

King's Plate Selection: Hearts of Oak 1st, Ondramida 2nd, Gold Bud 3rd

INITIAL BATTLES OF LACROSSE TEAMS

Big Four Opens Here and at Montreal—Coast Leagues and O.A.L.A. Features.

This afternoon the Dominion Lacrosse Association will get off to a great start for their second season, with the Toronto and Irish-Canadians clashing at the Beach and the Nationals and Nationals fighting it out in Montreal. Rumors of lacrosse wars and hold-outs have kept the fans guessing as to what was going to be the outcome of the fracas; but, in spite of the efforts of the N.L.A. and the Salmonbellies, President Quinn and his followers are on the job again, even stronger than last year, and with an exceedingly bright outlook for the coming season. Two men are still unheard from on the Toronto line-up, and they are Sawyer and Donhee. Kalls wired late last night that he would be on hand. The teams will line up as follows:

Toronto—No. 1, Holmes; 2, Harshaw; 3, Powers; 4, Braden; 5, Stagg; 6, T. Fitzgerald; 7, Danden; 8, Longfellow; 9, Barnett; 10, Donhee; 11, Kalls; 12, Warwick; 13, Barber; 14, Spellen; 15, Harrison; 16, Barber; 17, Barber.

Irish-Canadians—No. 1, J. Brennan; 2, Donald Smith; 3, McIntyre; 4, Fred Garmon; 5, John White; 6, J. Appel; 7, Con Kane; 8, D. Monday; 9, C. George; 10, Fred Scott; 11, Geo. Roberts; 12, J. O. Kane; 13, J. Layden; 14, J. Scott; 15, Nick Neville; 16, Mark Cummins; 17, Denny Thompson; 18, Baker; 19, D. Cameron; 20, M. Quinn; 21, Barry.

Referee—Sam Fere. Judge of play—Tom Humphrey.

The Nationals will have a hard battle at Montreal, as the Nationals have improved a lot under the direction of Jim Kavanagh, and, in spite of the strengthening-up the Indians have accomplished, a merry battle will be waged before the game is decided. The following players left for Montreal last night: Kinsman, Teamen, Graydon, Whitehead, Green, McKenzie, Pelkey, Guy Smith, Carmichael, McGregor, Querrie, McDougall, Davidson, Harris, Collins and Rowland. Johnny Brennan and J. Zucker will handle the game.

The opening game of the B.C.L.A. will also be played today, when Vancouver journey to New Westminster to try and trim their rivals, and, incidentally, Con Jones expects to spring a surprise with his stars that he secured on his trip east this spring. Everybody is pulling for Toronto to take a fall out of the Salmonbellies, however, and show them that they are not the king bees any longer.

The amateurs are also going to play their first games today, and, although they are only exhibition fixtures, some of these teams are expected to be very hard to beat. The following players left for Toronto to play St. Catharines, and expect to bring home their scalps.

The University lacrosse team will start on their trip to the States, and will tackle Brampton intermediates this afternoon as a starter.

In Preston, two gutted-stick aggregations will get going. Heapsier and Preston juveniles will cross sticks in the first game, and the Canadian General Electric team of Toronto and Preston juveniles will battle for the honors in the second.

Maitland intermediate team will travel to Markham and if they are strong enough to bring home the laurels from the ex-champions.

Victoria will have five pro. matches this season. Three scheduled games between Vancouver and New Westminster will be played in the Island City, while a couple of exhibition games will also be staged during the big carnival to be held there early in August.

Brampton have dropped out of the junior series of the O.A.L.A., and will fine their attention to the senior and juvenile series.

St. Simons leave on the 9.30 train for Brantford via the C.P.R., where they play the Telephone City Intermediates an exhibition game. The following will represent the Athletics: Ireland, Hays, Coe, Sullivan, Philpott, Dopp, Markle, Coe, McLean, McKinnon, Statham, Scott, Stewart, Eccles and Summers. They will take a trip to New York on the 14th of next month and play Brooklyn Crescents. They also have an offer from Johns Hopkins University to play them a game on the 15th, and they will most likely accept the offer.

Remember Albert Williams' Restaurant at Queen and Yonge is open all day today.

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Fall from Ladder.

James Hyatt, Bellevue avenue, an employee of the Bell Telephone Co., fell from a ladder while working on the company's building on Cowan avenue yesterday afternoon and broke his arm. Hyatt was taken to the Parkdale Hospital, where his arm was set by Dr. Bennett. He then went home.

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KING'S PLATE CANDIDATES READY FOR THE BIG RACE

Ten Province-Breds Carded to Start in the O. J. C. Feature Event at Woodbine Park This Afternoon — Giddings' Entry Has the Call.

By Ed. Baker.

The decks are all cleared for action and everything is in readiness for the O. J. C. spring meeting of 1913. To begin this afternoon at Woodbine Park. The weather man promises a fine day, and if this prediction is fulfilled the track will be at its best and the Jockey Club patrons will be favored with some racing events, each one of which should be of decided interest.

Naturally, the feature race on today's card will be the King's Plate, for which the premium is approximately \$6000, and it is in this race that the people in general throughout the country are most interested—interested, because the prospective starters are all province-bred and are familiar to nearly everyone who takes an interest in the sport of racing.

The result of the work of the different horses that will start in the big event this afternoon has been followed closely each day by thousands of readers of The World. From a horseman's point of view, there are several fixtures on the Canadian turf more important than the King's Plate, but in the eyes of the general public this is the race of races.

The finishing touches have been put on all the horses that will start in the historic event today. Yesterday morning Hearts of Oak, that would undoubtedly be at least an even-money favorite if the old style of bookmaking were in vogue, was breezed three-eighths of a mile as a pipe-opener, and the fact that the big colt

ran the distance in 35 4-5 seconds is evidence that the severe work necessary to get him up to the full mile and a quarter has not dulled his speed.

The Brookdale Stable's pair, Elfin and Crystal, were breezed three-eighths in 27 1-2 seconds, with the first quarter in 24 1-2.

Volvo and Maid of Frome, the Seagram candidates, broke at the barrier and were breezed three-eighths in 27 1-2.

Gold Bud and Meter, the Davies candidates, were given a slow gallop, and the which is unquestionably the better of the two, appears fit to race for the proverbial kingdom.

The Roberts candidate, Mausolus, was also carded, and the Pontiac Farm product appears fit. Ondramida, the second string to owner Harry Giddings' bow, was breezed thru the stretch and appears in first-class condition.

Of the ten probable starters, the four-year-old, Rockspring, owned by John S. Hendrie, is the only one that might possibly prove to be backward in point of condition. On account of this horse's disinclination to work, Trainer Eddie Whyte has had great difficulty in getting him the race of his life, but at that Rockspring will race much better than he works.

If the weather is favorable this afternoon, and the track at its best, for the King's Plate horses to race over, the public will likely be treated to a very fast mile and a quarter, considering that the contestants are province-bred, and have not had the benefit of winter racing or training in the south.

It is hardly likely that the record for the event—2:08 4-5, made by Mr. Giddings' St. Bass two years ago—will be lowered, but in all probability we will see the distance run right at 2:10.

On the strength of winning races last year as a two-year-old and the excellent form he has shown in training for the big race, Hearts of Oak should win. In fact, it will be one of the biggest surprises of the entire meeting if his number is not hoisted at the end of the race, and judging by the result of what Gold Bud has done in her work, this mare should about finish in the place, although she may have some difficulty beating Ondramida.

Until their last work, the Seagram entry, Volvo and Maid of Frome, looked promising, but unless either one of them runs better than in the last trial, this stable will have difficulty finishing in the money.

Mausolus may be a surprise today, and it is no secret that the stable connections entertain the opinion that this one can take the measure of the Giddings crack. The horses will be called to the post at 4:45 for the big event, and by five o'clock the name of the winner will be flashed across the continent.

It is to be hoped that there will be nothing to mar the big race. Last year one of the riders deliberately cut across the track and caused a lot of bumping, which destroyed the chances of more than one of the contestants. May the best horse win today.

EAST AND WEST.

Bob: Hearts of Oak
Go something broke!
Gid: And Buds of Gold
From Brass are sold!

HOLIDAY SPORTS

RACING—O.J.C. spring meeting, 2:30 p.m.

BASEBALL—Toronto v. Providence, 10:30 a.m. and 3:15 p.m.

LACROSSE—Toronto v. Nationals, at Beach, 3:30 p.m.

FOOTBALL—Toronto v. Ottawa, Exhibition Park, 11 a.m.

MOTOR CYCLE MEET—Exhibition Park, 2 p.m.

CRICKET—Mr. Thorne's picked team at Rosedale, 10:30. See Cricket Notes.

GOLF—At Mississauga, St. Simons, Lakeview, Lambton, Toronto.

LAWN BOWLING—Opening games at Canada, Queen City, Kew Beach, Balm Beach, Granite, Thistles, Parkdale Clubs.

SAILING CLUB RACES—At R. C.V.C., National, Queen City.

The World's Selections BY CENTAUR.

—First Race—
Plate Glass
Bwana Tumbo
Crisco

—Second Race—
Miss Gayle
Southern Maid
John Marshall

—Third Race—
Towton Field
Superstition
Blackford

—Fourth Race—
Turney Entry
Buskin
Chuckles

—Fifth Race—
Hearts of Oak
Ondramida
Gold Bud

—Sixth Race—
Gun Cotton
Balls
Mystic Light

—Seventh Race—
York La
Ardelon
Hassan

LOUISVILLE.

FIRST RACE—Morristown, Back Bay, Marathon.

SECOND RACE—Ida Lavina, Korf-hager, Linton, Linton.

THIRD RACE—Bonanza, Princess Cal-laway, Sleeth.

FOURTH RACE—Gowell, Floral Park, Cream.

FIFTH RACE—Boots and Saddle, Christopher, Abednego.

SIXTH RACE—Wintergreen, Tay Pay, Praetorian.

O. J. C. CARD FOR OPENING DAY

The card for the opening of the O.J.C. spring meeting today at Woodbine Park:

FIRST RACE—Trial purse, conditions, 3-year-olds and up, \$500 added, 5 furlongs:

Fred Levy.....104 Kayderoseros.....104
Bwana Tumbo.....123 J. H. Houghton.....124
Plate Glass.....129

SECOND RACE—Juvenile Purse, conditions, 2-year-olds, 4 1/2 furlongs, \$700 added:

Scarlet Letter.....102 Southern Maid.....102
Myrtle Ledi.....102 Peacock.....102
Arlvret Petal.....105 aFuzzy Wuzzey.....105
John Marshall.....105 Miss Cayle.....112

LIVINGSTON entry.

FIRST RACE—Minto Stakes, selling, \$1000 added, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1/16 miles:

aDavies entry.

Blackford.....103 aFlower Girl.....108
aSpring.....109 bHarnegat.....102
xHoney Bee.....90 aFlabbergast.....103
aHassan.....108 aCun Da.....105
Towton Field.....112 Superstition.....112
Paton.....117

FOURTH RACE—Woodstock Plate, \$2000 added, 3-year-olds, 1 1/4 miles:

aSpring.....109 bHarnegat.....102
bKleburne.....117 bHorn.....117
Mimosa.....107 Burnt Candle.....112
aSEVENTH RACE—Carlton Purse, selling, \$500 added, 3-year-olds and up, 5 furlongs:

Yenghee.....114 Buskin.....119
Flabbergast.....122

FIFTH RACE—King's Plate, \$5000 added, 5 furlongs and plate, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1/4 miles:

aVolvoe.....105 aMaid of Frome.....108
Ondramida.....103 bHearts of Oak.....113
Elfin.....103 aCrystalwaga.....105
Gold Bud.....119 Mausolus.....108
Rockspring.....121 Porcupine.....121
aDavies entry.

SIXTH RACE—Aintree Steeplechase, handicap, \$1000 added, 4-year-olds and up, about 2 miles:

Dynamo.....130 Lampblack.....132
Mystic Light.....134 Luciola.....138
Bello.....146 Guncocton.....156
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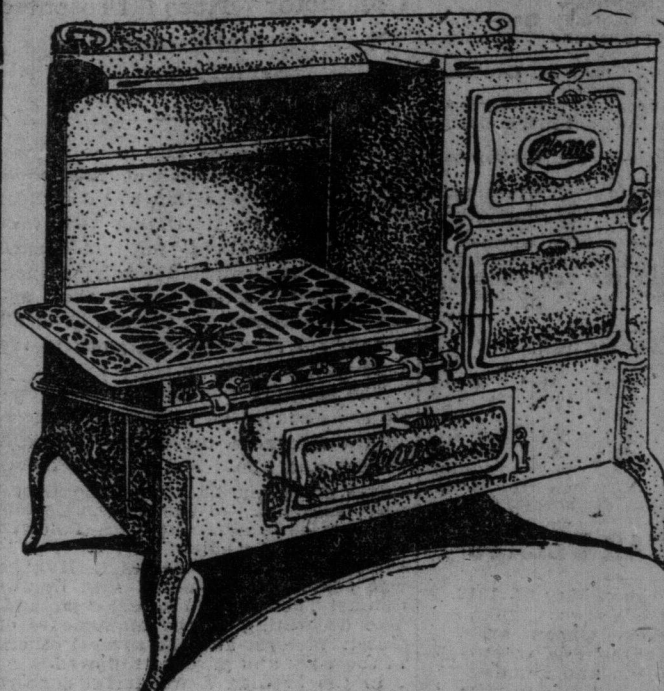
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2. Manager Mack, 111 (Moose), \$23.30, \$3.
3. Just Red, 109 (Teaham), \$4.60.
Time 1:48 4-5. Hanley, Fellowman, Rocker, Walder, Oren and Husky Lad also ran.



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