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The following: Tinker, Sheppard and Evers are of the Champion Chicago Cubs. These three men rank with the best players in the profession and have aided materially in landing three pennants for the team from the Windy City.

BASEBALL NOTES. Roger Bresnahan is playing the game of his life. The veteran is catching, throwing and hitting in great style, and he has lots of rooters in the Hub apparently.

Stem does not show up well as a pinch hitter. But it is hard to expect a man who is kept on the bench to go up once in a week to bat and put it out when the regulars haven't been able to do the same stunt.

Jake Stahl is doing some fine hitting for the Red Sox. The big first baseman has certainly made good this season, and thousands of his Boston adherents are tickled over his great showing.

Frank Connolly, of the New England League staff is to umpire the annual game between the Boston and New York Stock Exchange teams, which takes place on Saturday at the Boston American League grounds.

Secretary Mose, of the New England league has received word that the New Bedford management that there had been an agreement between the club and the Oakland, Cal. club about Player Slattery, who was protested by Lawrence on the grounds that he was on the reserve list of the coast organization.

Burchell had hard luck in the first full game he has essayed to pitch this season. His last appearance was against Cincinnati at the barnstorming tour, and he also got his bumps on that occasion.

FACTS ABOUT AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS

The Australians began the first game of their English cricket tour auspiciously, getting Nottingham out in the first inning for 339, of which A. O. Jones, captain, scored 125, not out, playing through the entire innings. The cornstalks hit up 389, including W. W. Armstrong's 106, V. Trumper 94, Bradbury 65, H. Carter 61, and A. Catter 22.

Four of the Australians, Bardsley, Whitty, O'Connor and Ransford, were making their first appearance in England, while Noble was also making his debut as captain and successor in office to Darling.

The 13th Team. The first band of Australian cricketers visited England 31 years ago, and this is the 13th team from those who have played the biggest innings of their careers, 276 and 205, while the pair in partnership added 271 for the second wicket, which is only 27 runs short of the record established by Shrewsbury and William Gunn for Nottingham against Sussex in 1890.

Work of effecting repairs will take three weeks. While the Amelita is in the slip the steamer Bridgewater will be her place on the South Shore.

Battle Line steamship Leuctra, in Hilton, arrived at Tyne yesterday from Hamburg and called for exports.

WHEAT CROP. (Winnipeg Commercial) Wheat has appeared above ground in many places and conditions very favorable for the young plant. It will be interesting to those who are watching the crop to know that it was not until 15th years ago that wheat became general. There is a difference between starting on May and finishing on that date.

Close to 600 entries have been received for the annual New England Intercollegiate, which takes place on Technology Field, Brookline, on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Boxing Notes. The Sullivan twins have reached San Rafael, Cal., where they will train. Mike is matched with Kyle Whitney at Parsboro, N. S., on the 24th. These two promising athletes who will run under the colors of the Y. M. C. A., are showing good form this year, and it would not be surprising to hear on the night of the 24th that they had cleaned up the field—Chatham Commercial.

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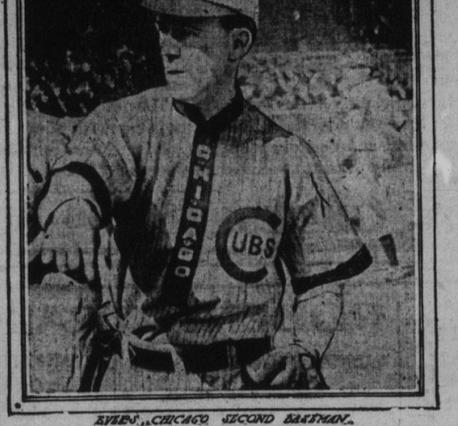
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ROGER BRESNAHAN, CHICAGO CUBS



FRED APPELEY, MARATHONER

FRED APPELEY WAS BEATEN BY INDIAN

Fred Appley, the Marathoner, was trimmed at Winnipeg by Acoose, the Indian runner. An account of the race says: Fred Appley, champion fifteen miler, lost by a lap to Paul Acoose, of Grenfell, Sask., on a track that was eleven laps to the mile in the Arena. The time was 1 hour, 22 minutes and 22 seconds. It was in the seventh and eighth miles that the Indian broke away and made the lap which in the eleventh and remaining miles the Englishman tried in vain to recover. Local records for all intervening distances were shattered. The race on a corral track and a second meeting has been secured by Appley for May 24.

Undertrained. It is common gossip in the Monumental City that Gans did little or no training for his fight with White. At the time the match took place the negro was endeavoring to have his hotel license renewed after the application had been turned down by the commissioners. Gans was greatly worried over this matter and spent little time in conditioning himself for the bout with the Englishman. That the negro gained considerable ground is probably due to the fact that Gans himself caused a similar story to be spread prior to his fight with Nelson last September.

A GREAT ENTRY LIST FOR THE JULY RACES AT FREDERICTON

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., May 19.—A meeting of the directors of the Fredericton Park Association was held here this evening when the report of Secretary Black showed that the four early closing stake events for races here on June 30th, July 1st and 2nd, had filled well with a most generous list of nominations which were received for the opening meeting of the Maritime Circuit. The stake events were free-for-all, and 227 for trotters and pacers and 234 straight trot, each worth \$400, and conditions called for six to enter and five to start.

Second Payments June 1. Second payments in stakes will be due June 1, and entries in class races, 215, 217, and 219 for trotters and pacers will close June 15, purses being \$300 each.

Boxing Notes. Such a big entry for a certain race indicates a highly successful raising season in the Maritime Provinces. The trotting park directors also decided to allow the Gentlemen's Driving Club the use of the track on Victoria Day.

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BASEBALL AT CHATHAM. Chatham, N. B., May 19.—Arrangements have been made by the Chatham Stars to have the Richibucto baseball team here on the 24th. The locals have been putting in a lot of hard practice for the past few weeks and a good game is expected.

RECTOR IS NOT ENTERED. Jimmy Rector, Virginia's sprint champion, will not be entered in the intercollegiate meet at Cambridge.

DETROIT DROPS TO THIRD PLACE

American League. Chicago, Ill., May 19.—Boston won the first game of the series from Chicago today by the score of 5 to 2. Steele held the locals to one hit until the ninth inning. Burns pitched his first game for Chicago and made a poor showing. Sullivan and Lord were forced to retire because of split fingers and Labell was put out for disputing. Score: Chicago... 000010001-233 Boston... 002001200-5110

Batteries: Burns, Suter and Sullivan; Owens; Steele and Carrigan. Time, 1:45. Umpires O'Loughlin and Perrine.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 19.—Score: Cleveland... 22100020x-7132 Wash... 001000030-4103

Batteries: Young and Easterly; Smith and Street. Time, 1:49. Umpires, Sheridan and Kerin.

St. Louis, Mo., May 19.—Score: St. Louis... 110000000-163 New York... 00000000-021

Batteries: Powell, Cris and Criger; Quinn and Kleinow. Time, 2:23. Umpires Egan and Conolly.

Detroit—Philadelphia, 10; Detroit, 2.

American League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. New York... 15 8 .666 Philadelphia... 16 8 .652 Detroit... 16 9 .640 Cleveland... 10 14 .417 Chicago... 11 16 .407 St. Louis... 9 15 .375 Washington... 6 17 .261

National League. Boston, Mass., May 19.—Although Manager Bowdler shifted the batting order, Boston could not win from St. Louis today, the visitors scoring a shut-out, 2 to 0, thus taking the entire series of four games. Besides Sallo's pitching, Charles' fielding was a feature. The score: St. Louis... 000100010-210 Boston... 000000000-000

Batteries: Sallo and Bresnahan; Tuckey, White and Eowman. Time, 1:38. Umpire O'Day and Emalle.

Brooklyn, N. Y., May 19.—Score: Brooklyn... 00000200x-270 Philadelphia... 00000100-021

Batteries: Bell and Bergen; Philippe and Gibson. Time—1:12. Umpire—Rigler and Truby.

New York, N. Y., May 19.—Score: Cincinnati... 00000210-385 New York... 5107418-181

Batteries: Dubeck, Savidis, Cartwell and McLean, Roth; Durham and Schell. Time—2:05. Umpires—Klem and Kane.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 19.—Score: Philadelphia... 30000200x-70 Chicago... 10000100-262

Batteries—McQuillan, Moran and Dooin; Reulbach, Kroh and Moran. Time—1:53. Umpires—Johnstone and Casack.

National League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Pittsburgh... 17 10 .630 Chicago... 18 13 .582 Philadelphia... 13 11 .542 Cincinnati... 14 16 .467 St. Louis... 14 16 .467 New York... 11 13 .458 Brooklyn... 11 14 .440

Eastern League. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 2; Newark, 1 (10 innings). Second game—Buffalo, 5; Newark, 2.

At Montreal—Montreal, 3; Jersey City, 1. At Rochester—Baltimore, 1; Rochester, 2.

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Connecticut League. At Bridgeport—Hartford, 2; Bridgeport, 0. At Holyoke—New Haven, 6; Holyoke, 1.

At Waterbury—Waterbury, 4; Springfield, 2 (14 innings). At Northampton—New Britain, 4; Northampton, 3 (3 innings called, rain).

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AUSTRALIA NO PLACE FOR CYCLE RACES

Erne Pye, the great Australian cyclist, says that bicycle racing in the Antipodes is in a bad way. "The bicycle game in Australia is dead-dead," said Pye, in speaking of the past season. "Why, we could not draw \$75 houses and believe me, I am glad to get back here. We were ashamed to be introduced as bicycle riders in Melbourne because really, it was a disgrace and we weren't as much as meal ticket prize fighters. The game is sure dead and I don't know whether it can ever be revived. The bringing in of foreign riders might revive it, but I am not sure of that."

MOOSEPATH NOMINATIONS CLOSE TODAY

Nominations for the stake events at Moosepath in July close today. Nominations for the other events are open until June 29.

WELSH HAS TWO MATCHES IN VIEW

Proddie Welsh, the English lightweight will have another chance to prove his right to a match with Battling Nelson when he hooks up with Jack Goodman in a ten round bout at the Fairmont A. C. next Friday night. Welsh has enjoyed a much needed rest since his recent bout with Johnny Frayne and says he will put up a much better argument. Welsh will take Phil Brock, of Cleveland, on for twelve rounds at the Army A. A. Boston next Tuesday night at 133 lbs., scaling at 2 o'clock, more than seven hours before ring time.

CLIPPERS LIKELY TO ENTER. The Clippers are likely to enter a team in the Fredericton Y. M. C. A. relay race to be run in the Arctic Rink on the evening of Victoria Day. The distance will be a mile with four men to a team. The Victorias with whom the Clippers play a double header ball game on that day will have a strong team entered.

PENDELTON TO RACE CROMWELL. Robert Pendleton and Charlie Cromwell are matched for a five mile race about June 5. The prize will be a medal.

POSTMASTER RESIGNS. Peterboro, Ont., May 19.—Col. H. C. Rogers, postmaster of Peterboro, has tendered his resignation to take effect December 1, and the resignation has been accepted at Ottawa. Col. Rogers will be succeeded by A. H. Stratton, a brother of Hon. J. R. Stratton, M. P., who is engaged in the station business here for over forty years.

MR. SCLANDERS OPTIMISTIC. Toronto, May 19.—In the opinion of Maurice Sclanders the Board of Trade commissioner for the city of Saskatoon now in this city, the west is on the eve of the greatest season yet. The agricultural outlook of Mr. Sclanders is good, indeed very good; land was never in such good shape, and cultivation is the best ever seen in the west.

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