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RUFFIANISM IN SPORT.

Mr. Justice Teetzel, fresh from the Loney trial at Cornwall, called the attention of the Grand Jury at Ottawa to the question of roughness in sports, thus bringing the matter definitely within the scope of the machinery of justice. His suggestion was that possibly a committee of the Government might consult with the officers of the various leagues and teams, and so arrive at a code of rules which would effectively prevent the ruffianism of any sport particularly in danger.

It is as well for the officers of law and order to take this matter up voluntarily with the hope of preventing trouble instead of waiting for trouble to be brought to them by criminal cases. There is no pretending that we do not know that certain of our finest games—not hockey alone—at times threaten to approach the boundary of crime in the fierce enthusiasm with which they are played. Unless restraint of some sort is put on the players, the rigor of the game may at any moment become too stern for mere play.

All blame should not be put on the players. They are young men of high spirits and splendid physical condition. The shock of conflict spurs them on in competitive vigor until the earnest of the struggle begins to wear an iron face. When the blood is hot, one chance blow seems to call for another; and then the return blow which, as naturally follows, may not be so clearly the reaction of chance. The non-player who imagines that he could play as vigorously as any without ever thinking that he might in a moment of passion hit with a purpose, can test himself by letting some one strike him unexpectedly over the shin with a sharp stick.

But it is the business of trained athletes to learn self-restraint; and this will best be taught by rules which make the lack of it fatal to the player's success. We seldom hear of a pugilistic encounter being lost through a foul blow, though the provocation and temptation must at times be intense. But the pugilists are well-seasoned in self-restraint. They know that one slip of temper may cost them the contest. Now, if this same pressure were put upon the young men of wholly gentlemanly instincts, who play at the spirited games to which we take our wives and daughters, the result would almost infallibly be the same self-restraint.

The cure lies in hockey having referees enough, and then encouraging them to rule off rough players for the entire game. One piece of deliberately rough play ought to be enough to practically lose the team guilty of it that match. Harsh, do you say? But surely the ethics of pugilism; and one foul blow loses a pugilist the fight! A player guilty of repeatedly rough tactics ought to be "ruled off for life," to quote Principal Peterson. Similar rulings would clean up both lacrosse and football as well. The only penalties which the players really fear would thus be applied to prevent the only crime that stains the play.

This can all be done by the leaders in these sports themselves; and they will not object to their hands being strengthened by such action as Judge Teetzel proposes. But we must not depend too much upon the officials of criminal justice to keep our sports in the class to which they properly belong. Yet our sports have already led to the prisoner's dock; so that we need not be so optimistic as the neglect of doing anything about the matter at all—Montreal Star.

TERMS FOR JAPAN.

Bobaygeon Independent.
Russia is prepared to consider terms of peace provided she is not asked to give up any territory or

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pay indemnity. It is just possible that under pressure they might be induced to accept Japan's apologies.

THE LASH FOR BRUTAL CRIMES.

Brantford Examiner.
It is quite evident that it was not the fear of life imprisonment, but of the lash, which led Kennedy to take his own life. There is something semi-barbarous about the application of the lash to convicts, but for the punishment of certain classes of criminals no adequate substitute has yet been found.

RE-ORGANIZED

The Chatham Football Club to Enter the Peninsular League this Year—Officers Elected.

The Chatham Football Club was successfully re-organized for the coming season at their meeting held in the Rankin House parlors last evening. There was a very large attendance and everyone present was enthusiastic over the prospects for the coming season. It was unanimously decided to enter the Peninsular League this year and contest for the Walker cup and Percy Piggett was appointed delegate to the League meeting in Windsor. Chatham has not had a football team for a couple of seasons but there is excellent material here for a first class team. There is no reason why Chatham cannot again put a team in the field and win out in the series. Practices will be commenced next Monday and the management will try to get all of the football players of the city out to the practices.

Another meeting will be held in the Rankin House to-morrow night when a captain will be elected.

The following officers were elected last evening:
Hon. Pres.—Robert Gray.
Hon. Vice-Pres.—John Piggett, Sr.
Hon. 2nd Vice-Pres.—J. G. Kerr.
Hon. 3rd Vice-Pres.—Geo. Massey.
President—F. D. Laurie.
1st Vice-Pres.—F. H. Brisco.
Manager—Sam Courtney.
Assistant Manager—Marsh Taylor.
Secretary—Frederick G. Piggett.
Treasurer—Frank Mount.
Executive Committee—Graham Smith, J. Alexander, Dan Robertson, Team Committee—Harry Flowers, H. W. Anderson, Mont Sheldon.
Patrons—H. S. Clements, M. P., Archie McGeig, M. P., James Innes, G. T. Shannon, Manson Campbell, Dr. Fleming.

THE POSTMASTER TELLS HIS SECRET

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Postmaster Lee Looks Ten Years Younger Than He Is, Says His Seventy-Six Years And He Gives The Credit To The Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Tabulotac, Cumberland Co., N. B., April 3.—(Special).—Horatio J. Lee, postmaster here, is now in his seventy-sixth year but so bright and healthy does he look and so energetic is he in his movements that he would easily pass for ten years younger.

"How do I keep young looking," the postmaster says, "Well, I attribute it largely to my good health and my health is mainly due to the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

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William Young, who claims to be a veteran of the Boer war, alleges that yesterday he was refused admission to the United States by immigrant inspectors. Young is suffering from tuberculosis, and was on his way to Chicago to enter a hospital when he was nabbed in Detroit and requested to return to the Canadian side of the river. He said he took out first citizenship papers in the United States but afterward returned to Canada. He is in a very feeble condition, and Mayor Wigle gave him transportation to Chatham.—Detroit Free Press.

CERTIFIED ENGINEERS.

A deputation of stationary engineers, among whom were Thomas Walsh, D. G. Bly, G. D. Wright, J. Blain and Thomas Fox, waited on Premier Whitney and Hon. Nelson Monteith on Saturday. They asked that an act be passed by the local Legislature compelling all stationary engineers to hold a certificate endorsed by a committee appointed under the provisions of the act. They pointed out the efficacy of the Dominion marine boiler inspection act and the stringent precautions regarding qualifications of stationary engineers in British Columbia and Quebec. The Premier promised to give the matter due attention. This will be of interest to the local association of stationary engineers, who have long been working for this action on behalf of the Government.

ALL PRESENT AT MEETING

Public School Board Held a Short But Businesslike Meeting Last Evening

Routine Business Transacted—Reports Received—Accounts Passed—Matters Discussed.

The Public School Board held a short but businesslike meeting last evening. Every member was in his place at eight o'clock sharp. Routine business only was transacted. S. D. Campbell solicited orders for wood. He is prepared to supply any quantity at any time. Referred to Supply Committee.

Chairman Paxton, of the Supply Committee, reported having received three tenders for supplies and found Mr. Sulman's tender the lowest. He moved Mr. Sulman's tender be accepted. This was carried.

Mr. Robertson reported that the Rong has been placed in the Central school to the satisfaction of all.

Dr. McKee reported to the Central school manager that they be careful of their expenditure for water, as the schools are not to receive free water.

Mr. Paxton said that the school had had a skating rink all winter and the children appreciated it.

Dr. McKee reported that the school also had a skating rink twice the size and their water rate came in \$5 and the Central school's was \$75.

Mr. Paxton—The water for the rinks were not paid by the Board.

Mr. Robertson—We have to use water for the cleaning of our drains and if we do not get free water the people will have to pay for it anyway in the end.

Dr. McKee—We all concur with Mr. Robertson that the schools have to be kept in a sanitary condition, but we do the same in McKee's school and according to the size of the two schools if our water rate is \$5 the Central school's rate should be \$10 instead of \$75.

It was decided to purchase four new taps for the Central school.

Mr. Cornish moved, as some of the teachers might want to use their money during the Easter holidays, that they be paid on the last day of school.—Carried.

The Central school was granted \$5 for the plowing of their school garden. Mr. Plewes was complimented for his enterprise in establishing this garden for the children.

Mr. McArthur brought up the matter of a little trouble in the McKee school and wanted the matter investigated by the Board. An amendment was moved that the matter be left to the chairman and inspectors to settle as they carried.

Mr. McArthur asked for the names and nays on the amendment and they were as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Drader, Robertson, Bensen, McKee, Cornish and Morley.
Nays—Messrs. Paxton, Lenfestey, Heyward and McArthur.

The Finance Committee recommended the payment of the following accounts:

CENTRAL SCHOOL.
Teachers' salaries, \$651.60.
Substitutes' salaries, \$40.
W. W. Smith, janitor, \$41.66.
Anthony Edwards, \$25.92.
Gas Co., \$18.60.
John R. Snell, \$14.49.
Westman Bros., \$57.82.
G. W. Sulman, \$22.88.
S. Hadley Co., \$8.62.
Total—\$882.13.

McKEOUGH SCHOOL.
Teachers' salaries, \$339.96.
Miss M. Walker, \$4.50.
D. C. Clements, \$45.83.
John Taylor, 25c.
G. W. Sulman, \$9.59.
J. W. Dyer, \$3.68.
Total—\$408.81.

KINDERGARTEN—CENTRAL.
Teachers' salaries, \$106.66.
G. W. Sulman, 70c.
Total—\$107.36.

KINDERGARTEN—McKEOUGH.
Teachers' salaries, \$51.25.
G. W. Sulman, \$5.95.
Total—\$57.20.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.
Robt. Park, \$100.
James Birch, \$34.82.
T. C. Macnabb, \$75.
Brown Bros., \$25.00.
C. B. Atkinson, \$16.11.
Total—\$225.23.

FUEL ACCOUNT.
J. W. Moore, \$8.05.

EXTRA ACCOUNT.
Bell Telephone Co., \$35.
Extra accounts, \$49.25.
Total—\$84.25.

Grand Total—\$1,771.03.
The report of Inspector Robt. Park was then read and received. The Board then adjourned.

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THE REV. MR. KERR.

The Rev. W. E. Kerr, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Kerr says that there is no doubt but that those in favor of liquor licenses will be successful. According to statute, the petition signed by a majority of the ratepayers in a given Ward, in Ward No. 1 two petitions are in circulation and already there is no doubt but that they will receive a sufficient number of signatures. The temperance people feel that there is no use of putting up a fight in face of the statute. The Rev. Mr. Kerr says that local option did do good as he hasn't seen a drunken man in Blenheim during the time that law was in force.

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DITCH TROUBLE

The case of Kerner vs. Morrison was tried yesterday before Judge Dowling, at the non-jury sittings of the County Court. The parties live near Blenheim and own adjoining farms. There is a drain that runs from Kerner's farm through ex-Reeve Morrison's place. Kerner alleged that his neighbor took up one of the tile and spoiled the ditch because he wouldn't pay defendant \$10. As a result, plaintiff's land had been damaged last year and the year before, and two acres of beets one year and an acre of wheat another were spoiled.

The defense was, first, that defendant hadn't taken up the tile, and second, that the only remedy the plaintiff had was to bring on the engineer.

Judge Dowling held that the tile had been taken up. If he has the power he will give judgment for \$25 and costs. If the Judge finds that he hasn't the power he'll dismiss the action without costs.

R. M. Thompson for plaintiff, R. L. Gosnell contra.

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