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SPORTING MATTERS

ATHLETIC

Frank White, local representative of the Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada, has received the following letter from C. A. Spriggins, secretary and treasurer of the Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada:

TO ALL ATHLETES THROUGHOUT THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

Owing to the fact that so many athletes have an improper idea of the full meaning of the amateur definition, as contained in the by-laws of the Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada, it is thought that a full explanation of what constitutes an infringement of same by the athlete would not be amiss at the present time.

What Disqualifies the Amateur.

1st.—The acceptance of any money or other consideration of a monetary nature on any pretext, either before or after the competition, whether as a gift or bonus for services rendered as an athlete, either in team games or in individual competition.

2nd.—To compete for a stake bet or where a stake bet is placed on the contest either directly or indirectly, or from any source whatsoever.

3rd.—To compete against a professional individual who takes receipts are charged, or where a prize or any other consideration is given.

4th.—To teach or assist in any athletic exercise or sport as a means of livelihood.

5th.—To receive any payment for loss of time while playing as a member of any club, or competing unattached.

6th.—To enter any competition under any name other than his own.

7th.—To sell or pledge his prizes.

8th.—To receive actual travelling and hotel expenses, and produce properly attested vouchers, if called for.

9th.—To compete against professionals in team games, such as lacrosse, hockey, football, and the like, but not in track or field events, boxing, wrestling, or other like sports of individual contests.

It is hoped that the above explanation of what an amateur may or may not do will be closely studied by all athletes who have any doubts as to what would render him ineligible to receive a registration card or compete in any event held under the jurisdiction of the federation.

Yours truly, C. A. SPRIGGINS, Secretary Treasurer A. A. F. C.

Note.—Athletics in the Maritime Provinces are controlled by the M. P. A. A., which recognizes the rules of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union. Under these rules an amateur cannot compete against a professional in either team or individual contests.

MR. LITTEGOW'S TRIP.

The following are extracts from the Canadian Recorder's account of J. O. Littegow's trip to the upper provinces for the purpose of conferring with the officials controlling the Olympic trials.

"Mr. McOwen, Toronto, who is on the football committee, said there was no objection to a Halifax or Maritime Province team going themselves, and financing their own trip as had been proposed. His idea is an All-Canadian team, say six from the lower provinces, six from British Columbia, and six from Ontario and Quebec, to meet at Halifax and practice with the English Rugby teams here. These games here would add to the funds; they could play a couple of exhibition matches at Montreal before going to England. This, however, was merely a suggestion of his own."

"In regard to the English definition of an amateur, which prohibits an athlete from receiving any money or other consideration, the opinion was expressed that any man who is guaranteed an amateur by the M. P. A. A. will be accepted."

A BACKVILLE FORECAST

The outlook is that there will be very few records broken at the intercollegiate meet this spring. The bad weather has been very much against the athletes in their training so far. The local officials are picking the U. N. B. team to win again this year.—Backville Tribune.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT WHILE AFTER DUCKS

Harold H. Gregg Brought to City With Wound in Hand and Abdomen

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Gregg's companions at once rowed him to Greenview. On arrival there he was taken to the office of Dr. Ghobriel. His wounds were dressed, after which the doctor advised that he be taken to the hospital at St. John. Luckily the tug Clayton was at Jones' Creek, three miles below, on her way up river with coals. The injured man was placed on board the tug and brought at once to the city. Shortly after his arrival here he was conveyed in the ambulance to the hospital, Leite Saturday night Doctors White and Christie performed an operation on his hand and abdomen. Fortunately none of the shot had entered either. Last evening Gregg was resting easy and his early recovery is looked for.

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BASEBALL

National League Games.

Saturday. At New York—Philadelphia, 2; New York, 1.

At Boston—Boston, 1; Brooklyn, 2.

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh-Cincinnati, 7; Cincinnati, 3.

At Chicago—St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 1.

Sunday. At Chicago—First game, Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 2. Second game, Chicago, 2; St. Louis, 1.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 0; Pittsburgh, 1.

National League Standings.

Chicago, 11 2 788

Pittsburgh, 8 4 688

New York, 8 3 553

Boston, 8 3 500

Philadelphia, 7 8 467

Cincinnati, 6 8 453

Brooklyn, 7 9 458

St. Louis, 3 11 214

National League Games Today.

Brooklyn at Boston.

Philadelphia at New York.

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

St. Louis at Chicago.

American League Games.

Saturday. At Detroit—Detroit-Chicago postponed, cold weather.

At Washington—Washington, 6; New York, 2.

At St. Louis—Cleveland, 3; St. Louis, 2.

Sunday. At Chicago—Chicago, 3; Cleveland, 6.

At St. Louis—Detroit-St. Louis, rain.

American League Standings.

New York, 9 6 600

Cleveland, 9 6 590

St. Louis, 9 7 563

Chicago, 8 8 460

Boston, 7 8 467

Washington, 6 10 376

Detroit, 4 9 308

American League Games Today.

Detroit at St. Louis.

New York at Washington.

Boston at Philadelphia.

Eastern League Games.

Saturday. At Baltimore—Toronto-Baltimore, postponed, wet grounds.

At Providence—Buffalo, 3; Providence, 0.

At Jersey City—Montreal, 5; Jersey City, 7.

At Newark—Newark, 4; Rochester, 7 (called end of 8th, darkness).

Sunday. At Newark—Newark, 4; Rochester, 5.

Eastern League Standings.

Wen. Lost. P.C.

Baltimore, 6 2 756

Jersey City, 4 2 671

Rochester, 4 4 656

Buffalo, 6 4 656

Newark, 5 5 600

Toronto, 2 4 429

Providence, 3 5 433

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RECENT WEDDINGS

MR. WYNE IRVING, formerly of this city, son of the late Mr. Irving, was married on April 28th in New York city at Calvary Methodist Episcopal church, the bride being Miss Ada M. Bryant, daughter of the late Nicholas M. Bryant of St. Agnes, Cornwall, England.

Tom Daniel gave the bride away, and Mrs. Daniel was matron of honor. The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Arthur M. Irving of Montreal.

After a trip through the southern states Mr. and Mrs. Irving will make their home in Calgary, Alberta, where both are well known.

BISHOP STERLING.

The marriage of Burpee B. Bishop of Kentville, N. S., and Winifred Carroll, daughter of the D. A. Ry. Division, took place at the Baptist parsonage, Dieby, on Thursday afternoon, April 30th. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. B. Nobles, M. A., pastor of the Dieby Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop took the Prince Rupert for St. John en route to Montreal, Ottawa and Niagara. Upon their return they will reside in Kentville from which Bishop B. Bishop directs the work on his large fruit farm.

LDJOY-WINTER.

Saturday afternoon an interesting event took place in St. John's (St. George's) church, when Miss Amy Winter, eldest daughter of Charles T. Winter, was married to Henry Gardner Lloyd, of Gloucestershire, England. The church was tastefully decorated and the ceremony was largely attended. Rev. G. A. Kishington officiated. The bride was attired in white silk trimmed with lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Mary Winter was bridesmaid and the groomsmen were Fred. Lloyd, brother of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd will reside at Rothsay for a few days, and then will proceed to Niagara for a visit. On May 10th they will sail for Montreal for England. Among the many presents received was a set of silver dessert knives from "The Glensens" of St. John's church.

ENTERS ON FOURTH YEAR OF PASTORATE

Rev. David Hutchinson of the Main street Baptist church began the fourth year of his present pastorate yesterday.

His sermon last evening, Rev. Mr. Hutchinson made reference to this fact, speaking of the last three years as a happy and successful giving a short account of his pastorate of the past. The other sermons will be devoted to the same subject. He also made reference to the fact that peace and harmony had always existed between his people and himself, no disputes or strife ever having arisen.

Last evening Rev. Mr. Hutchinson began a series of special sermons. The subject of the first sermon of the series was "The God of Love." Next Sunday evening the subject will be "The God of Peace." The other sermons will be on "The God of Hope," "The God of Peace," and "The God of Comfort."

The fourth year of the pastorate of the Rev. Mr. Hutchinson in the Main street church is one of the most promising in its history. The congregation was never larger and the Sunday school is in a most promising condition.

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BRODEUR VINDICATED IN MARINE ENQUIRY

Fyshe and Bazin Refuse to Give Information.

They Clear the Minister But Refuse to Make Charges Against Any Individuals.

OTTAWA, May 2.—The investigation by Mr. Justice Casella into the general charges of wrong doing on the part of officials of the marine and fisheries department, as made in the report of the civil service commission, was begun at noon yesterday in the court room of the supreme court.

Those who made the charges were naturally the first called upon to give evidence from which a beginning might be made to clear up the cloud of suspicion now resting upon every official of the department. Commissioners Fyshe and Bazin, who particularly dealt with that portion of the report bearing upon the marine and fisheries department, and who are primarily responsible for the serious charges made, were examined. Unfortunately, however, little assistance was gained from them, which might have helped to specify the parties who are guilty or exculpate those who are not.

Old Commissioners Won't Talk.

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