. 1895—J. Stanbury beat G. Towns. 1891—J. Stanbury beat J. MacLean. 1896—J. Stanbury beat C. R. Harding. 1896—J. Gaudaur beat J. Stanbury. 1901—G. Towns beat J. Gaudaur. 1904—G. Towns beat R. Tessier. 1892—J. Stanbury beat T. Sulran. 1908—G. Towns beat J. Stanbury. 1907—G. Towns beat Eddie Durran and turned over the title to his brother C. Towns. 1907—William Webb beat C. Towns. 1908—William Webb beat R. Treasider. 1909—R. Arnst beat William Webb.

Former Title Holders. The professional sculling champions of the world since 1890 and their most important races have been as follows: 1890—P. Kemp beat Nell Matterson. 1895—J. Stanbury beat G. Towns. 1891—J. Stanbury beat J. MacLean. 1896—J. Stanbury beat C. R. Harding. 1896—J. Gaudaur beat J. Stanbury. 1901—G. Towns beat J. Gaudaur. 1904—G. Towns beat R. Tessier. 1892—J. Stanbury beat T. Sulran. 1908—G. Towns beat J. Stanbury. 1907—G. Towns beat Eddie Durran and turned over the title to his brother C. Towns. 1907—William Webb beat C. Towns. 1908—William Webb beat R. Treasider. 1909—R. Arnst beat William Webb.

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GRAND NEW BILL FRIDAY-SATURDAY!

WOODLANDS DEFEAT THISTLES

St. Stephen, Aug. 17.—What was probably one of the best games seen here this season took place on the St. Stephen diamond today between Woodland, Maine and the Thistles, resulting in a score of 6 to 3 in favor of the former. Woodland had the pick of the various teams around here including Calais, St. Peters and Bowdoin college while the Thistles had their same old lineup.

6-2. W. T. Wood and R. Triton won from D. Colburn and G. F. Randolph, 6-2. 4-1. Second round—H. C. Turner and H. H. Hatheway won from S. Gregory and M. Thompson, 3-6, 7-5, 7-5.

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