

MAY BRING THUNBERG BACK FOR RACES UNDER EUROPEAN STYLE

GORMAN READY TO MEET FINN IN A SERIES

Valentine Bialis Won International Meet At Detroit

PLANS to bring Clas Thunberg, former world's speed-skating champion, back to Saint John for a series of races against Charlie Gorman, champion of the world, under the European style are now being considered, and if the Finn is agreeable, the races will be arranged. There is a general feeling about the city that the fans would like to see the Olympic champion in action under conditions most favorable to him and a series of races between these two kings of the blades would draw well. Hilton Belyea, it is learned, is taking a leading part in the negotiations to bring Thunberg here, and it is stated, the races probably will be held on Belyea's rink in West Saint John. Charlie Gorman, it is known, is not averse to such a test, and he is ready to give Thunberg every opportunity to prove his mettle. Gorman is unused to this style, of course, but he feels that as the Finn was sport enough to risk his title under adverse conditions, it would be only fair to meet the Finn on his own stamping ground. Thunberg is booked to meet Charlie Jewell in a series of races this month at Lake Placid on the pursuit plan, and if this engagement is filled, it would not be until the latter part of the month before Thunberg could reach here. There is a big meet to be held in Oslo, Norway, on February 18, but Thunberg cannot possibly reach that time now and may decide to spend the rest of the winter on this side, finishing up at Madison Square Garden, New York, and the Duquesne Gardens, Pittsburgh, for the indoor title.

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BIALIS WON.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 8.—Valentine Bialis, member of the U. S. Olympic team in 1924, is the 1926 International winner, taking the title here yesterday. Charlie Gorman, world's champion, did not compete.

DELANEY EASILY DEFEATED RISKO

Jarred Cleveland Heavyweight Badly In The Sixth Round

Concerning the Jack Delaney-John Risko bout the other night in Madison Square Garden, the New York Herald Tribune expert says: "Delaney weighed 170 and Risko 180. They hadn't been in action for more than thirty seconds when Delaney's heavy body drove and whipped across a right-hand drive to the head that shook the Bridgeport star up and down. Risko was in the heat of a couple of swift lefts to the chin, but let not more than a couple of right hands go in that first session and connected with only one, which caught Johnny as he was moving away. But it was apparent right in this first round that Risko was not a person to be trifled with.

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"The third round belonged to Delaney. His terrific drive to the body and his going very tough for the Cleveland. "The fourth and fifth were Delaney's by comfortable margins, but it was not until the sixth round around that he actually staggered Risko. He did this with a choppy left to the body and a straight right to the chin, a punch that was reminiscent of the one that rolled in the old Garden two years ago. It jarred Johnny Risko to his toes."

CHANG TRADED. NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Walter H. Schang, veteran catcher of the New York Yankees has been traded to the St. Louis Browns in exchange for pitcher George Mogridge, former New York and Washington leaguer, and a cash consideration it is announced by Edward G. Barrow, business manager of the Yankees.

Along The Sport Trail

By JOHN J. DUNLOP

PAYMENT to players on college football teams is the rather unusual proposal made by William T. Tilden, world's champion tennis player, in a recent article on this amateur and professional racket. He declares that college football is a professional sport (he is now speaking only for the United States where the game certainly has developed into big business proportions) and that the players might as well share in the profits. Tilden deplored the policemanlike over-emphasis placed on technicalities in maintaining amateur standings. Continuing, he says: "Football commercializes the collective ability of the players, although the individual, of course, this money does not go to the player, but it might just as well, for commercialization presents all the evils of professionalism. The same situation holds in the realm of tennis. The game has been commercialized to the point where all the faults of professionalism are extant in its present make-up, and many controversies result. Therefore, if we are to have this commercialism of all sports, why not pay the individual player? After all, he is the one who does the work. I am a staunch supporter of athletes such as Red Grange, who turn professional and are so widely criticized for their action. It would do no harm to pay the college football player. If Mr. Tilden is to be taken seriously, the next question arises—on what basis would he pay them? \$10 per game? Or, how about the star player? If you pay one more than the other, who is to set the proportion? And where is all this bunk we read about in playing for the sake of the follow and then we'd have a fine mess on our hands. And yet, there is no doubt that the time is rapidly approaching when there must be a change in amateur rules to suit conditions. Leading authorities agree on that point. The main question is—what changes will you make?"

THAT was quite a little flare-up between the UNBAAA and the M.P.B. recently. It was a rather small amount to make sure a hubbub over but on the other hand there was a point at stake.

HOCKEY LEAGUE schedules are pattering out fast these days in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia and play is in a rapidly drawing near. The Southern N.B. section is the first to be decided with Moncton Atlantics as winners. Marysville and St. Stephen are in a deadlock and home and home games will be played, total goals to decide in time now and may decide to spend the rest of the winter on this side, finishing up at Madison Square Garden, New York, and the Duquesne Gardens, Pittsburgh, for the indoor title.

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MERWIN JACOBSON, who played here several years ago with the St. Croix and Marathon teams, was quite a slugger when down here.

N. B. Telephone Company

Make Merry In Annual Sports At Lily Lake On Saturday

The annual winter sports of the New Brunswick Telephone Company were held at Lily Lake on Saturday afternoon and evening. About 200 employees of the company and their friends were in attendance and enjoyed a program of races and games followed by supper, tobogganing and a dance.

The sports began at 2:30 and on their conclusion supper was served to the company at Tebo's. After supper the merry makers adjourned to the ball room and danced until 11:30. The program was as follows:

Boys under 12—1, R. Wheaton; 2, G. McCarroll.

Girls under 14—1, Miss R. Duval; 2, Miss Lois Fraser.

Boys 12 to 16—1, George O'Brien; 2, Harold McCarroll.

Men's race, two laps—1, Reg. Smith; 2, George Porter.

An interesting feature of the afternoon was an "alleged" hockey match between two ladies' teams who used brooms in place of hockey sticks and a handball instead of the regulation puck. As far as could be learned by the observers the game was captained by Miss Stella Moran worried the ball through the goal, defended by Miss Jean Campbell, captain, men's relay race, Reg. Smith, Geo. Porter, captain; men's snowshoe race, A. A. Turnbull, J. W. Duncan.

The committee in charge was as follows: J. L. Holman, chairman; Miss M. Butler, Miss K. Shaw, Miss G. Shortt, Miss S. Moran, Miss J. Campbell, J. W. Duncan, N. J. Campbell, M. Leggett, G. Elliot, F. Duval.

FOR SCOTTISH CUP

Six Games Saturday Ended In Draw—Celtics Are Favored

Of the sixteen games played for the Scottish Cup Saturday, ten were decided while six ended in draws. Dundee, Aberdeen and St. Mirren are the three first division teams that were held to a second chance yesterday, the other nine clubs being members of either the second or third divisions. Celtic, Third Lanark, Rangers, St. Johnstone, Hearts and Partick Thistle all emerged victors, while seven departments teams that were put out of the running yesterday were Hibernian, Raith Rovers, Hamilton and Queen's Park.

RE MR. FITZGERALD

"Jack Pot," writing in the Sydney Post, has the following for Julian T. Fitzgerald, regarding his taunt that Gorman was afraid of O'Neil Farrell: "The cheerful announcement made by the past president, etc., that Gorman was afraid to meet Farrell stamps the speaker for what he is—a blatant trader. Gorman met Farrell at Saint John, and in a series of events tried to test the skill of the best in every angle of the game of flashing blades. He beat the American by half a hundred points. To say that Charlie feared to compete at Detroit is sheerest balderdash. Amateur sport gets little prestige by electing such men as Mr. Julian Fitzgerald, past grand president, etc., to high office.

On the other hand it is safe to assume that O'Neil Farrell, the Chicago lad, who made such a good showing at the Saint John meet, would be the last man in the world to support the state. ment that Charlie Gorman is 'yellow'."

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Champ in City



CLAUDE FALKINER

Holder of several world records for English billiards, who is spending a few days in Saint John. He arrived yesterday from the Montreal.

BILLIARD EXPERT IS HERE ON VISIT

Claude Falkiner Seeks Change of Climate in Canada

Claude Falkiner, holder of many world's records for English billiards, is a passenger on the Canadian Pacific steamship Montreal which arrived here yesterday from Liverpool. Mr. Falkiner came to Canada ostensibly to regain his health after a prolonged illness from malaria. He said his physician considered that the Canadian climate would prove highly beneficial for him and strongly advised him to spend a couple of months here before proceeding on his proposed trips to Japan, China, Singapore and India.

Included among the many records held by Mr. Falkiner are a high run of 1,001 and 985, an average of 103 for 16,000 points, 210 caroms, scoring 628 in 25 minutes, 800 points in 98 minutes and 86 points in 80 seconds. The last record was established by Mr. Falkiner while playing an exhibition game in Saskatchewan during his last tour.

HERE UNTIL THURSDAY.

In Australia and New Zealand during his last tour Mr. Falkiner made 17 breaks of over 500 in 10 weeks' travel, which took him over a distance of 6,000 miles. He will remain here until Thursday and will then proceed to Montreal.

Play Continues For President's Trophy

Play for the president's trophies was resumed at the Thistle Club Saturday afternoon and night, six rink sides competing. The following is the score by rinks:

AFTERNOON.

G. A. McGuire	J. W. McAndrew
J. R. Steele	H. W. Kinsman
Dr. P. T. Dunlop	D. D. Sullivan
G. S. Bishop	H. C. O'Neil
Skip	Skip
W. H. Gamblin	W. M. Park
W. H. McFarlane	W. H. Latham
Robt. Reid	R. A. C. Rockwell
H. M. McAlpine	S. W. Palmer
Skip	Skip
A. E. Long	H. Ervin
G. W. Noble	G. G. Parker
Reg. Smith, Geo. Porter, captain	R. M. Berthel
R. E. Crawford	H. W. Stubbs
Skip	Skip

EVENING.

L. S. McGowan	O. J. A. Barton
G. B. Heens	F. W. Fry
J. M. Reid	W. White
F. McAndrew	R. M. Fowler
Skip	Skip
J. M. Thompson	L. V. Price
G. B. Heens	R. McKendrick
J. L. McAvity	F. Shaw
W. J. Currie	G. A. Stubbs
Skip	Skip
Dr. A. T. Baker	C. P. Burns
K. Raymond	G. G. Parker
L. B. Estey	Dr. A. C. Rockwell
W. A. Shaw	W. J. Brown
Skip	Skip

VICTORIES WON

The Victorians defeated the R. C. N. Y. R. 44 to 31 in a basketball game on Saturday night. The line-up: Victorians. Forwards. Armstrong (12) Cross (8) McDonald (18) Edwards (8) Centre. Beckett (12) Armstrong (11) Guards.

Price (1) Magnusson (4) McAuley (4) Belyea (6) Brookings (1) Belyea (6)

ROTHSAYS WINS

Rothsaya Collegiate School defeated St. Vincent's High School in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Saturday afternoon. The score was 24 to 20. The game was an interscholastic basketball League fixture. Walter Golding refereed.

CLEGGHORN TIES SCORE WITH 4 SECONDS TO GO

Ottawa Handed Third Straight Beating By St. Pats

MONTREAL, Feb. 8.—Boston and Ottawa played an overtime game, 3-3 Saturday night. Sprague Cleggghorn, ex-Canadian captain scored the goal in the third period which tied the game, with only 4 seconds to go. From the face-off in the third period, when the ex-Canadian captain scored, he took the puck down and there was determination expressed in every movement of his body, as he ripped through the Canadian defence and rifed a shot at Rheume. The Canadian goalie got in front of the puck and it bounded out. But Cleggghorn was set in his purpose. He fought for the disc and battled on the rebound, tying the score with but 4 seconds of the game remaining to be played.

Twice Boston had been forced to count from behind to tie the count.

With but one minute to go Joliat whipped a pass to Pete Lepine and the Canadian substitute center, who took Morena's place for the evening, swept in on the Boston goalie and put Canadians ahead 2-2. It looked like a certain Canadian win, and the crowd started to file out of the rink. Art Ross threw back his regulars for the final minutes of play, at the same time loudly protesting that the pass to Pete Lepine had been off-side. Then came Sprague's goal.

Despite the fact that Canadians needed the win badly and the goal by their former captain snatched it from them when it was tasting the sweetest, the crowd rose as one and loudly cheered the former Canadian.

His play was a fitting climax to his evening's performance. Seldom has the colorful veteran defence player shown to better advantage. He was directly responsible for two of the Bruins' goals on his offensive play. But it was calculating play broke up one Canadian rush after another, and with it all he attended strictly to hockey, not once hesitating, either on the term or penalty bench.

TORONTO, Ont. Feb. 8.—Fourteen minors and a major penalty were handed out by the officials in the Ottawa-Boston game Saturday night, in which the Irish were victors 4 to 1, in a strenuous exciting battle.

McCahey drew the major for rough play on Nighbor. At the same time the Senators had the advantage of playing six men to four, and it was at this stage that Ottawa secured their only goal. McCahey had been sent off to serve the major for charging violently into Nighbor, who Nighbor followed him into the cooler and thence began to look dark for the locals, but Day, who Nighbor was starting throughout, again came to the rescue and with a wonderful display of speed and stick control, managed to hold the Senators off until Corbette returned to help relieve the pressure.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—The Pirates speed was too much for the New Yorks Saturday night, and won by 3 to 2. The Pittsburgh Pirates broke their attack into play from the face-off and while they held the hand at all times, the American local utility man was sent in to guard the local line. Two more tallies were added in the second frame, but in the third the substitute goalie held the visitors to one count, while Bortie began ringing up the lone score for the Madisons. McCurry, Conacher, Cotton, Smith, Mills and Drury did the shooting for the Pirates.

Rene Boileau, the Montreal amateur, who has had his name translated to Rainey Drinkwater since donning the star spangled sweater here, put in his first appearance in the third frame and stickhandled his way into the hearts of the Gotham fans. He backed checked well and carried many rushes in to the net. He once banged the puck in but it was called off-side. New York has not won a game in the last ten starts.

Miss Norma Shearer, of the movies, tossed in the disc on the face-off in the first period. A crowd of 12,000 attended the game.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

Won.	Lost.	Dr.	Ab.	Pts.
Ottawa	17	5	1	56
Montreal	13	6	3	46
Pittsburgh	11	11	1	49
Canadians	9	12	1	31
St. Pats	8	12	2	29
Boston	7	12	4	24
New York	6	13	4	20

SAINT JOHN HIGH GETS TITLE GRID

Beats Fredericton High at Capital on Saturday By 29-18 Score

FREDERICTON, Feb. 7.—Saint John High won its second basketball match in Fredericton in successive days by beating Fredericton High 29 to 18 on their own floor Saturday afternoon.

The victory was the fourth straight for Saint John High in the interscholastic series and gives the Garnet and Grey a grip on the league championship, which will be practically impossible to loosen.

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Is Turf Sensation



Willie Garner

Coming out of obscurity only six months ago, but with a name that has been coupled with championship riding honors for years, more fame to the family of riding jockeys. He has electrified horsemen and sportsmen at the New Orleans meetings this winter by his expert horsemanship.

He is a good judge of distance and pace, knows how to take advantage of opportunities and picks the shortest way around. Willie Garner has another advantage over other boys. He can scale 98 pounds.

The great little youngster is the nephew of Mack and Guy Garner. The latter was America's champion jockey in 1910 and is now riding for King Alfonso of Spain in Madrid. In his championship year Guy Garner rode exactly 200 winners. Mack Garner was America's premier rider in 1915, when he piloted home 151 winners.

Willie Garner is the sixth boy of that name to adorn the turf. He was preceded by these uncles, Guy, Skeets, Mack, Lom and Bert and Harry.

Local Bowling

Printers' League.

Jobs.	Total Avg.
McKenzie	66 74 71 107 65.2
Lynch	68 72 65 205 68.1
Stephens	66 63 62 211 70.1
Lawton	66 68 67 239 79.2
Quinn	66 63 62 201 67
	373 397 373 1143

Interest Aroused In Tonight's Play

A match between the Thistle and St. Andrews juniors, to be played to-night for the Sinclair Cup, is causing considerable interest among the curlers.

Five rink sides will curl on St. Andrews ice, and three rink sides on Thistle ice.

ON THISTLE ICE.

S. H. Hargreaves, J. B. Patchell, R. H. MacKendrick, R. C. Gilmore, skip. Dr. J. K. Farrer, J. W. McAndrews, F. C. Wry, Dr. F. W. Stevenson, skip. B. J. Hawker, G. G. Parker, G. B. Heans, H. W. Kinsman, skip.

ON ST. ANDREWS ICE.

L. S. McGowan, G. M. Lawson, G. W. Noble, E. M. Olive, skip. C. P. Burns, J. R. Steele, W. H. MacFarlane, Dr. F. T. Dunlop, skip. L. V. Price, A. C. Thompson, Rev. H. Miller, J. McM. Reid, skip. W. H. Latham, J. W. Barnes, J. E. Courtney, R. M. Barish, skip. J. M. Thompson, R. C. Baskin, W. Denham, L. B. Estey, skip.

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SUZANNE BEAT HELEN WILLS IN DOUBLES MATCH

Battle For The World's Title Is Likely This Week

NICE, Feb. 8.—Suzanne Lenglen thinks Helen Wills is a great tennis player, and Miss Wills thinks Suzanne is a great champion. These expressions of opinion were obtained from both the young women after they had met yesterday for the first time in a battle across the bar. It was a match in the mixed doubles of the tournament and Suzanne and the Italian Baron Henri De Mopurgo defeated Miss Wills and her partner, Charles F. Aschmann, 2 to 0, while the spectators sat spellbound under the brilliance of the play.

The great play by both Miss Lenglen and Miss Wills has served to wet the appetites of the visitors along the Riviera for a match in singles between them in the Carlton Hotel tournament, which began today at Cannes. Both are entrants. They are seeded in the upper and lower halves of the draw, and the experts are predicting that both will come through safely to the final round and settle the question of supremacy.

"The first three games of the first set were the fastest and most hotly contested I ever have played," declared Miss Lenglen. "Miss Wills is really a great player."

"It was a very enjoyable match," said the California girl, when asked her impressions, and she added: "Miss Lenglen is a great champion."

These sweet words, however, seemed in contrast with the cool handshakes after the match when Miss Wills shook hands warmly, and Aschmann and Suzanne rather coldly. Then Suzanne and Helen reached the net with what seemed to be a perfunctory handshake, neither looking at the other.

Aschmann was profuse in his praise of his partner's play. "Helen is too modest," he said. "She played one of the greatest matches of her career. Mark my words, she will be unbeatable doubles champion when she returns to America."

Suzanne showed marvellous tennis in contrast with the most hotly woman mixed doubles tennis ever has known. Miss Wills, on the contrary, apparently has been neglected in her doubles training, her greatest weakness being playing the ball too high into Suzanne's racket.

PEPS BEAT BEAVERS

The Peps defeated the Beavers in an exciting game of basketball in the Y. W. C. A. on Saturday by a score of 48 to 44. The game was one of the schedule of the Girls' City Basketball League and played under girls' rules.

At half-time the Beavers were leading by a score of 29 to 25. The Peps overcame their opponents lead and in the second period the score was 48 to 44. The all round good playing of the features of the game. The lineup was as follows:

Peps. Forwards. Dorothy Stewart, Margaret Henderson, Jean Blair, Jean Angus Centres. Greta Fowler, Margaret Page, Frances Barnes, Elizabeth Armstrong, Guards. Margaret MacNackin, Eleanor Fleming, Elsie Smith, Eleanor Fleming, Muriel Thompson, Margaret Tilley

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