

Latest News From Far and Near

LONDONERS MADE A FAST FINISH

H Company traveled to the Railroad Village last evening and took a Company, of that place, into camp by a score of 22 to 18 in a fast and, at times, very ragged game of indoor baseball.

The London boys had difficulty in running the bases on account of the slippery condition of the floor, and up to the ninth inning they were in the rear. In the last inning, however, with the score 18 to 17 in favor of St. Thomas, the visitors picked up and scored fifteen runs.

The St. Thomas floor space is rather limited, and the Londoners put several balls out of play by batting them hard up against the brick wall at the end of the Armory.

Richard, Anderson and Meyers officiated for London. Myers and Link acted as umpires.

At the conclusion of the game a splendid repast was served by the St. Thomas soldiers.

It is probable that a return game will be played in London shortly.

SPORTING GOSSIP

BY SOUTHPAW

One cannot but admire the quiet confidence which distinguishes the movements of the Horton Hockey Club.

When the team entered the City League last year there were those who figured that the team was too light to make good.

That opinion only held until after the first game had been played at the Jubilee Rink.

This year, when they mentioned O. H. A., there were also scoffers. The writer was one of them. Since then things have come to light, which caused a general change of mind, and today the chief topics of discussion in local hockey circles is, "Will the Hortons make good?"

The Hortons themselves are not doing any boasting. They have strengthened their team and they are nightly training for a strenuous season, and if guesses don't fail they will make good.

The new line-up brings the average weight up to about 150 pounds per man, and that is pretty nearly an ideal weight for an intermediate team.

Some of the new men are practically untried in this vicinity, while others, including Jay Thompson, are known to be there with the goods.

Certainly the Hortons have the backing of all London, and they will be the heroes of the hour if they make even a good showing. Too much cannot be expected of a team the first year, but we look for much from the Hortons.

George Powell, secretary of the club, yesterday received a letter from Ingersoll proposing that a request be made to group London, Paris, Brantford, Ingersoll and Woodstock in the group. This is satisfactory to the Hortons, and the matter will be laid before the O. H. A. executive at their first meeting, to be held shortly in Toronto.

It is a person-up-a-lump. It would seem that the time was about ripe for a City Hockey League meeting, if there is going to be a city league, and there undoubtedly will be. Last year

A WEEK'S ATHLETIC CARNIVAL TO BE HELD BY THE I. C. A. C.

A whole week's athletic carnival, the biggest thing ever attempted along that line in Canada, is the latest undertaking of the Irish-Canadian Athletic Club. It is proposed to hold the event in St. Lawrence Market, Toronto, during the week starting Dec. 16. Secretary Crow was interviewed by President Flanagan last night, and was assured that the C. A. U. would sanction the meeting and grant the club all the Canadian indoor championships.

At present there are practically no indoor marks in Canada, outside of those established in the armories by Tom Longboat at three miles and William of Peterboro, in his five-mile race against Tom Coley a short time ago, and an effort will be made at the coming carnival to hang up records in all branches of field and track sports that lend themselves to indoor work.

With the Puckchasers

"The boys who play hockey this season must cut out roller skating," says the Woodstock Express. This statement was introduced by one who ought to know. The movement of the limbs and muscles in roller skating is entirely different to the movement while skating on ice, and if the lads become accustomed to that movement it will be with some difficulty that they break themselves of it.

Ottawa to Test Hockey.

At a meeting of the Ottawa University Athletic Association last night it was definitely decided not to place a team in the Intercollegiate Hockey Union this season.

Off to Pittsburgh.

Tom Smith and a few other Ottawa players leave this evening for Pittsburgh, where they will play hockey in the Western Pennsylvania State League. The others slated to go are Herb Goodwin, Art Throope, and Fred Moffat. The latter, however, have not yet completed arrangements up to last night, and may not leave for a few days.

Reg Stone, a promising young player, will turn out with the Woodstock Juniors this year.

The Northern League this year will likely be composed of Mount Forest, Harriston, Wingham, Kincardine, Listowel and Lucknow. Invitations have been sent to Hanover, Walkerton and Chesley to join the league.

Woodstock Express: With a junior and an intermediate team in the O. H. A. this year the puck-chasers game will boom in the city. The intermediate team will not lack for players this winter. There are enough

speedy intermediate men to form a seven that, with London, Ingersoll and Paris, would furnish interesting sport.

The New Pro. Federation. The Toronto hockey club has received a letter from the Federal League asking them to join the proposed federation, and should the idea be taken up, Guelph will be willing to join. Any of the winners of the Federation would have a right to challenge for the Stanley cup. But the idea is for the winners of the three districts to play a series of games, the winner of the series to challenge for the cup.

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One of the biggest features of the carnival will be a six-day go-as-you-please race, open to all amateurs holding C.A.A.U. cards. The intention is to limit the number of contestants to, say, 25, and they will race two hours each evening for the entire week. Hill-ton Green has already signified his intention of entering.

It is doubtful whether Tom Longboat will be seen in competition during the carnival, but he will be sent out after all the records between one and ten miles, and other runners will be seen in time to lower the marks which the Indian will hang up.

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LONGBOAT LOSES IMPROMPTU RACE

Green, the Mohawk, Leads the Onondaga Home in a Training Handicap.

There was an impromptu road race on King street, Toronto, yesterday afternoon that was a corker. Tommy Longboat has started daily training stunts in preparation for the great English Marathon. He leaves his cigar store at the Princess Theater every day, rain or shine, between 2:45 and 3 o'clock for a jaunt. Yesterday when he announced his intention of making a seven-mile trip to the Ocean House, at King and Queen streets, and back, Hilton Green, Wm. Robinson and Lou Marsh, his team mates, jumped in. Robinson and Marsh, both short-distance men, were given three minutes' start on Green, and the Mohawk led two minutes on the Onondaga. Now, Hilton in front of Tom is like a red rag to a bull, so when the Onondaga was released he tore away like a wild thing.

Marsh and Robinson were the first to turn, a half-minute ahead of Green, and a minute ahead of Longboat, but the Indians charge them with hooking a ride for a mile out near the turn. Anyway, there was a real race coming home. Green caught Marsh at the subway, and Robinson at Bathurst street. Longboat, coming like a cyclone, nailed Marsh near Bathurst street and Robinson at Spadina, and went after the flying Green. News of the race spread like wildfire, and several thousand saw the two Indians fight it out the last half-mile. Green was first home by 200 yards, but Longboat was gaining with every leap. Longboat ran the distance, a full seven miles, in 35:18, and finished fresh as a daisy. Green's time was 36:32. Robinson was third, 120 yards back of Longboat, and Marsh brought up the rear, toiling in 200 yards back of Robinson.

The Ring

The light-weight fighters of the east are having a lively scramble these days to see who will battle with Packy McFarland for the title. Now that Joe Gans has passed up Battling Nelson for good, and all, and handed his title over to the Illinois fighter, the eastern hustle for the privilege of meeting McFarland has received new impetus.

There are seven youngsters in the east—seven corners who have it in 'em to give any boy a tussle for the decision. They are Tommy Murray, Matty Baldwin, Young Donohue, Bert Keyes, Battling Hurley, Frankie Madden and Billy Glover.

PENNSY TRIMS CORNELL COLLEGE

Philadelphia, Nov. 28.—History repeated itself in Franklin Field this afternoon, for Pennsylvania again won the annual football game with Cornell, the score this time being 12 to 4. It was Pennsylvania's thirteenth victory in fifteen games played with the Ithacans, the New York State team having won one contest and tied another. The game was finely played, having many spectacular plays, and was greatly enjoyed by the 30,000 people who filled the big stands. The score in the first half was 6 to 0 in favor of Pennsylvania.

SHRUBB DEFEATS THREE BOSTONIANS

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 28.—Alfred Shrubbs, the world's champion professional long distance runner, defeated an American relay team of three men here yesterday in a ten-mile race. Shrubbs covered the ten miles in 52 minutes flat, one minute and thirty seconds behind his record for the distance. At the finish he led Kanaly, the third relay, by about 600 yards. The relay team was composed of Tom Meyers, Sam Williams and Frank Kanaly, all of Boston, who ran in that order.

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Here is a prescription that anyone can mix at home. Any good prescription book can supply the ingredients named at little cost, being composed of vegetable extracts, it is harmless and inexpensive. Best of all, it does its work well, relieving even the worst forms of bladder trouble, frequent urination, backache, kidney complaint, and by its direct action upon the eliminative tissue of the kidneys, makes these most vital organs rid the blood and system of waste matter and uric acid, which causes rheumatism.

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A well-known local druggist is authority for the statement that one week's use shows good results in nearly every instance, and such symptoms as lame back, frequent desire to urinate, pain in bladder, and even chronic rheumatism, are generally relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

GETS DECISION OVER SULLIVAN

Kaufman Outclasses Rival After Tenth Round—Has No Knockout Blow.

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—Al Kaufman, of this city, was awarded the decision over Jack (Twin) Sullivan, of Boston, at the end of 25 rounds at the Colma Athletic Club this afternoon.

The fight up to the tenth round was practically an even affair. After that, however, Kaufman forged to the front and was never in danger again. Sullivan did his best work in the early rounds, and for a time it looked as though he might win. It was a give-and-take affair up to the tenth, with Sullivan having the better of it.

In the sixteenth round Kaufman cut loose. He forced Sullivan from one end of the ring to the other, landing almost at will with lefts and rights to the jaw.

Indians Make \$75,000

Carlisle football eleven has just finished one of the greatest financial and playing seasons ever undertaken by any team. Their earnings in the big games will net over \$100,000—leaving perhaps a profit of something like \$75,000. They have won every game on their schedule, which was an exceedingly hard one, with but one exception. That was the defeat Princeton gave them at New York.

OLYMPIC CONFERENCE GATHERS TOMORROW

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—The conference between the C. A. A. U. and the Federation in Ottawa will take place on Saturday afternoon at the office of Col. Hanbury Williams.

Mr. P. D. Ross, who arrived from Toronto last night, expresses himself as confident that the rival athletic unions may be brought to some agreement or compromise regarding the Olympic games, so that Canada may be well represented.

HOGG MAY TRY BIG RUN SATURDAY

Garrison Athletic Association Arranges Preliminaries for Mulqueen Cup Trial.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Sergeant W. H. Grant, of the Garrison Athletic Association, yesterday interviewed J. B. Hay, J. P. Fitzgerald, Lou E. Marsh, and T. C. Flanagan, trustees of the P. J. Mulqueen cup, put up for the Hamilton to Toronto record by Tom Longboat, and arranged to have Geo. Hogg, of the Garrison A. A., make the attempt on Saturday if the roads are good.

It was arranged that if Hogg makes the journey he is to get a gold medal, from Mr. P. J. Mulqueen. If he equals Longboat's time to New Toronto and finishes the journey into the city, he is to have a shield attesting the fact attached to the cup, and if Longboat fails, to lower the record on his next attempt the cup goes to the Garrison to hold until a new record is set.

T. J. McAughey, the Scotchman, who lost his way a week ago, and Charlie Petch, may also run with Hogg.

The route into the city will be Queen street to Bathurst, down Bathurst to Adelaide, to Bay, to Richmond, to Yonge street, to the Toronto House. The rest of the week is fine the attempt will be made, but the rain last night put the roads in awful shape.

Short Talk

THE LONDON SOLDIERS batted dents in the wall at St. Thomas last night.

HOW ABOUT THAT City League hockey meeting?

THEY SAY IT IS BAD PRACTICE for hockey players to use roller skates. There are some who should use them more.

TOMMY BURNS IS NOT GETTING much encouragement in England. He writes that even the two English sparring partners he has picked up think that Moir is going to beat him.

ENGLISH BOXING EXPERTS think that Gunner Moir will beat Tommy Burns inside of 10 rounds. However, the experts have made mistakes in the past, and Tommy may upset their calculations next Tuesday.

DICK MCCULLOUGH says that if he don't win Monday at the Jubilee Rink he will never carry another pot of paste as long as he lives. He has only been accused of carrying paste twice, at that.

MANAGER TRAFFORD does not know whether to offer a choice edition of Nick Carter or a set of Diamond Dicks for the contest.

HOCKEY SHOULD OPEN locally about Christmastime. The game serves as an excellent excuse to avoid shopping tours.



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MONTREAL



CHALLENGES SUTTON

Morningstar Wants to Play Him for 18-2 Championship.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Ora Morningstar, the New York billiardist, who is now playing at one of the St. Louis academies, challenged George H. Sutton to play for the 18-2 championship of the world. By the terms of the deed of gift of the trophy, Sutton must accept the challenge within ten days or forfeit the title. The match must be played within 60 days of the date of the challenge, and each player must bet \$500 on the side.

Sutton could not be seen last night, but it was said that he would be glad to accept Morningstar's challenge. Sutton defeated the New Yorker here last winter in a championship match at the same style.

ROSS RIFLE COMMISSION

Will Report on Experience With Weapon Gained During Last Summer.

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—Militia orders announce the departure of Lieut. J. H. MacBrien, R. C. D., on a two years' tour of duty with the forces of Australia.

A board of officers was convened this morning at the militia department to report on "mark 2" of the Ross rifle, in the light of the experience gained during the training season of 1907. It will take evidence on the various defects and weaknesses reported on, and how far such have been remedied from time to time, and will report what changes, if any, are still required to make the rifle satisfactory and entirely acceptable as a military arm.

It will give special attention to the following: (a) Attachment of barrels to the receiver; (b) design and action of the