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MARATHON WINNER HAYES SOFT MARK FOR DORANDO

The Little Italian Easily Defeats Much-Touted Yankee at Madison Square Before a Crowd of Ten Thousand People.

New York, Nov. 25. — Dorando, of Italy, defeated John J. Hayes, of this city, in the renewal of the Marathon race at Madison Square Garden this evening. The distance was 26 miles and 385 yards, the same as the Olympic Marathon, which Hayes won at London last summer. Dorando in that race fell from exhaustion and was helped across the line, but was disqualified. He proved to be Hayes' master tonight, as he held the lead from start to finish, finally winning by about 60 yards. Hayes was in the lead five times during the race, but only for a few seconds each time. Dorando's time was 2:44:20 2-5, and Hayes, 2:45:05 1-5.

Ten thousand persons watched the contest, and while partisan feeling ran high, nothing more than good-natured rivalry was the outcome. The last few miles of the race were exciting. In the 24th mile Hayes made another of the jumps to the front that he had been springing at intervals during the race, but Dorando, running strong, easily resumed the lead like a flash. This was repeated half a mile further on. Dorando again proving the stronger. The 25th mile was finished in

2:36:57 1-5. Hayes weakened in the last half-mile, and the Italian won handily by about 60 yards.

The crowd was on hand early, and for an hour before the race started enthusiasm was stirred up by the playing of rival bands in opposite galleries. In the third lap of the eleventh mile, Hayes passed the foreigner, but held his advantage for only half a lap. Dorando sprinting in the lead. Hayes tried again in the fourth lap of the thirteenth mile, but Dorando was in front again before Hayes had led him five seconds. At fifteen miles there was no change in their position. Dorando used a wet sponge on his head frequently, while Hayes had recourse to no treatment except occasional advice from his trainer. During the next five miles, Hayes sprinted by his opponent three times, but kept in front each time only for a few seconds, for Dorando went around him to the pole again. They finished the 26th mile, Dorando leading by five feet, in 2:44:23 4-5.

Dorando's time tonight was nearly eleven minutes less than Hayes made when he won the Marathon race at Shepherd's Bush last summer. Hayes covered the distance then in 2:55:18.

How Coverpoint Sees It

Remember at last won a race, but most of his followers in London forgot to get down on him.

"Bob" Shillington, clothed in the dignity of an M. P. P. and a blouse, came down from the Cobalt to Ottawa, and took a nice, quiet, gentle knock at present-day football. He signed for the old days, the old scrimmage days, when all the spectators had for his money was a view of some very interesting fights. In the new game the ball is seen once in a while at least.

London, Eng., has had only ten undetected murders in four years. The C. A. U. should get some of that brand of detectives to find out all about professionalism.

The Toronto World sporting editor yesterday ran a very touching tale. It reminded us so much of George Ade's fables, it was so different. The writer must really be sore to get such a piece of literature out of his system. He is squealing good and plenty.

The Toronto World is asking the question: "If you had to spend a million dollars in a year how would you do it?" If we really wanted to get rid of it we would back the favorites at the Dufferin Park race meeting, for which the World's sporting department stands sponsor.

McGill University will do away with a paid coach for its football team. They have had little success for two years. Good graduate coaches have the professionals beaten in every department. As a matter of fact, Varsity's success this season is primarily due to its coaches.

The St. James' stable, of Vancouver, has purchased nearly \$40,000 worth of thoroughbreds this winter. Racing will boom this year in Canada, until such time as the grand game is killed by the Yankee come-ons, who have ruined the game over there.

Joe West came through in Toronto

TIGERS HAVE LINE OF GIANTS BUT COLLEGIANS ARE GAME

Prospects of the Teams to Play at Rosedale on Saturday From a Disinterested Point of View—Collegians Appear To Lack the Necessary Size.

Toronto, Nov. 26. — Figures may not be, but liars can figure, and any deductions may be drawn from the respective football scores of the past season made by the teams that will battle at Rosedale on Saturday for the Canadian Rugby championship.

The Tigers are admittedly a strong team of big men, while the Varsity fourteen are a fast team of much lighter weight. One authority gives the collegians' average weight as 175 pounds, but if they scale 10 pounds lighter it will be much nearer the mark.

The Tigers have a wing line of giants—tall, rangy, fast men with great reach and strength. Excluding the ends, every man is a six-footer and weighs close to the 200-mark or over. They know the game right down to the ground, and when they nit an opposing player the unfortunate is reminded of a railroad collision. The two outside wings, Lyon and Marriott, are much bigger than their centre, Duncanson and Ramsey, and are just as good, if not better, tacklers than Varsity's distinguished pair.

In the centre big Dinny McCarthy will have one big horse-laugh when he catches a glimpse of Jimmy Bell, Varsity's 140-pound centre scrumman. Never before has there been such a small centre man as Bell, but he is a little dandy, and Dinny will have to brush him off his clothes often during the encounter. Craig and Burkholder will have a merry battle with Ritchie and Hume. The Hamiltonians have it on the Varsity men in height, but not in bulk.

The inside wings will probably find Barron and Wigle opposed to Muir and Kingstone. The collegians are not nearly as big, but they are strong and game. Barron and Wigle have a long, long reach, and Hume and Galt will be on Saturday night.

wise not to kick too close to the scrumman. At middle wing, Isbister and Grey will have Lee and Hall as their checks. Grey is the strongest man playing Rugby today, and it takes more than a couple of men to hold him once he gets in action. Varsity will endeavor to prevent him starting.

Back of the line Varsity will have something on Tigers in weight, but in nothing else. Simpson and Tope are as good punters as Galt and Lawson, and much more reliable in catching and kicking. Tope, Moore and Burton are three of the trickiest runners playing the game, and the much-vaunted tackling of Varsity will avail the collegians little if the Tigers can work their little interference plays that are their specialty.

It looks from this distance as if Varsity will have to depend upon a kicking game entirely. They would be unwise to buck into a stonewall line like Tigers', and Marriott, Ballard and Lyon will take care of the end runs. With side-step, any mistakes in lowering down fast, any mistakes in Tigers' back division would be costly, although Tigers are usually lucky in covering a ball. However, if Tigers' backs catch like they can, they will throw the first tackle off his stride in Rugby, and if the students are at the next man sufficiently to allow the runner with the ball to evade his clutches, and get away for a good gain.

Mistakes of omission or commission are responsible for most of the scores in Rugby, and if the students are at all, either in judgment or execution, they will find themselves in a bad way. A victory for Varsity is hardly expected by those who look the situation over calmly and dispassionately, but a repetition of the 1905 final would cause great rejoicing in this old town on Saturday night.

turn to this country it will only be to pass the time of day. However, Mr. Burns will welcome the change from Main street, Preston, Ont., on a Saturday night to the principal thoroughfare of Melbourne—Toronto Telegram.

Marty Walsh will get \$100 a week at Ottawa, Nelson Gross, of Berlin, \$60 a week in Montreal, and other well-known hockey players will get as much and more.

It was stated that Joe Kelley would undoubtedly manage the Toronto baseball team next year. His row with Dovey is for the gate receipts, as Joe thinks he can separate the Beaneater from a year's salary and then catch on with Toronto.

One man was hurt at the auto races at Savannah yesterday. The Undertakers' Union intend to scratch the meet as it is too safe.

Ban Johnson claims that Canada has the greatest hunting grounds in the world. Come again, Ban. The jolly is good, although there are few ball players up there.

A racehorse choked to death at Lexington yesterday while eating oats. This is given as a warning to the Dufferin Park race track promoters.

Now that Bob Fitzsimmons and Jim Corbett have picked Johnson to beat Tommy Burns, it is up to us to lay our money on the Canuck. He will sure beat the mook.

About twenty-five members of Victor's Italian band read on The Advertiser bulletin board that Dorando had beaten Hayes in New York and they gave a mighty cheer for their fellow-countryman.

LANCIA CAR WINS AT SAVANNAH

Does 195 Miles in Three Hours, Forty-Three Minutes and Thirty-Three Seconds.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 25.—William Hilliard, of Boston, driving an Italian Lancia car, was the winner in the light car race, making an average of 52.56 miles an hour for the 195-mile journey, and making the course in 3 hours, 43 minutes and 33 seconds. Robert Burman, driving a No. 8 Buick car, finished second, six minutes behind the winner. L. P. Lorimer got third place in a No. 10 Chalmers, Detroit. E. T. Hearne's Buick No. 11 was fourth, and Al Poole's Italian Isotta was fifth. Then came a whole flock of two-cylinder Maxwells, Arthur See, in No. 9, finishing sixth and Carl Keisley, in No. 17, finishing seventh. Costello's Maxwell No. 12 and Munweiller's No. 15 were running in eighth and ninth positions respectively when the race was called off.

The race was run under the most favorable weather conditions, and every precaution was taken to prevent accidents, 600 militiamen keeping the track clear.

Only one accident of any moment marred the day's racing. When Easter, in a No. 14 Buick, was making his fourteenth lap at high speed something went wrong with the mechanism and dived the car. It was thought for a while that Frank Thompson, who was riding with Easter, had been killed, but his condition has since improved and he will recover. A Chalmers car, No. 13, driven by R. Burns, tried conclusions with a tree on the first lap, but nothing more serious than the loss of a number of teeth resulted to the driver.

The race was distinctly a two-car race all the way, Burman having the lead most of the way, but stopping to tighten a nut cost him the place, which he was not able to regain.

The cars were started at half-minute intervals, and made a very close race throughout.

The official time of the seven cars finishing is as follows:

Lancia	3:43:33
Buick No. 8	3:50:00
Chalmers No. 10	3:53:05
Buick No. 11	3:58:04
Isotta	4:11:22
Maxwell No. 9	4:18:38
Maxwell No. 17	4:20:04

SOCCER CHAMPIONS TO VISIT ST. THOMAS

The North End Association Football team, city league champions, in the fall series, have accepted the challenge issued by the St. Thomas team and, accompanied by a crowd of rooters, will leave for that place from the Traction Company station at 2 p. m. Saturday. The game is expected to be a close one, as St. Thomas has a very strong team.

The executive of the league have issued the following record of standings: Won. Lost. Points.

North End	6	1	10
Chelsea	3	2	8
Queen's Park	2	3	4
Asylum	2	3	4
All Saints	0	2	0

STRATFORD COMING TO MEET MIDGETS

Saturday afternoon the first of the series of games between the Stratford team and the local Midgets will be played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The last time the Stratford team visited London the Midgets succeeded in defeating them, but only by the narrow margin of one point. Since then the team has been strengthened. "Jimmy" Preston, better known as a hockey man, will be in the Stratford line-up. London, too, has strengthened her team considerably, and it is in splendid shape for a hard game.

Playing in the afternoon is a new departure in basketball, and it is hoped that Londoners will show their ap-

To the Man of Brains

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STARS DEFEAT CUBS ON IDEAL ALLEYS

Another of the schedule games was played off at the Ideal Alleys last night, when the Stars defeated the Cubs. Billy Brown, of the Stars, added considerably towards this result, making a high individual score of 224 and a total for the three games of 611.

Stars.	Won.	Lost.
W. Brown	168	234
McKay	139	128
Roland	171	181
Bird	171	181
Rowe	151	154
Watterworth	182	175
	816	812

Cubs.	Won.	Lost.
Gardie	142	105
McKay	174	137
Andrews	181	138
Lackie	203	149
J. D. Graham	151	164
	851	693

Tonight the Midgets, of St. Thomas, will meet the Stars, while on Friday night there will be two games, the Cubs and Stars, and Locke's Specials of St. Thomas and The Grocers.

FAST BASKETBALL AT "GYM" TONIGHT

Tonight will witness two fast games in the senior Y. M. C. A. Basketball League. In the first game the Wizards and Midgets come together, and the old rivalry between these two teams that existed last year is still alive, and a warm game is expected. Added to this "Kenney" Casselman, of hockey fame, and "Tiny" Sage, of football renown, will make their debut in the red and black of the Wizards. In the second game the Tigers and

Shamrocks clash. The winner of this game will lead the league, as these two teams are now tied. The games will commence at 8:15 sharp, and it is expected that a good crowd will be on hand to witness them.

Following is the standing of the league:	Won.	Lost.
Tigers	3	41
Shamrocks	3	1
Midgets	3	2
Wizards	1	3

THE SAINTS' TEAM TO PLAY AT ARMORIES

There will be a fine exhibition of indoor baseball at the Armories Friday night, when A. Company, of the St. Thomas Regiment, will meet D. Company of the Seventh Fusiliers. Both companies are last year's champions of their respective regiments, and will undoubtedly put up a good brand of ball.

YOST LAYS DEFEAT TO LECTURE RULES

One of the excuses offered by Michigan for their overwhelming defeats is that the rules of the university make attendance at lectures compulsory, and time remaining is not sufficient to get the men in training. It's a question as to the purpose of a college, and there are those cynical enough to say the student will get as much practical training on the rugby field as in the class-room.

A large number of spectators witnessed an interesting game of carpetball in the Carpenters' League, of the All Saints' Young Men's Association. The game was between the Tigers and the Champions, and resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 31 to 25, which leaves the three teams tied, each having won and lost a game.

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JOE WEST WINS FROM TORONTO CRACK

Toronto, Nov. 25.—Joe West, the crack bowler of the National Alleys, London, defeated Martinson, one of the best Toronto bowlers, in the Brunswick Alleys, for a side bet of \$100, by 46 pins in ten games.

A large crowd watched the game, a goodly number of them cheering for the London man.

The alleys had been newly varnished and were not in very good shape for bowling, which resulted in a number of splits for both bowlers.

The scores were:
West—187 181 154 162 184 167 146 223 175 184—1,776
Martinson—160 170 161 195 169 140 178 195 183 179—1,729
Martinson will play a return match of ten games at the National Alleys, London, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 2.

BOWLING

Games are now on in earnest. This season promises some of the best of them.

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but if the other arrangements are satisfactory the game will likely be pulled off sometime in the near future.

THE TURF. Oakland, Nov. 25.—Today's winners are as follows: St. Francis, 11 to 20; Schleswig, 9 to 5; Aftermath, 4 to 1; Lady Alicia, 7 to 5; Sewell, 2 to 7.

The total wages paid to textile workers in Germany increased from \$82,118,000 in 1886 to \$122,570,000 in 1905.