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Balmy Beach Handed First Loss By Loop Tail-Enders

Varsity Seconds Throw Off Jinx and Spring Surprise of Season.

AIRMEN HAVE HOPE

SENIOR O. R. F. U.	W.	L.	T.	P.	A.
Balmy Beach	4	1	57	24	
Camp Jordan	1	2	36	64	
H. R. C.	2	3	36	64	
Varsity	1	4	37	50	

Toronto, Nov. 9.—The Balmy Beach club of Toronto suffered its first defeat of the season in the O. R. F. U. series when Varsity Seconds, tail-enders, defeated them 16 to 14 at Varsity stadium this afternoon. Varsity's first win, although twice they tied the Hamilton R. C., but lost in the overtime. The Beachers, however, will top the league and Camp Jordan with two losses. Varsity Seconds, however, will play again against the Hamilton R. C. It is only by Camp Jordan winning and Balmy Beach losing that the league can be tied up. Otherwise the Beachers win the championship and the right to meet Queen's University in the playoffs.

The O. R. F. U. teams have provided good games this year with plenty of passing, end runs, daring plays, the kind of football the fans like, and there were only about five thousand present, the game being deserving of a capacity crowd. The final result was always in doubt, but the students set the pace in scoring from the start, leading by five after the first period, while at half time the score was 9 to 4.

Add Eleven to Total. Blue and White added eleven to their total, while the Beachers counted five, the students entering the final frame with a lead of seven. Balmy Beach reduced the margin to two, and finished the game battling for the tieing points, which the students prevented.

Backfield errors caused the Beachers' defeat, but all credit must be given the students for their alertness to take advantage. Twice when the Beach backs fumbled catches behind their own line, Varsity smothered the ball for touches. Cawell's consistent returning of punts in the last period was one of the features of the game.

Both teams were well supplied with tacklers. Keith, the Beachers' outside wing, being about the best. Keith was under almost every punt and generally stopped his man with dives at the ankles. Daily, the Varsity flying wing, and Ponton, the Beachers' outside wing, were in the tackling. Robertson and Smith on the Beach back line, showed flashes of good football, were consistent, and with Varsity playing a good game their slips were fatal. Robertson kicked well for the Beachers, but his punts were not as hard to catch as the high take of Burns, the Varsity left-footer.

The teams: Flying wing, Ponton; halves, Robertson, Smith, Cawell; quarter, Metcalfe; snap, Hamilton; line, Robinson, and Crozier; middles, Snyder and Crozier; ends, Keith and Pinnick; subs, Reeve, Newman, Menzies, Crozier, Porter, Hoos, and Whetzel.

Varsity: Flying wing, Daily; halves, Wright, Creighton and Burns; quarter, Ross; snap, Ingram; insides, Merritt and Gray; middles, Hill and Hetherington; outsides, Snyder and Stewart; subs, Bentley, Cash, Beals, Teskey, Ross and Stringer.

Officials: Reg. Dedrich and Ronnie McPherson.

TAMMANY TIGERS TAKE TITLE. Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—Tammany Tigers captured the Manitoba senior rugby championship by blanking Varsity 10 to 0 in the final game here this afternoon. In all probability, Tigers will travel to Regina to meet the Rough Riders for the Western Canada title next Saturday.



HOBBIE KITCHEN, former Niagara Falls amateur star, who made a great impression on the rail-birds in the first workout of the Montreal Maroons at the Forum yesterday. Kitchen worked to good advantage both on the defence and on the forward line.

LOCAL JUNIORS ARE BEATEN IN PETROLIA

Hard Oils Prove Better Team in Mud Than London Crew.

Special to The Advertiser.

Petrolia, Nov. 9.—The London Juniors were defeated here today by a score of 10 to 0 on a field which was not in the best of condition, being very slippery. In the first quarter Petrolia scored five points on a fake pass. Churchill of London did some wonderful running and tackling. He made a 35-yard run in the first quarter on a fake kick, and the only change when he stopped over the side line. During the whole game he made many such runs. Wong was the best defender on the London team. He made several beautiful tackles during the game.

Exhalt and Madern of Petrolia were the best defensive men, nailing the visitors in their tracks most of the time. Metcalfe was the outstanding offensive player for Petrolia. Petrolia's other five points were made by Bryant, who recovered a fumble behind the London line. Neither touchdown was converted.

The line-up: Quarter, Wilson; center, Bryant; insides, Lawrence, Munro; middles, Stapleton, Dale; ends, Braverman, Howlett; halves, J. McHattie, Linsay, McHattie; flying wing, Polard.

London: Quarter, Pittman; center, Baidwin; insides, McCallum, Boyd; middles, Alexander Wong; ends, Drew, Walker; halves, Fitzgerald, Martin, Black; flying wing, Churchill.

Officials: Wilson and Post.

CECIL WALKER SIGNS TO RACE AT NEW YORK

Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, Nov. 9.—Cecil Walker, Australian rider, is the latest to sign to contest the first six-day bicycle race of the new Madison Square Garden this month. He won 25 races during the summer bicycle season, the mile was 1:40 2-5.

OWNER WINS \$3,660.

Jimico Race Track, Nov. 9.—The owners of J. Edwin Griffith of Baltimore were again considerably enriched when his colt Singlefoot took the 2 of the Jimico series, worth \$3,660. The race started at 1:30 p.m. and the time for the mile was 1:40 2-5.

WALKER CAN LOSE TITLE ONLY BY FOUL OR K.O.

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Walker and Friedman must make at least eight rounds, and the fight, since no official decision is handed down, however, will end with one man going out by a foul or a knockout.

WOODSTOCK SQUAD MEETS ST. THOMAS

Wagon City C. I. Eliminates Kitchener 7-3 in Final Game of Round.

Special to The Advertiser.

Woodstock, Nov. 9.—Woodstock collegiate rugby team successfully passed out of the second round of the Kitchener-Woodstock series by defeating the Kitchener collegiate team this afternoon in the second game of a home and home series 7 to 3.

The game was a keenly-contested one and the locals were somewhat lucky to win, six of their points coming from a touchdown after a fumble near the Kitchener line by one of the visiting rear guards. The locals had the edge in weight on the line and consistently inside ground on plays, but the brilliant backfield runs of Vaughn for Kitchener were the outstanding features of the game.

He was easily the outstanding player on the field and had hard luck in not scoring touchdowns after 20 and 40 yard runs. Twice the Kitchener team had only a yard to go with the clock ticking, but the Woodstock line held firm and danger was averted.

Kitchener scored first, Sinclair being forced to the deadline. Before half-time, however, Woodstock got a lucky touchdown and Lockhart plunged over for a score. Brookes and Page, middles, made a difficult angle. A kick to the dead line by Sinclair and a kick into touch in goal by Vaughn completed the scoring.

The Woodstock team wins the round by 10 points to 4, having won the first game in Kitchener on Saturday by a score of 3 to 1, and now meet St. Thomas in the third round.

The teams: Flying wing, Milburn; halves, Allan, Lockhart, Scales and Giddens; quarter, Sinclair; snap, Grant; insides, Brookes and Page; middles, Adkins and McLeod; outsides, Braund and Art Lockhart; spares, Carrigan, Vogan and Smith.

Kitchener-Waterloo: Flying wing, McNaughton; halves, C. Weber, Smith and Schmitt; quarter, Shantz; snap, Schmitt; insides, Dunker and Millman; middles, Beck and Lachner; spares, Lockhead, Ferrie, Lockie, Lehner, Rieder and Morrill.

Officials: Hoad, Referee—Coad.

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BRECKER TAKES 15-MILE GRIND

Galt Runner Romps Home Ahead of Dominion's Outstanding Distance Men.

Special to The Advertiser.

Guelph, Nov. 9.—Guelph's Thanksgiving Day race meet, the premier event of its kind in the Dominion, proved to be the most successful since its re-institution three years ago. The prize list, which is unparalleled anywhere, attracted over two hundred crack runners from different parts of Canada and the United States, track men being present from Toronto, Hamilton, Woodstock, Detroit, Rochester, Galt and many other places. The day's card consisted of eight races, and the time from ten-thirty in the morning until after four in the afternoon.

The weather was very favorable for the runners, clear but slightly cool. The spectators of which there were many thousands, present, were slightly uncomfortable on account of the wind, which hit through the stands on the curbs and sidewalks.

The outstanding surprise of the program was the defeat of some of Canada's outstanding long-distance runners in the 15-mile run by Cliff Brecker, the clever Galt athlete, who covered the entire route, and covered the distance in the record time of 1:17:37 4-5, about seven minutes faster than the same course was made in last year by Charlie Morton of Hamilton.

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On the Side Lines

BUNNY'S THANKSGIVING. I'm thankful for the weather yesterday. Scents was hard to follow. For as the dogs gave tongue an angry bay. I watched 'em from a hollow.

I'm thankful also that there was no snow. 'Twould give my tracks away. Who leaves no tracks, you all must know. Runs still another day.

I'm more than thankful—pardon my snicker. A close call I'd forgot—I'm thankful that that city slicker Was such an awful shot.

Humans celebrate Thanksgiving: I do, too, as I'm still living. Argos are down at the bottom, but the bottom of the alibi barrel hasn't been struck yet.

Terriers had 11 players last year, and it didn't bring them any luck. This year they are going to kick the hoodoo's eye out with the toes of their skates by having 13 on their starting roster.

"A girl will succeed faster as golf pro at Palm Beach," says a headline. A slice off the old book, so to speak.

Abd-el-Krim thinks as much of the League of Nations as Jack Dempsey does of the New York boxing commission—and public opinion.

The Soo Greyhounds are well named. They've sure footed over a good deal of the map—in the public prints.

A FROSTY BREATH. A man with a frosty breath suggested the other day that the toboggan slide at Western could be much improved by a little grading before the snow came. It was suggested also that this was not an exclusive opinion, but that many lovers of this branch of winter sports would welcome improvements to the best tobogganning hill in the district.

It was suggested that if the Western U. authorities could see their way clear to having the humps graded out and a platform erected, a small fee charged to townspeople would more than pay the cost.

The hill is pretty humpy in its natural state, rendering it almost impossible of negotiation for anybody with store teeth.

THE CRADLE OF HOCKEY. It took a long time for Junior O. H. A. hockey to make a niche for itself. Since it is now the custom for juniors to jump from that division into senior in one year, the fans have reached the point where they appreciate a game between two closely-matched junior teams as much as they do one between two senior crews. In fact, there have been times of late in Toronto when the juniors outdrew the seniors.

The London Junior Hockey association starts out tomorrow night with three games. Most of the players are of Junior O. H. A. age, and are all aspiring to make O. H. A. teams at some time in the future. It would be indicative of real hockey interest were the youngsters, in their first games tomorrow, to play before a jammed house. Nothing is a conductor of the quick development of athletes as encouragement.

As most of the teams represent different sections of the city, there should be quite a bit of rivalry come out of the league race. This league is going to be the cradle of hockey in London. Better get out and help rock it.

The intermediates who will be much stronger than last year will practice at the arena.

Although no definite steps have yet been taken to build the rink, Professor Hart, president of the university directors, states that there are no serious obstacles in the way, and he added that he felt sure that operations would be started as soon as freezing weather sets in.

TIGERS TAKE MEASURE OF ARGONAUTS 11 TO 7

Makeshift Big Four Squads Provide Exhibition Grid Battle at Hamilton.

Hamilton, Nov. 9.—Tigers and Argonauts, both with makeshift squads, provided the thanksgiving attraction at the U. A. A. field this afternoon, in a rather interesting affair for an exhibition tilt, which Tigers won by a score of 11 to 7. Argos won 17-0 action in the first quarter, while the Tigers had many near-misses.

Although weather conditions were much more suitable than on Saturday, the field was slippery and treacherous, and both sides, the back men especially, suffered in consequence.

The Tigers opened the scoring when Traynor dropped a field goal over the bar from 20 yards out. But Argos were not to be outdone. They added a single point, but the third quarter told a different story. Tigers added seven points, an unconverted try and two single points bringing their total to 11 points, while Argos were held scoreless.

Wagner of Guelph, in the five-mile open event, which he won in the remarkable time of 24 minutes and 17 seconds. Of twenty-five runners, only three started. Twenty-three finished, the race proving one of the most interesting of the card. Billy Reynolds of Galt was second, and Charles Shell of Gladstone A. C., Toronto, third.

Four local races comprised the program in the morning, the distances being one two and three miles for boys, and five and ten miles for girls. The 100-yard race was won by the boys, dominated by Bert E. Collier of Chicago, being up for competition in the last mentioned race. This year the cup becomes the temporary property of the Northern Rubber Co., Jack McGillibon, athlete wearing the firm's attire, winning out in a field of fifteen starters. There were fifty-four contestants in the one mile and about twenty in the two and three mile.

Record in Five-Mile. What was probably a new record for Canada for five miles was set by Harold

CATARACT STARS MAKE PRO DEBUT

New Members of Maroons Make Good Impression in First Practice.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—Making their debut with a professional hockey squad, Kitchener, Stewart and Seibert worked out this morning with the members of the Montreal hockey club before a crowd of over 300 fans at the Forum. The members of the team of last season who were in uniform were Dunc Munro, Reg Noble, Punch President, Sammy Rothchild, Dutch Cain and Lowrey. The players were kept going at top speed for the full period by Manager Eddie Gerard, who served as referee.

Outstanding among the forwards was Nelson Stewart, who has played for the last five seasons for Cleveland in the United States amateur hockey league. He created a good impression by his work.

Seibert, who played on the opposite wing to Broadbent, also worked well. Broadbent and Seibert were lined out against the regular defence of Dunc Munro and Reg Noble. They worked in close and snail from almost all angles.

On the opposite line Lowrey, Rothchild and Kitchener were worked together. Kitchener showing to good advantage on the defence as well as on the line. The only absentee from the workout were Benedict and Dimsore. They will arrive in Montreal this week.

Elmwoods Meet Friday Night

Banquet at Smallman & Ingram Precedes Confab.

The annual meeting of the London Elmwood Club, Incorporated, will be held on Friday evening, Nov. 12, at Smallman & Ingram's dining-rooms. A banquet will be held at 6:15 o'clock, and the business meeting will start at 8 o'clock. The officers will be elected for the ensuing year, and other business will be transacted.

All members of the club are urged to attend. Those not being able to attend the banquet may cheer at 7:15 o'clock through the Richmond street entrance.

D. F. A. AGAINST APPEAL.

Canadian Press Dispatch.

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—The Dominion football association has decided against the Toronto Uster team in their appeal against the fine imposed by the Ontario governing body for their refusal to play against Timming in the semifinal for the Ontario championship, it was announced here this evening.

Referee: Donohue. St. Mike's. Umpire: J. Sinclair. Sarnia.

Work of Karn and Perry Brings Defeat To Aggies

Sarnia Backfield Combines in Third Period To Give Borderites Win.

WILSON STANDS OUT

Sarnia, Nov. 9.—Guelph Aggies couldn't stop Karn and Perry in the third period, and the Sarnia intercollegiate squad thronged to a 4 to 2 win over the smart O. A. C. squad before a big crowd at Bayview Park this afternoon.

Wilson's kicking had the Sarnia team on the defensive most of the game, but a pretty 25-yard run back of one of Wilson's punts by Karn put the blue and white five yards from the Aggie line, and Perry, on three straight plunges, just squeezed over for a touch, which was not converted, but which set the game away for the Sarnia team.

The Aggies, playing a much improved game over their showing against St. Mike's Saturday, gave the blue and white the toughest argument they have had all season. Their defensive play halted most of the Sarnia plunges, while they showed through for long runs outside Karn's long run. Pugh made the biggest gain when he went 20 yards around the Sarnia end on a run before he was halted down. Wilson, whose punting and all round work featured the O. A. C. attack, kicked for two points in the first half.

Sarnia gained the lead in the third period, when McPhedran punted to Wilson, who was forced to rouse, and Perry got his touchdown. The game was a long-drawn battle with honors fairly even throughout the rest of the game. Pugh for forced out with an injured ankle, and Manore and his shoulder dislocated stopping an Aggie back. Wilson retired in the third period, and Sarnia squandered after that. The defensive work of the Aggie line and the tackling of the Sarnia ends featured the game.

Sarnia—Flying wing, McPhedran; halves, McPhedran, Perry; Howard; quarter, Wilson; snap, Park; insides, Wilson, Blake; middles, Smith, Boyett; ends, Garvey, Manore; subs, Ewen, Bennett, Crozier, Porter, Hoos, and Whetzel.

O. A. C.—Flying wing, Roxburgh; halves, Pugh, Thompson, Sileo; quarter, Wilson; snap, Park; insides, Wilson, Blake; middles, Smith, Boyett; ends, Garvey, Manore; subs, Ewen, Bennett, Crozier, Porter, Hoos, and Whetzel.

Referee: Donohue. St. Mike's. Umpire: J. Sinclair. Sarnia.

THUNBERG TO COMPETE AT ST. JOHN ICE MEET

Speed Skating Marvel of Europe Will Arrive Middle of December.

Canadian Press Dispatch.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 8.—Clas Thunberg, amateur speed skating marvel of Europe, will arrive in St. John from his native Finland, about the middle of December and will train on Lily Lake here for two weeks. He will likely then skate at some trial meet competitions in the United States, and about the end of January will contest for world supremacy at St. John.

St. John's application for sanction to hold the world championship meet here will be taken up at a meeting of the International skating union in Pittsburgh on Nov. 23 and 24.

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