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Lacrosse News Gossip

Rowing Battle of Blues To-day

Note and Comment

The Oxford and Cambridge boat race, the most popular athletic contest in British sport, will be decided to-day. As usual, the course will be on the Thames, between Putney and Mortlake. This year's race promises to be a particularly exciting one, as both crews have shown exceptionally good form. Over the full course of three and a quarter miles between Putney and Mortlake, Cambridge, where they were practising, Cambridge knocked half a minute off the best time in 15 minutes 34 seconds. At Henley, Oxford, too, is credited with some excellent performances. This year Oxford has the heavier crew, and is called to win.

Of the 65 races rowed between Oxford and Cambridge since 1829, Oxford has won 27, Cambridge 30, and one (that of 1877) was a dead-heat. Cambridge won in 1899 for the first time in ten years, and repeated in 1900, but in 1901, after a terribly hard race, Oxford again won. In 1902, 1903 and 1904 Cambridge won easily, in 1905 Oxford secured the verdict by three lengths, but in 1906, 1907 and 1908 Cambridge again won. In 1909, 1910 and 1911, Oxford won, the last year by 24 lengths. The fastest time on record for the race is 18:23, made by Oxford in 1911.

That St. Helen's Lacrosse Club are not a unit for the Canadian Lacrosse Association appears to be a fact. However, a well posted member stated last night that the opposition is slight and has an interest, but that does not prevent the same club officially endorsing the nomination of Frank Doyle to an office in the C.L.A.

A great season is looked for in the City of Lakes. Some regret was expressed that Baxton and Simpson did not get into the same section. However, they met before the season. Simpson has added to their playing strength, besides Black of Rosedale, Short and Brown, Grace Church and Green, Birchall and thus on paper they look formidable opponents for the city champions. Owing to Riverdale's own tardiness, they left out of the city league. They omitted to enter within the regulated period. Play will start in the two sections about June 1. The schedule will be out next week.

The Philadelphia Athletic players say they will prevent Ty Cobb from spiking them next season by wearing shin guards. An easier way for them would be to stand outside the park.

With the exception of Macon, Ga., as per our own correspondent, this is the poorest season in the long career of the Sox. The other clubs' war correspondents didn't have many opportunities to make free with his name.

Frank O'Day's change from umpire to manager will not meet with the people. Before he was unpopular with the people. Now he will be unpopular with the people and players.

Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, may give battle to Ad. Fungstad, the lightweight champion. It is said the fighters will meet if financial terms can be agreed upon. Jimmy Dunn, Kilbane's manager, received a telegram from Cleveland from Los Angeles asking if he would consider an offer for Kilbane to meet Volgaist in a twenty-round contest on July 4 at that place. Dunn replied that he would match Kilbane with Volgaist for the lightweight championship, provided Volgaist would not insist upon being given all the money. Dunn and Kilbane are now in New York.

No one can ever again say Abe Attell is not game, as he has been singing at a theatre in San Francisco.

STREET CAR MEN VERY ANXIOUS

Winnipeg Increase Results in Discontent in Local Railway Circles—Mass Meeting to Be Held.

Considerable discontent is prevalent in the local railway union as a result of the increase in wages granted to the employees of the Winnipeg Street Railway Company. The men of the western city are working shorter hours than those in Toronto, but the former get more money, although the cost of living is equal in the two cities.

No definite steps have been taken by the local union as yet to remedy the trouble, as the present agreement does not expire until June 1. It is likely the matter will be discussed at the regular meeting of the union on Monday night in the Labor Temple, but a mass meeting will be called for the final settlement of the question some time later.

Despite the fact that the company is constantly taking on new men to fill the vacancies made by those who are dissatisfied, these men generally become members of the union. The men approve of the proposed bill which provides for a six-day week and ten-hour day for street railway employees throughout the province. Business Agent O'Connell and Secretary Robbins think that this bill is very favorable to the interests of the unions.

Burglar Not Caught.

F. T. Ball's drug store at 510 East Queen-street was burglarized yesterday morning. The police have not yet made an arrest. The burglar failed to land any valuables.

TORONTO GETS SHORTSTOP TOOLEY.

NEW YORK, March 29.—Manager Dahlen of Brooklyn has decided to let Dent, Morrow, Cuthbert and Tooley go back to the lesser leagues. Tooley is the shortstop secured from Rochester, and he will go back to the Toronto club of the International League, joining the latter club on the training trip.

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THE LEAFS AGAIN BEAT MACON

Scratch Team of Regulars, With McGinley and Lush Pitching, Easily Won From Southerners.

—By D. L. Snedden—

MACON, Ga., March 29.—Rain fell heavily all last night, but Joe Kelley's band of braves were not deterred out of their morning work. The sun came out early, and the Leafs wended their way out to Central City Park at the usual time. The diamond was soaked, and it was muddy going. Joe Kelley kept the squabbling balls, and that was about all they were able to do.

The sun worked overtime, and by the afternoon the diamond was in fair shape. Macon was given another game, and this time Toronto gave them a 12-to-4 beating. The veteran Jim McGinley did his first real box work, and stood the South Atlantic League future greats on their heels. Jim was very tight with his base knocks in the three innings he was on the rubber, and the best the Macon hopes could do was to rap him safely three times. Two of these were scratch hits, owing to the heavy going. Johnny Lush twisted the last six innings, and had something on it. He allowed four bingles and four runs. Joe Kelley's crew presented a changed line-up, and the batting order was given a shift. Big Tim Jordan was feeling seedy, and pitcher held down the job. Billy Bradley's hand is still giving him a little trouble, and Kid Mueller covered the third base. Meyer and Dalton are still in the slapper brigade, and George Winter did the running in the right garden. Sully Placer was the hero with the black-ory. He gathered in a homer, a double and a single in four journeys to the plate. Wilson gave him a hard chase for the day's record, rapping safely three times, one of them a double. McConnell, Shaw and Lush had two hits each to their credit.

One run was all the Leafs went after in the first. McConnell got on the base and fished. Shaw and O'Hara were retired. Sweeney Fischer was there with the needful. The Sox were out, and Andy counted. Mueller walked and was forced at second by Fitts. Three more came in the next. Winter walked. Wilson beat out a bunt towards third by a sprint. McGinley lifted the air. McConnell dropped one in centre that netted him two sacks. Scoring Winter and Wilson. Shaw duplicated McConnell's feat, and the latter talked. The fifth was made a four-run inning. After two were down. Two doubles and two singles, aided by a walk, allowed Kelley's men to count four times. The runs in the sixth, one in the seventh and the same number in the eighth were the Leafs' total.

Wilson is the speed demon of the team. He gave a fine exhibition of baserunning. He beat out a bunt that looked a sure out. Mueller and Winter are handy with the running. They listed in nicely to-day, and Manager Kelley can use either of them in emergency. Mueller is a good hand at Macon. Macon and McConnell's play will have to get in all their work in the morning. The squad will leave here at 2:30 Sunday afternoon for Atlanta, where they open a two-day engagement on Monday. A high wind has been blowing all day, and it may bring another session of wetness. Score:

Toronto 12, Macon 4.
A. B. R. H. O. E.
McConnell, 3b. 4 0 2 2 0 0
Shaw, c. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Fischer, 1b. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Mueller, 2b. 4 0 1 2 1 0
Fitts, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Winter, r.f. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Wilson, c. 4 3 8 6 0 1
McGinley, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Lush, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Dalton, x. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 40 12 35 37 11 5
Batted for McGinley in third.
A. B. R. H. O. E.
Kiegel, r.f. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Ayres, c. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Bishop, 1b. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Bope, 1b. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Spelchy, s.s. 4 0 0 0 3 2 0
Harris, 2b. 4 0 1 1 2 0
Bonnell, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Matthews, c. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Branch, p. 4 1 0 0 0 0

Totals 38 4 7 24 9 3
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Home runs—Kiegel, Kiegel, Three-base hit—Harris. Two-base hits—Shaw 2, Fischer 2, McConnell, Lush. Wilson. Pitched—By McGinley 2, by Lush 4. Hits off McGinley 2, off Lush 4. Bases on balls—By Branch 4. Struck out—By McGinley 2, by Branch 4. Wild pitches—Lush 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Branch 1 (Winter). Stolen bases—McConnell, Mueller, Winter, O'Hara. Left on bases—Toronto 11, Macon 7. Umpire—Meyer. Time—1:10.

Star ball players are a mighty scarce article. That is why Calahan is sticking to Blackburn, with the hope that he will turn out a second Marquard.

ENTOMBED MINERS RESCUED.

SHEFFIELD, Eng., March 29.—(Can. Press.)—Fourteen miners were buried alive to-day by the falling in of the roof of a quarry near where they were working on an outcrop of coal. They were later rescued.

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BASEBALL GOSSIP

Rube Grimeshaw is still holding out against Louisville. Wonder what Moose is concealing in his sleeve?

Jersey City staged the first game of professional baseball ever played in Bermuda on Saturday, when the Irish beat the Dutch, 7 to 1.

Fred Lake announces that he will carry fully 20 men for the early part of the season. He is the candidate of the St. Helen's Club, the following being the official nomination:

W. H. Hall, secretary Canadian Lacrosse Association.
This is to nominate for the office of secretary-treasurer of the C.L.A. Mr. Frank Doyle.
A. A. V. Kirby, Rec. Sec.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Montreal Lacrosse Club will be held next Tuesday in the Central Baptist Church, McPherson avenue, when all old players are asked to turn out, and any new ones will be made welcome.

Fred Warhorse has been asked to go to the coast as official umpire for the B. C. Lacrosse League. He is giving the matter his serious consideration.

Ed. Hagan, the well-known lacrosse player, died at Guelph Wednesday night of pneumonia, aged 35 years. He played with the Tecumseh of Toronto in 1902 and 1903, and in Oshawa in 1904. He was born in St. Catharines and was a member of the St. Kitts Minto Cup team in 1906.

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WORLD'S HIGH JUMP RECORD.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., March 29.—George Horine of the class of 1911, of Stanford University, broke the world's high jump record in a meet with the University of Southern California, here to-day, clearing the bar at 5 feet 6 1/2 inches. The previous record of 5 feet 5 1/2 inches was made by M. F. Sweeney at New York, Sept. 2, 1908.

GOOD OLD OXFORD CALLED TO WIN

Annual University Boat Race on To-day From Putney to Mortlake—Crew and Their Weights.

LONDON, March 29.—The Oxford and Cambridge crews which row in the annual university boat race on the Thames course from Putney to Mortlake, about four and one-quarter miles to-morrow, have concluded their preparations for the contest in which the representatives of Oxford, the Dark Blues, are favorites. The signal for the start will be given at Putney at 11:30. Both crews appear to be trained to the minute, but the superior weight and physique of the Oxonians are expected to carry them to victory in what may turn out to be a punishing race. The Cambridge crew have a nippy style, which in calm weather and smooth water is likely to give them a lead at the start, but experts are practically unanimous that the long stroke of the Oxonians is bound to tell in the later stages.

From the start Oxford has had somewhat the best of things. The Dark Blue crew was completed weeks before that of Cambridge, which was only finally settled upon about March 1. When the crews arrived at Putney after their try-outs on the streams near their respective universities, and a fortnight's training on the upper reaches of the Thames, the Oxford men, a fine level lot, were rowing well together. In seven out of the eight came from Eton, where they got their first lessons in rowing. They all had about the same style, and the coach was saved the work of bringing them into line with one another.

It was not so with Cambridge, and their coach had a lot of work to do even after they had established themselves at Putney three weeks ago for the final touches. If the results of trials during the earlier training days can be taken as examples of the speed of the crews, the race should be a fast one. Both clipped seconds off the records for the up-river course. Oxford rowed from Henley Bridge to Hambledon Lock in 10 minutes 45 seconds, a good 25 seconds better than the previous best, while Cambridge did the full course from Marlow Bridge to Cookham in 16 minutes 24 seconds, establishing another record. The crews and their weights follow:

—OXFORD—
T. A. H. Pittman (bow), New College, 166 3-4
C. E. Collins (2), Trinity, 170 1-2
L. G. Wormald (3), Magdalen, 178
E. D. Horrell (4), Magdalen, 178 1-4
W. M. Wedderburn (5), Balliol, 192
W. F. R. Wiggins (6), New College, 179 1-4
C. E. Collins (7), Trinity, 170 1-2
R. C. Bourne (stroke), New College, 158 1-4
H. B. Wells (coxswain), Magdalen, 122
R. W. M. Arbuthnot (bow), Third Trinity, 160 1-2
D. C. Collins (2), First Trinity, 162 1-2
H. M. Heyland (3), Pembroke, 170 1-2
R. S. Shaw (4), First Trinity, 172
R. Goldsmith (5), Jesus, 182 1-2
R. Lohman Smith (6), Third Trinity, 184 3-4
L. S. Lloyd (7), Third Trinity, 164 3-4
S. B. Swaine (stroke), Trinity Hall, 160 1-2
C. A. Skinner (coxswain), Jesus, 122
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BOY KILLED WHILE PLAYING HOCKEY.

MONTREAL, Mar. 29.—(Can. Press.)—It has just leaked out that one of the inmates of the Reformatory School here, Edward Belanger, 13 years old, was accidentally killed by a comrade on Jan. 29. An inquest was held, but the young man responsible for the accident could not be identified. The directors of the school kept the accident quiet.

The boys were playing hockey when the puck hit Edward Belanger on the right temple. Dr. P. E. Mount, was summoned, but the boy died a few hours after the accident. The inquest was held by Deputy Coroner Biron. A verdict of accidental death was returned.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN N.Y. STATE

ALBANY, N.Y., Mar. 29.—The Murray Woman Suffrage Bill passed the assembly to-day by a vote of 76 to 67.



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NO STUDENTS' RATE

Railroads Have Withdrawn Privilege Because It Was Abused.

Alleging that the special rates granted several years ago to students who live in the west, so that they could attend eastern colleges, have been abused, the railroads have withdrawn this rate of 25, or one-half the first-class fare, and hereafter all students will pay the same as any other passengers. One reason for this decision of the railroads is because the west has now educational institutions fully as good as the east, and there is no necessity for the western youth to travel this far. The further claim that the students who have made a practice of teaching in the west during vacation time were taking advantage of this provision. By this clause of summer teachers the new rule will be felt the most.

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