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INVESTIGATE AMATEUR STANDING OF MARITIME BOXING CHAMPS. STATUS OF BODDIE LEWIS AND McEACHERN IS QUESTIONED

Weeding Out of Rookies at Major League Training Camps

Y. M. C. I. Officials Ordered To Hold Up Cups
Won by Them—New Brunswick
Championships Allotted

CHARGES of professionalism are said to have been preferred against Cape Breton boxers, who took part in the recent Maritime Amateur Championships in St. John, and are being investigated by officials of the Y. M. C. I. of C. The championship cups, won by Buddie Lewis, 135 pounds, and Francis McEachern, 147 pounds, both of Glace Bay, are being held up pending the result of the investigation.

The Y. M. C. I. officials who conducted the meet, have been advised by the M. P. B. A. U. of C. officers to hold the championship cups, won by Lewis and McEachern, and the local organization has acted in compliance with this request.

Lewis and McEachern are alleged to be professionals, having taken part in preliminary bouts at pro boxing shows in Cape Breton. Lewis had an amateur card in 1924, but when the Cape Bretoners first sent their entries for the amateur tournament a few weeks ago, not on number of four boys who were had been registered with the M. P. B. A. U. of C. However, the Y. M. C. I. officials had the amateur standing of the quartette vouched for by the M. P. B. representative in Cape Breton and arrangements were made whereby Lewis, McEachern, Horncaster and Digby were permitted to take part in the tournament.

Equity Being Made.
After the tourney was completed, it is said Nova Scotia officials of the M. P. B. asked that the amateur standing of Lewis and McEachern be investigated and this inquiry is now being conducted by the amateur sport governing body in the Maritime.

New Brunswick Meet.
The New Brunswick boxing championships will be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. I. early in April as they have been allotted the meet by the Maritime Branch of the A. A. U. of C. At a meeting of the amateur officials held here yesterday the matter of allotting the meet came up and as the Y. M. C. I. was the only club which sent an application they were given permission to conduct them.

An early announcement that the championships will be held in a splendid opportunity to get in condition. Considerable importance is attached to the New Brunswick titles and it is expected that keen rivalry will exist among the amateur stars.

The St. Mary's Club of Halifax was granted permission to conduct the Nova Scotia championships.

CHARLIE GORMAN HAS GOOD START
Another Maxwell Trophy is Donated For Skating Series—The Point Winners.

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., March 5.—Henry L. Maxwell, of New York City, has donated to the Lake Placid Skating Association another Maxwell 300 point cup, it was announced yesterday. The gift is similar to that of the old Maxwell cup, which was won this year by Joe Moore, of the 1925 American diamond trophy meet are to be counted toward the cup. The present standing, therefore, is as follows: Francis Allen, Chicago, 120; Valentine Blais, Lake Placid, 80; Charles Gorman, St. John, 80; Richard Donovan, Saranac Lake, 80; and Moore 30. The cup will be awarded to the skater who first wins 300 points in major skating events to be held here.

THREE TEAMS TIE IN BICYCLE RACE
Leaders Have Covered 1,776 Miles—Behind Record Set in 1914 Grind.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The tie of three teams for the lead in the six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden remained unbroken this morning at the end of the 104th hour. During more than 24 hours none of the teams had been able to break away for a gain. The three leading teams, Walhour and Spencer, McNamara and Homan and Stockely and Goosen, had covered 1,776 miles and 8 laps at the end of the 104th hour. This distance compares with the record of 2,051 miles and five laps, made by Pogier and Hill in 1914.

W. E. Stirling Appointed Junior Vice-President
Tommy Gibbons March 17

W. E. Stirling, the well known physical director for the Y. M. C. I. yesterday received the information that he had been appointed junior vice-president of the M. P. B. A. U. of C. in a ten round bout here March 17, if the Minnesota boxing commission decides he is a fit opponent, the commission announced yesterday.

MARTELOS WILL MEET.
A meeting of the Martello Athletic Association will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Hilton Beloy's rink, West St. John, for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to the commission.

Along the Sport Trail

By RAY HANSEN

NEWS OF THE doings of the major leagues in the southern training camps is beginning to dominate the sport pages and baseball is back again with as much prominence as ever, despite the Dolan-O'Connell scandal last fall. There will always be a feeling that the real facts of the case never came to light, but it does not seem fair to even suspect that any of the officials attempted to hide the truth. Among ball players there seems to be a unanimous belief that it was a practical joke, but it is hard for fans to believe any such thing. Such jokes would make a dangerous form of amusement and a few more would make a lasting injury on this great pastime. There is only one team that may have to suffer from the taint of scandal and the burden of suspicion and that is the New York Giants. They will in all probability have to stand a lot of razzing from the fans, especially while they are on the road. This may or may not have an effect on the morale of the team.

NEXT TO BRING a champion heavyweight or a star ball player, a position as a jockey would seem about the most lucrative form of occupation for those who are not "in the know" in Wall street. Last week Clarence Kummer, one of the cleverest jockeys in the States, signed a contract to ride one horse this year for \$5,000 and 10 per cent. of the money his mount wins. If the colt, Master Charlie, which is owned by William Daniels, the Chicago coal merchant, wins a place in half of the stakes he is expected to, Kummer will receive at least \$20,000. Last year Master Charlie was considered the best juvenile in the south. He is entered in stakes worth nearly \$200,000 and his owner and trainer expect he will clean up about \$150,000 at least. Kummer sprang into prominence last year after Earle Sande was injured. It will be recalled that he piloted Larkin to win over Epinal last September.

THE PUNISHMENT that Battling Nelson absorbed while he was defending his title of lightweight champion of the world is evidently coming back on him. On Tuesday he registered for treatment at the Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn., in the eye, ear, nose and throat department. Poor old Nelson has probably got a couple of cauliflower ears, a few bones broken in his nose and other ailments.

STUFFY McINNIS, first baseman of the Boston Braves, has joined the ranks of the hold-outs. He has refused to sign his contract because of a cut in his salary. The remaining members of the team are at Petersburg, Fla., working out. The way Stuffy played last year showed that he was still one of the cleverest first sackers in the major leagues and it is a surprise to learn that a slice was taken from his salary. It would seem that it was done so as to cause him to become dissatisfied and then trade him off to some other club. It is an open secret that the Braves have secured a younger player who gives promise of developing into a star. This may be the reason why they would like to get rid of Stuffy or it may be that they fear he is becoming too slow on the paths and is not worth as much to the team. However it should not be long before his case is definitely settled one way or another.

REPORTS FROM the Scandinavian countries—Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Finland—say that an effort will be made by them to have a reduction made in the programme for the next Olympic games. They contend that the length of the lists place smaller countries at a big disadvantage, as they are unable to command larger funds to support the games. The programme does seem rather lengthy, and it might be well for England, France, United States and Canada to seriously consider their suggestions.

Charles Gorman To Compete In Championship Meet Today

PITTSBURGH, March 6.—Duquesne Garden here will ring tonight with the clash of steel on ice as the world's fastest skaters break away in the opening event of the international indoor speed skating championships. The meet will continue tomorrow night.

Among the ice artists who have arrived or whose arrival is expected here tonight are Charles Gorman, St. John, N. B., Frances Allen of Chicago, Joe Moore of New York Leslie Boyd of Chicago and Duke Donovan of Binghamton, N. Y.

Among the events on tonight's card are the 440 yards and one mile championship finals for men.

Phil Rosenberg Wins Bout From Nat Pincus

NEW YORK, March 6.—Charlie Phil Rosenberg, of New York, will meet the bantamweight champion, Eddie P. (Cannonball) Martin, of Brooklyn in the near future, tonight scored a technical knockout over Nat Pincus, of Brooklyn in the eleventh round of a 12 round bout.

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ST. JOHNS AND BATHURST PLAY FAST TIE GAME

Work Of The Goal Tenders Was One Of Features

The fans who braved the elements to witness the hockey match in the Arena last evening between the St. Johns and Bathurst were well repaid. The game ended 1-1 after 60 minutes of hard, fast playing. Unfortunately the ice became soft during the afternoon and great difficulty was experienced by members of both teams in handling the puck. The rubber would stick to the ice and passing was next to impossible as it was necessary to lift it or roll it from one to the other. This caused great confusion and time after time the illusive rubber would roll or bounce over the sticks and well meant efforts went for naught.

Visitors Were Fast.
The visitors looked to be one of the fastest teams appearing here this year and had the ice been hard there is no doubt fans would have been given a real treat. All appeared to be good shots and clever stick handlers, as well as fast and tricky skaters. In the first period they jumped into the lead when they closed in on the St. John net and beat Bidekay by a fast low shot. From that on they kept shooting at the goal and then depending on closing in to catch a rebound. After their first score they never had another chance for the Bidekay turned in one of the best games of his career and turned away shot after shot. In addition the visitors were sure to clear, apparently realizing that his opponents were depending on rebounds to win out.

Finnigan of the visitors also played a stellar game and his work in goal was a feature. Time after time the St. John boys broke through the visitors' defense and drove the puck at Finnigan, but only once did he fail to turn it aside. The exception came when Brad Gilbert sent a wicked knee high drive into one of the corners, which tied the score.

Many Mix-Ups.
It is doubtful if any ever witnessed more mix-ups on a local rink. The players realizing that puck handling was next to impossible would all charge for the rubber and crashes between team mates came frequently. Andreau was a victim on three occasions and got two nasty twists. The visitors also came together an more than one occasion, but they did not take it as good naturedly as the local star.

When the third period ended the score was tie and the fans refused to move wanting to see one side or the other win out. It was at first agreed that an extra five minutes would be played, but later the Bathurst boys decided they had enough as they were scheduled to play their fourth game this week in Amherst tonight.

Bill Hay of Sussex handled the whistle and in his quiet way kept the game clean. He only had to send two men off the ice for minor offenses. Bill is one of the most competent officials brought here this year and is a great favorite with fans.

FOR SUMNER TROPHY
U. N. B. Team Leave For Moncton to Clash With King's College Sextette.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 6.—The University of New Brunswick Hockey team, champions of the Western section of the Maritime Intercollegiate Hockey League, left this morning by King College tonight for the Sumner trophy.

Modern League.
A double-header was rolled on the Y. M. C. I. alleys, the Modern League last night, when the Workmen's Compensation Board won three points from the City Hall and the Post Office captured three from F. W. Woolworth Co. The individual scores follow:

First Game.
City Hall—Total Avg. Needham 67 76 74 217 72-3
Burren 67 69 77 213 71
Wetmore 76 81 78 235 81-3
Gaines 82 87 266 88-3
Nixon 83 81 78 242 80-3
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After the Race



Chinook endeavors to console Shorty Russack for having lost the Eastern International Dog Sled Derby at Quebec to St. Godard and the Franquelin Pulp team from Manitoba.

Shots Off the King Pin

Results of Candle Pin Bowling on the Local Alleys

City League.
Clearly, of the St. Peter's team, made the season's record for the City League last night when he piled up a total of 358. St. Peter's took all four points from the Wanderers in the game of Black's alleys. Tonight the Beavers and the Tigers will roll. The scores last night were:

Wanderers.
Total Avg. Earle 74 104 100 278 92-3
Mabee 81 82 84 247 89-3
McCaw 81 87 84 252 84
Craft 106 95 79 280 93-3
Brown 80 91 85 256 88-3

St. Peter's.
Total Avg. Jenkins 100 91 109 300 100
McCurdy 92 85 92 269 89-3
Cleary 121 112 125 358 119-3
Dunn 87 87 81 255 85
Harrington 97 96 95 288 96

Commercial League.
The James Pender Company took all four points from the C. P. R. King street team in the Commercial League last night. The scores last night were:

C. P. R. King Street.
Total Avg. Doherty 85 105 89 269 91-3
McLaughlin 86 90 95 271 90-3
Flowers 88 72 69 224 74-3
Dumny 88 77 246 82
Lannen 83 85 263 87-3

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AXE FALLS ON HEADS OF YOUNG BALL PLAYERS

Managers Have Task Of Trimming Down Their Squads

NEW YORK, March 6.—The axe has begun to fall and the heads of several hopeful rookies lie in the basket with the promise of many more to follow, as the weeding out process in the training camps of the Major League Baseball clubs get under way. Two would-be members of the Chicago White Sox fell victims to the axe yesterday. They were Clyde Renfrow, a shortstop, and Johnny Tyranny, a semi-pro utility man.

Manager Bill Killefer of the Cubs has the problem of trimming his squad of thirteen pitchers, to eight.

McGraw Has Troubles
Manager McGraw is occupying an unhappy throne as manager of the New York Giants. He is, among other things, without a first baseman. Mr. Terry hit the first home run of the Giant season yesterday at the camp in Saratoga, but Bill has not signed up and the home run will make him more stubborn. George Kelly has not reported, neither has he signed, although he is expected to do both next week.

Bob Meusel and Miller Huggins exchanged ululations at the American League camp at St. Petersburg yesterday. The wind blew so mightily across the field that only John Levi, bulky Indian recruit, was not tossed from his moorings. Babe Ruth disappointed by not appearing at all.

Babe Ruth Excused.
Ruth, it was announced, was excused on several counts. These included a slight indisposition, two bolts on the back of the neck and a flock of callouses on what are politely known among athletic gentlemen as "dogs" or so-called feet. Urban Shocker spent the day in bed with a cold. Tom McIntyre, Boston Globe infielder pulled up lame with a "Charles Horse."

"Squire" Ebbers of Brooklyn heard the salary dispute case of Dutch Henry, southpaw hurler, and a flock of callouses on what are politely known among athletic gentlemen as "dogs" or so-called feet. Urban Shocker spent the day in bed with a cold. Tom McIntyre, Boston Globe infielder pulled up lame with a "Charles Horse."

The Athletics, divided into two squads, have played two six inning games this week, with the regulars, and Yannisians each winning one. Yesterday's contest went to the Yannisians who came from behind in the final inning.

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