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SPORTING MATTERS PALMA TROPHY WRESTLED FROM BRITAIN BY UNITED STATES. Canada Was Second—Americans Made the Phenomenal Score of 1712 Out of a Possible 1800, the Highest Ever Known—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Col. Sam Hughes Exchanged Compliments a Dinner—Latter Praised Sir Frederick Borden.

OTTAWA, Sept. 7.—The United States captured the Palma trophy on Rockcliffe Range today by the phenomenal score of 1712 out of a possible 1800. This beats all previous records. Canada scored second with 1671, Australia third with 1563 and Britain 1558. The shooting of the United States team averaged 214 to a man, thus beating the world's record either with a service or match rifle. Bryant's score of 74 out of 75 at the 1000 yard range also beats the world's record. The scores are as follows: at the three ranges: Team 800 900 1,000 Tot. United States... 690 573 649 1712 Canada... 596 554 521 1671 Australia... 479 553 530 1563 Great Britain... 551 526 503 1558

The individual scores of the United States and Canada, the next in order, were: American team—Winder, 217; Tewes, 215; Hurlon, 215; Orr, 206; Semon, 209; Benedict, 215; Casey, 215; Bryant, 215. Total, 1712. Canada—McInnis, 212; Russell, 212; Smith, 207; McHarg, 202; Graham, 212; Kelly, 211; Skodden, 206; Richardson, 207. Total, 1671. The Governor General Lord Grey presented the trophy to the winning team. After the Palma trophy match a dinner was given in the main D. R. A. Building at the range. Col. Sam Hughes presided. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was on his feet.

In proposing a toast to the Parliament of Canada, Col. Sam Hughes said that although not a political supporter of the prime minister, he was glad to be able to say that Sir Wilfrid stood shoulder to shoulder with them in everything that tended to the betterment of rifle shooting in Canada. In replying, Sir Wilfrid said that he appreciated these remarks all the more as they came from his old friend, Col. Sam Hughes. He was not sure that the colonel would agree with him, but he could not help saying it all the same, that Colonel Sam was a far better warrior than a politician. Sir Wilfrid believed more in a citizen army than in a force of regulars. He trusted Canada would never be called upon to employ either, but he would like to express the hope that if that day did come, England and the United States and all the forces of the Anglo-Saxon race would be allied.

All Found the Target. The American team finished first, with a score of 1,550, thus beating the record made by the British team in Canada the year before by 11 points. Great Britain vs second with 1,555; Canada, 1,518; Australia, 1,501; Natal, 1,399; Norway, 1,241; and France, 1,229. This match was marked by an absence of misses on the part of any member of the American or British teams. Every shot fired by them struck the target. After the American team had returned to the United States a controversy arose concerning the barriers used by them. These barriers while of the service type, were of private make, and should have been authorized by the United States military authorities. This was not done, and technically the American riflemen were in the wrong. This error was acknowledged by the return of the trophy to the National Rifle Association of Great Britain. It had remained in their possession since that time, no other contest having been arranged until this year.

Conditions. The rules governing the competitions are that each competitor shall use the rifle and the sights used in active service in his own country, and any suitable ammunition. Firing will take place at 800, 500 and 1,000 yards ranges, seven rounds for each.

ST. JOHN MEN REACHED FINALS IN M.P.A.A. SPORTS, BUT WON NO EVENTS—NO APPLICATION FOR BELVEA

HALIFAX, Sept. 8.—One record was smashed and several others were almost equaled at the twentieth annual championship sports of the M. P. A. A. held on the Wanderers grounds Saturday afternoon. The sports were the most successful held for years, and every event was well contested. The feature of the meet was the performance of H. E. White of Abegweit-Crescent Club, who won the half mile in 2:09.1-4, establishing a new record for the Maritime Provinces. Record of 2:09.5 was held by George Tracey. The following are the results of the M. P. A. A. championship held on Saturday: Summary 100 yards dash—First heat—Won by F. Schaefer, Wanderers; 2nd, Fred. Bovard, Portland, Y. M. C. A. St. John; time, 19.2-5. Second heat—Won by E. W. Schaefer, Wanderers; 2nd, V. E. Black, Ramblers; time, 19.3-5. Final—Won by F. Schaefer, Wanderers; time, 19.2-5. 200 yards dash—First heat—Won by F. Schaefer, Wanderers; 2nd, V. E. Black, Ramblers; time, 23.5-5. Second heat—Won by E. W. Schaefer, Wanderers; 2nd, G. A. Blanche, Ramblers; time, 23.6-5. Final—Won by F. Schaefer, Wanderers; time, 23.5-5. 400 yards run—Won by H. E. White, Abegweit-Crescents, Charlottetown; 2nd, G. A. Blanche, Ramblers; 3rd, Percy Giggley, Portland Y. M. C. A. St. John; time, 54.3-5. 800 yards run—Won by H. E. White, Abegweit-Crescents; 2nd, Wm. Ross, Wanderers; Percy Giggley, Portland Y. M. C. A., did not finish. Time, 2:09.1-5. One mile run—Won by A. F. Homer, Crescents, A. A. C.; 2nd, Albert Downey, Wanderers. Time, 4:38.3-5. 150 yards hurdle—Won by E. W. Schaefer, Wanderers; 2nd, P. A. Duffy, V. A. C. Time, 1:4-5. Half mile bicycle—Won by John McKenna, Sydney Y. M. C. A.; time, 2:39.1-5. One mile bicycle—Won by Thos. Meagher, Pictou A. A. C.; 37 feet 2 1/2 inches; 2nd, Wm. Ead, Crescent A. A. C., 36 feet 7 inches. Pole vault—Won by Dr. G. McDonald, New Glasgow A. A. C., 10 feet 3 inches; 2nd, J. W. Stanway, Crescent A. A. C., 10 feet 2 inches. Throwing 16-pound hammer—Won by Jas. L. Meagher, Pictou A. A. C., 117 feet; second, J. J. McDonald, New Glasgow, 106 feet. Running broad jump—Won by Dr. G. McDonald, New Glasgow, A. A. C., 25 ft. 3 in.; 2nd, P. A. Duffy, V. A. A. C., 18 ft. 5 in. At the annual meeting of the M. P. A. A. held on Saturday night there were about 32 delegates present, including two from the Cape Breton union. It was decided that the affiliation with the Canadian A. A. Union should be completed, provision being made for withdrawal on thirty days' notice. The matter of reviving rules and laws was referred to a special committee of three to be appointed by the president, who will report back to the executive. The report of the president and secretary showed the past year to have been better financially than previous years. The president reported that five amateur gunners' associations of A. A. C. were being communicated with with a view of having the M.P.A.A.A. endorsement accepted as sufficient for entries for the Maritime Provinces. It was stated that applications from St. John for the reinstatement of H. Belyea, the sculler and from the fishermen for an arrangement permitting amateur members of the fine department to take part in bona fide amateur competitions where no service fishermen also compete were expected; but were not received. The officers elected were as follows: President, J. C. Lithgow (re-elected); vice-presidents, one to be from P. E. Island and the other from New Brunswick; treasurer, G. A. Gauvin (re-elected); secretary, Fred Meyer (re-elected); executive—G. A. Harris, C. G. Kent, Truro; C. H. Bennett, W. C. Bishop, P. A. Duffy, Arthur Weston, W. H. MacCoy and two from Cape Breton.

ST. JOSEPH'S TURNED TABLES ON MARATHONS ON SATURDAY BY WINNING SECOND GAME, 7 TO 3

On Saturday afternoon St. Joseph's turned the tables on the Marathons in the series for the city baseball championship, winning out by the score of 7 to 3. The result of the games so far is in all and it will require another meeting between them before the championship is settled. Score and Summary: St. Joseph's, AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Crescents, 2 3 3 0 1 0 Long, s.a. 5 1 2 0 7 0 St. Joseph's, 7 3 3 1 0 0 0 Harris, lf. 4 0 1 2 0 0 McDonald, cf. 5 0 0 0 0 0 Conboy, 3b. 4 1 2 1 0 0 Mills, c. 4 0 1 3 2 2 McGilgour, p. 3 1 1 8 3 0 39 7 11 27 13 5

BASEBALL

SHAMROCKS, 7; MOHAWKS, 3. A game of baseball between the Shamrocks and the Mohawks on Saturday morning resulted in a victory for the Shamrocks by a score of 7 to 3. The batteries were as follows: Shamrocks—McInnis and Millidge; Mohawks, Shannon and Weatherhead. BILGE LEAGUE GAMES. National League. At St. Louis—Cincinnati, 4; St. Louis, 3. At Brooklyn—(First game)—Boston, 1; Brooklyn, 3. (Second game)—Boston, 9; Brooklyn, 2. At New York—New York, 0; Philadelphia, 1. National League Standing. Won. Lost P.C. Chicago... 51 37 57.1 Pittsburgh... 75 59 56.0 Philadelphia... 67 54 55.3 Cincinnati... 59 63 48.4 Boston... 72 55 49.9 St. Louis... 49 59 31.0 American League. At Chicago—Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 0. At Cleveland—Detroit, 4; Cleveland, 3. At Boston—First game: Washington, 1; Boston, 2. Second game: Washington, 4; Boston, 1. At St. Louis—First game: St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 1. Second game: St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 3 (2 innings).

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LONGBOAT RAN AWAY FROM MARSH. Hotel Man Excluded Public for Judge Before Whom the Prosecution Resulting May Come.

TORONTO, Sept. 8.—At Hamilton on Saturday Longboat ran John D. Marsh of Winnipeg to a standstill in a five mile race, the Indian finishing in 26.49, while Marsh stopped about the end of the fourth mile, and although he started again did not finish. The Toronto exhibition will have a surplus of ten thousand dollars. When Judge McIntyre held court at Uppergrove a local hotel keeper named McNulty reserved a dining room for the judge and lawyers and barred the general public out. One well known resident came in with his daughter and demanded admittance, which was refused, so she prosecuted McNulty for neglecting to provide adequate accommodation for his guests. Two justices of the peace convicted McNulty, and he promptly appealed the case, which would bring it in due course before Judge McIntyre, but he will probably refuse to try it.

SHAMROCKS ARE CHAMPS.

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—The lacrosse season practically ended on Saturday when the Shamrocks defeated the Capitols by 8 goals to 2, winning the championship and the custody of the Minto cup. The game was devoid of interest, the Capitols putting on a weak team and the Shamrocks winning as they liked, and a somewhat spiritless crowd.

DURNAN CHALLENGES WEBB.

TORONTO, Sept. 8.—A challenge was issued today by Ed. Durnan, the Toronto oarsman, to George Webb of New Zealand, to row a three mile race with a turn on Toronto Bay for five hundred pounds a side. Durnan offers to allow Webb one hundred pounds for expenses. RUGBY UNION FORMED. TORONTO, Sept. 8.—At a meeting of football representatives from the Quebec Union, Montreal, Ottawa, Hamilton and other Ontario clubs held here Saturday a plan to form an inter-provincial rugby union was formulated, and will be dealt with at an adjourned meeting Tuesday night.

LOCAL NEWS

Come and see our overcoats, the best line ever known in the city. Union Clothing Co., 25-28 Charlotte St., old Y. M. C. A. building. Preventative being better than cure be wise and avoid the tendency to over-acidity by drinking Nebedega Water, 3 Church street. Call at J. Ashkin's, 535 Main street, and see the two women and the second Ladies' skirts at \$1.48 and ladies' blouses at 25c. For two days only. If your suit and overcoat need cleaning, pressing or repairing, let McPartland, the tailor, do them for you. 1150 King House, Block, 72 Trincom. 7-6. Clear soft water and absolutely pure water for the home. High-pressure laundry work. None but the best necessities used in Ungar's Laundry. Phone 58. John Francis charged with receiving money stolen from Wm. Lonsbury by Marie Perlich in her house on Sheffield street, knowing it to have been stolen, was found guilty Saturday afternoon. Between four and five o'clock Sunday morning a still alarm brought the hose wagon and No. 2 chemical engine to Corkery's house on Paradise row. On investigation it was found that there was no fire, but merely smoke escaping from the furnace. John Macfarlane of Glen Farm, Whitehead, Kings Co., seventeen years old, fell from his bicycle yesterday afternoon and broke his knee-cap. Dr. Macfarlane of Fairville is in attendance. The Jewish New Year began last evening and was celebrated by services in both the Hazen avenue and Carleton street synagogues. The services at the Carleton street synagogue were conducted by the regular rabbi, Dr. Simon A. Segal. At the Hazen avenue synagogue Dr. Karbelitz of New York led the services. Dr. Karbelitz is supplying in St. John until the appointment of a regular rabbi. He will be here about four weeks. Last Friday a committee from the Board of Trade waited upon the Minister of Public Works to confer with him regarding the necessity of increasing facilities for handling freight in the I. C. R. yards here. Dr. Pugsley left for Ottawa Saturday night and will present their claims to the railway department. The improvements asked for have already been pressed upon the government by the Board of Trade and merchant. Following the city generally, and last March the government promised to grant the demands. With the advent of the autumn season, a time when housewives are considering homecleaning and buying themselves in re-arranging interior effects for winter, such a sale as M. R. A. Ltd., will hold, commencing tomorrow morning, should be specially attractive. It is going to be a sweeping clearance of furniture coverings, portiere materials, draping goods and cosy-corner fabrics in all weights, pretty nearly every color and no end of desirable materials. Former prices are to be entirely ignored in the calculations, and with big and rapid sales the large concern expects to attain its desire. The advertisement in this issue tells the whole story.

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