

# DIAMOND DUST

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## CUBS PROTEST GAME AGAINST RED LIONS.

Manager Hall of the Cubs has entered the following protest to the League in connection with Thursday's game which was won by the Lions 4 to 2:

"Gosse, at bat, hits a fly between 'home-plate and first which will fall directly on the base line. 'Gosse, making a straight run up 'the line, arrives at the point 'where the batted ball is about to be fielded by pitcher Callahan, 'who is standing on the base line 'to receive the ball. Gosse, realising the possibility of interfering with the play, acts according to 'Rule 5 and 7, Rule 56, by running 'off the base line and behind the 'fielder, arriving at first base before the ball—which was not 'caught by Callahan but relayed 'to first to catch the runner."

The protest then goes on to allege that the heart-breaking part of Base Umpire Hartnett's decision in calling Gosse out for "interference" is that two Cub runners had crossed the plate before he was called out. Gosse being third down, retired the side; otherwise the score would have been tied. Callahan deposited a five-spot with the protest like a little man, which he will lose should the League fail to sustain it. Should John B. see the point in Callahan's argument, and the rules bear it out, then the game will have to be replayed. And we feel safe in saying that the fans would dearly love to see another clash. A special meeting of the League will be held to-day to settle the matter.

## ON YOUR TOES, BOYS.

Interest in the Championship Sports' Event on Wednesday afternoon grows apace, and the grand stand reserved seats at 25 cents are selling rapidly. As the programme is under the auspices of the Amateur Athletic Association, the various courses are being carefully measured, and three stop-watches will click off the time. A number of the athletes of the dear goneby days are generously subscribing gold medals for each event, and each winner will in addition receive the first A.A.A. certificate to be issued qualifying him as the recognized champion for 1921. Also, a special and very valuable Victor Ludorum medal will be presented by the A.A.A. to the athlete receiving the greatest number of points, viz.:—4 for first place, 3 for second, 2 for third, and 1 for fourth. In the past the hundred yard runners have been seriously handicapped by crowding and collisions on the course, and to overcome this each man will be given tapes. This is an excellent idea and will ensure fast time being made. Below we publish the local records which we feel sure will be interesting to our readers, and will bring back memories of all the by-gone days since the late Mr. Tom McNeil inaugurated the Highland Games, which were the first recognised sports to be held in Newfoundland. It is more than likely that some of the records will be shattered. In the Guards' Sports, young Skirving (who is clipping seconds off the mile each time he runs) was only 4 seconds behind the record time, and his supporters feel that given favourable conditions he can do the trick. Raymond Halley has done 4 hurdles this summer in 13 seconds, which is Eric Bowring's time for a 5 hurdle stant. Albert Martin is only 4.5 of a second behind the record for the 220 yards at the G.W.V.A. Sports. Duke Winter is also in training for the 100 and 220 though not yet entered. The Football Place Kick is a new event and one that is sure to be exciting, as a great difference of opinion exists as to which of our local footers has the strongest kick. The record is 200 feet, or about two-thirds the length of St. George's Field. Charles Cyr, who is due on the Mahee Wednesday morning, will run Bell for 5 miles. This is an open event, and anyone may enter. It is therefore likely that all the 10 mile men who competed in the Guards' Sports will be on deck to see what they can do against the Montreal artist. Bell is out to beat Shrubbs' time of 26 minutes 32 seconds, and in view of his remarkable showing on Wednesday, feels that he can do it. On the road he has done it in 26.02 without labouring, but of course turf is much more trying. A final meeting of the Sports' Committee will be held to-night to complete all arrangements. To prevent discomfort to spectators who occupy the grand stand, only ticket holders will be allowed inside the enclosure, and the committee in charge have decided to issue sufficient tickets only to ensure seats. It is therefore advisable to buy reserved grand stand tickets now selling at 25 cents each at Chessman's. The public are reminded that positively no one will be allowed inside the grand stand except the field except those who will be asked to take charge of the field as officials, etc., and hearty co-operation of the public in this respect is requested by the Sports' Committee.

## LOCAL RECORDS.

5 Hurdles.—Eric Bowring holds the Newfoundland record, having run in

1909 at St. George's Field with 5 hurdles in 13 seconds.

100 Yards.—Jim Vinicombe 9.4-5 seconds at St. George's Field in 1899. Ran subsequently for 6 years doing it in 10 seconds flat each time.

220 Yards.—George Knight established a new record of 35 seconds at the Highland Games in 1909, which he smashed again in 1913 by 1 second. At the last G.W.V.A. Sports Albert Martin was only 4.5 of a second behind.

1-4 Mile.—At the C.L.B. Sports in 1910 Knight broke all previous records by doing it in 55 seconds flat.

1-2 Mile.—Held by Joe Greene, time 2 minutes 11 seconds.

1 Mile.—For many years a gold medal had been offered for the first Newfoundland runner to do it under 5 minutes. Frank James ticked it off at 4.53 in 1909, but as it was claimed the course was short, refused to accept the prize until the track had been competently measured. The late Owen Steele finished second in the race with the time of 4.57. It was not until four years later that Fred Marshall broke James' record at the Star-C.C.C. Sports by doing it in 4.50, and he still holds it.

Pole Vault.—Is held by Charlie Eagan who mounted 9 feet 3 inches at the St. Bon's Sports in 1916.

High Jump.—5 feet 4 inches by Bob Culhane at the St. Bon's Sports.

Cricket Ball Throw.—Jack Caning threw it at the Cadet Sports this year for 345 feet 10 inches, beating Mike Finn (the previous record holder) by 22 feet 2 inches.

Putting the Shot.—Held by Sgt. Morrissey, distance 35 feet.

Hammer Throw.—The records are not quite clear on this, but Will Co-field has a distance of 84 feet, 2 inches.

5 Mile Turf.—Alfred Shrubbs ran it here three years ago in 26 mins., 32 secs.

Drop Kick Football.—This is a new event here and there is no local record. The world's amateur record was established by W. P. Chadwick of Exeter, in 1898, of 200 feet, 8 inches. 2 Mile Walk.—Record is Dick Steele's in 17 minutes at the Guards Sports last Wednesday afternoon.

## WEDNESDAY'S PROGRAMME.

Note:—This is merely the list of events, and not the order in which they will be run.

Hurdles: 100 Yards; 220 Yards; Quarter Mile; Half Mile; One Mile; 5 Mile Turf; 2 Mile Walk; High Jump; Pole Vault; Broad Jump; Throwing the Hammer; Shot Putting; Place Kick Football; Society or Club Relay Race (any 3 men); Football, St. John's vs. Great Britain.

For first place 4 points, 3 points for second, 2 points for third, and 1 point for fourth. To the competitor winning the highest aggregate the special Victor Ludorum Medal (presented by the A.A.A.) will be awarded.

## CHAMPIONSHIP A.A.A. ENTRIES TO DATE.

Tom Butler—100 yards, 220, and quarter mile.

P. Dobbin—Quarter and half mile.

Gerald Eagan—1 Mile.

Jim Kelly—100 yards, high jump.

Cyril Eagan—100 yards, high jump, pole jump.

Jim Jacobs—Quarter and one mile.

H. Skirving—One mile.

W. Thorburn—One mile.

Fred Phelan—Hurdles, 100 yards, 220, and quarter.

H. Skirner—Hurdles, 100, 220, quarter, and high jump.

Charles Cyr (Montreal)—5 Mile Turf.

Walter Calahan—100 yards, 220, and high jump.

Hubert Halley—Hurdles and Pole Vault.

Billy Gosse—Throwing Cricket ball.

Jack Caning—Throwing Cricket ball.

Nate Ellis—Throwing Cricket ball.

Ed. Steele—Walking Match.

Joe O'Driscoll—Throwing Cricket ball.

Tom Kearsey—Hammer and Shot.

M. Ploce—Hammer and Shot.

Entries will be received by Mr. A. H. Thomas up to 6 p.m. of Tuesday next.

Garden Party in aid of St. Francis Parish will be held at Outer Cove to-morrow, Aug. 21. The Red Taxi Motor Bus and Motor Cars will be at Rawlin's Cross from 2.30 to-morrow afternoon to convey passengers to the Garden Party at very reasonable rates. The "Acushla Ma Chree" Band will be present during the afternoon. The best teas of the summer will be served. Please come and bring your friends.—aug20,11

## From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind N.W., light; weather fine; foggy off shore; nothing passed; Bar. 29.83; Ther. 62.

Mrs. J. V. Ryan will be "At Home" at 35 Monkstown Road, Monday, the 22nd inst., between 3 and 5 p.m.—aug20,11

## Wanted—A Benefactor.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Mr. Geo. Ayre deserves the praise and thanks of every citizen, as he will deserve those of future generations, for at last getting the Parade Ground, into the hands of those who will improve it and change it from an eyesore to a thing of beauty, and everybody will concede that it is high time. Now as Mr. Ayre has done his part, who is going to do the rest? The Hon. Sir Edgar Bowring has endeavored himself for ever to all his fellow citizens by his munificent benefactions. His name would live forever if he had only bestowed Bannerman Park as a gift to his native city, but his latest gift to the blind will be the means of having prayers said for him, and he prides himself when most of the rest of us have been long forgotten.

During the last five years, several rich merchants have died and left millions to be squandered by people, many of whom would be better without a cent. But not one of them left a school, a scholarship, a park or even a parish pump in perpetuation of his memory, or as a benefit to his fellow citizens. They are gone and forgotten, and the only mention they get from their fellows is one of contempt for their avarice and cupidity.

Surely we have amongst those who made so much money during the war, at least one who has bestowed some benefit on his fellow citizens. We are sure enough to do for the Parade Ground what Sir Edgar has done for Bowring Park.

Last week I was at Bowring Park, with a party of New York ladies and gentlemen, who had seen all the parks of their own country, and many of those of Europe. They were all enthusiastic about the natural beauties and all joined in generous praise of the bounty of Sir Edgar Bowring. They emphasized the fact that nearly all their men of wealth bestowed parks, universities, scholarships, etc., etc., on their native cities, and it is only the old miserly hogs now that try and carry their money with them. Is there any patriotic man, or bunch of men, who will now guarantee to spend a few thousand dollars on the Parade Ground to make it a source of pleasure to future generations and to help and keep his or their names ever green? I pause for a reply.

An Admirer of the Bowring Type, Aug. 20, 1921.

## Turkish Joan of Arc.

ANGORA (Associated Press).—A Turkish Joan of Arc, Aishe Hanum, has started a woman's fighting brigade against the Greeks. Her organization, called the Kain brigade, has already taken part in active fighting and she is constantly enrolling new recruits. This is the first time in Turkish history that a woman has been so militantly active. She has been dubbed by the people of the Anatolia. "The Conqueror." Her personality is in distinct contrast to the beautiful Halide Edib Hanum, the writer and graduate of the American Constantinople College, who has been so active in Nationalist politics for two years, and fled to the interior in March, 1920, to escape imprisonment by the Allies.

Aishe Hanum is a stern, dark woman of the soil, aged 52, who sees visions and believes she is inspired by the Prophet. She wears a veil, but has cast aside skirts. She carries a rifle, and when not at the front, goes through the villages accompanied by her 15-year old son, urging the peasants to contribute food and money and their able-bodied women to cast out the enemy stranger from the homeland. As Nationalist soldiers, the uniform of the Kadiri Brigade corresponds to that of its leader.

Indirectly, Aishe Hanum is doing as much as Halide Hanum to emancipate the Turkish women. When she began her work the Turkish men, who dislike to have women interfere in politics, tried to force her to return to her farm. But, by the courage born of her visions, Aishe Hanum has continued until she is recognized as an aid to the Nationalist cause.

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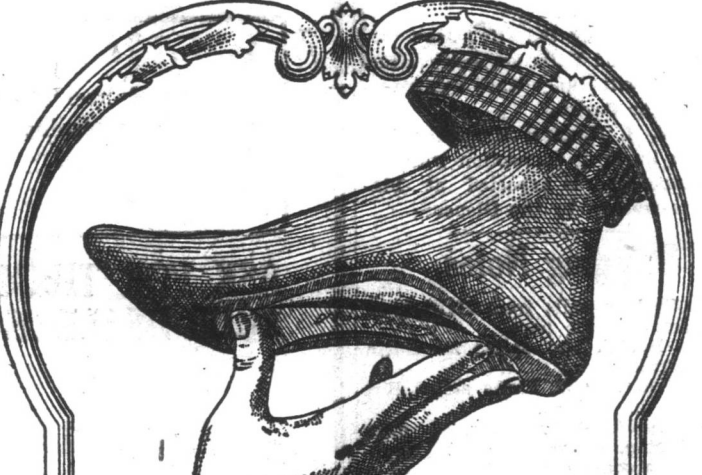
On August 18th, at Carbonnet, Monica McGuire, beloved wife of Joseph Ray, and sister of Mrs. M. E. Martin, this city, aged 50 years. Left no mourners, a husband, one child, mother, three sisters and one brother.

## Italy's White Strike.

Rome, (Associated Press).—The so-called "white strike" of the state employees of Italy produced another series of innovations in labor disputes. The workers kept their positions and nominally did not cease to work but all "soldiered on the job" to such an extent that in many cases total absence from work would not have wrought greater damage. The strike besides involving the ordinary employees in the state administration included the post office forces, which in Italy comprises both the telephone and telegraph. The employees would present themselves for work in the morning and "soldiered" in their work, setting practically nothing done until 11 o'clock, when all would leave the various ministries had office for a labor meeting. The whole of the state's administration would then be at a standstill for several hours, while in some cases it extended for the whole day. Besides the mass meetings, there would be local meetings held in the various departments, all at the expense of the time of the government. The greatest public inconvenience was caused by the attitude of the postal employees, including the telegraph and telephone staffs. Dismissal was threatened those who attended the daily labor meeting, but that threat only partially succeeded in restoring discipline. Telephone service was practically at a standstill. Persons would attempt to get the centrals for hours and would finally give it up in despair. Occasionally, a central operator would answer but there was never a guarantee that the connection wanted would be given. The letter-carriers also participated in the "white strike." The street letter-boxes became filled too full for another letter. They were only emptied when it satisfied the whims of the man assigned for the work. The service was completely disorganized. Premier Giolitti gave orders that all adhering to the "white strike" must be punished. Accordingly over 100 were discharged in Rome, 400 in Milan, 140 in Naples and a large number elsewhere.

TOKIO.—(Associated Press).—The betrothal of Prince Yasuhito, the second son of the Emperor, and Princess Naoko, fourth daughter of Prince Ichijo, will take place in the near future, it is believed here. Prince Yasuhito, who was born on June 25, 1902, is now attached to the third regiment of infantry, stationed at Tokio. Princess Naoko, who is 14 years of age, is attending the Peersesses' School.

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