THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

Canadian Hexathlon Won By Saint John

Local Y. M. C. A. Juniors Captured First Place in Class B for Dominion.

News was confirmed yesterday that the St. John Y. M. C. A. Juniors had won the Class "B" Hexathlon for Canada. The international figures are also to hand, in which the local boys stand in eighth place for North America. 55 Associations competed in Class "B." Charlotte, North Carolina, won the international title.

In all, 139 Associations competed, taking in 23,720 boys. Toronto "West End" heads the list for the number of competitors, with 735 boys taking part. A feature of this Contest is the large number of boys who are tied up to athletic events. It is significant to note that a larger number of boys competed in the Junior Hexathlon contest than in any indoor meet ever held.

The local boys are well pleased with their win, and consider it no small achievement.

The contest for boys is divided up into five weight classes, and the competition takes in six different events: long and short potato races, high jump, standing broad, fence vault and shot put.

A special shield is being made as an award to the senior team, who won the international title in the class. A photograph of the team is being put on the metal on the shield by a special process. The shield, when completed, will be a worth while trophy, and will be given a prominent place in the rotunda of the local association.

Capital Council Helps Baseball

Fredericton Is Into Professional Baseball and the City Fathers Help the Payroll.

Fredericton, N. B., May 1—The Fredericton City Council tonight voted a grant of $200 to the Fredericton Baseball Club. The delegates of the club had asked for a grant of $400, pointing out that the club would have a weekly payroll running from $135 to $185, with an estimated season of fourteen weeks, and at least six games a month. A monthly deficit of $300 was anticipated, and the officers of the club pointed out that there would be heavy initial expenditures, entailed by the purchase of uniforms and other necessaries. During the discussion that ensued it was said that amateur baseball might ask for assistance, and it was urged that consideration be postponed for one month. The grant of $200 was finally voted upon.

The Council also considered the matter of water extension and improvement, and instructed the water committee to call for tenders for an expenditure of $25,000. This will provide for an extension on the Woodstock Road, as far as Bailey Bridge, and also for improved fire protection for the Chestnut canoe factory.

Two-Men Bowling League Results

In the Two Men League last evening on Black's alleys, Team No. 1 took three points from Team No. 6; Team No. 3 took all four points from Team No. 5; Team No. 7 took three points from Team No. 12.

The scores follow:

Team No. 1					
C. Galbraith	84	85	105	294	98
G. Galbraith	90	91	97	278	92 2-3
	184	186	202	572	
Team No. 6.					
Parkinson	89	115	84	286	95 1-3
Williams	91	76	95	262	87 1-3
	180	189	179	548	
Team No. 3					
Cook	83	90	97	270	90
Lewis	76	96	105	277	92 1-3
	159	186	202	547	
Team No. 5					
Quigley	81	74	86	241	80 1-3
Rockwell	72	86	69	227	75 2-3
	153	160	155	468	
Team No. 7					
Cuthbertson	94	79	86	259	86 1-3
Simpson	98	87	95	283	87 2-3
	192	169	181	525	
Team No. 12					
Gormley	80	70	94	244	81 1-3
Whitaker	83	92	73	247	82 1-3
	163	162	166	491	

ADDITION TO FORCE

Douglas D. Laird was yesterday morning sworn in as a member of the local police force to take the place of Policeman John Linton, who resigned. He is a native of Wallace, Cumberland county, N. S., and has resided in the city for some years. He is thirty-four years of age, is five feet, eleven and one-half inches tall and weighs 175 pounds. One of his brothers was killed overseas, another was seriously wounded and he himself enlisted but was turned down on account of a technical physical disability.

PRESENTED WITH PIPES

A pleasing presentation took place in the rooms of No. 2 Salvage Corps, Main street, last evening, when Captain Robert Cunningham was presented with a handsome case of pipes by Commissioner Thornton on behalf of the corps. The captain thanked the men for their kindness in a short but feeling speech. Captain Cunningham resigned his captaincy in the corps at the last election of officers after several years of faithful service.

Baseball Results In Big Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 7; Cincinnati, 6.

Cincinnati, May 1—A triple in the eighth settled today's game in favor of Pittsburg, 7 to 6. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	300210200—	7	11	1
Cincinnati	510000000 —	6	10	1

—Batteries—Morris, Appleton and Gooch; Luque, Gillespie and Wingo.

New York, 10. Boston, 5.

Boston, May 1—New York continued its heavy hitting today and defeated Boston, 10 to 3. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
New York	00005005x—	10	7	3
Boston	000100110—	3	7	1

Batteries—J. Barnes and Smith; Oeschger, McQuillan, Morgan and Gowdy.

Brooklyn, 2; Philadelphia, 0.

Brooklyn, May 1—Harry Shriver, rookie pitcher, blanked the Phillies today, 2 to 0. Shriver fanned nine. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	000000000—	0	4	2
Brooklyn	00200000x—	2	6	0

Batteries—G. Smith and Henline; Shriver and Hungling.

Only three National League games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 13; Cleveland, 2.

St. Louis, May 1—The Browns moved into first place in the American League race today, winning their fourth straight game from Cleveland, 13 to 2, while New York was being defeated by Boston. The Browns pounded three Indian pitchers for sixteen safeties, including three doubles, two triples and a home run by McManus. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	000010010—	2	9	2
St. Louis	02600023x—	13	16	1

Batteries—Uhle, Lindsay, Potts and O'Neil; Shinault, Kopl and Severeid.

Philadelphia, 8; Washington, 5.

Philadelphia, May 1—Home runs by Walker and Dykes helped defeat Washington by 8 to 5. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Washington	001200002—	5	8	2
Philadelphia	02112101x—	8	14	3

Batteries—Brillhart and Gharrity; B. Harris and Perkins.

Boston, 5; New York, 2.

New York, May 1—The Boston Americans won their third consecutive game from New York here today, 5 to 2. Mays was hit hard in the early innings, while Ferguson, released by New York to Boston last winter, held the American League champions to four hits. It was his second victory of the series. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Boston	021100001—	5	10	0
New York	000001001—	2	4	0

Batteries—Ferguson and Ruel; Mays and Schang.

Chicago, 6; Detroit, 5.

Detroit, May 1—Chicago defeated Detroit, 6 to 5, today, making a clean sweep of the series. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	121200000—	6	13	1
Detroit	01031000x—	5	8	1

Batteries—Hodge, Russell and Schalk; Cole and Woodall.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Toronto 4; Newark 1.

Newark, May 1—Toronto made it three straight by defeating the Bears today 4 to 1. Score:

Toronto	102000001—	4	10	0
Newark	100000000—	1	9	2

Singleton and Devine; Loftus and Manning.

Rochester 6; Jersey City 0.

Jersey City, May 1—Hard hitting by Rochester gave them an easy victory today, 6 to 0. The score:

Rochester	000013011—	6	7	1
Jersey City	000000000—	0	4	0

Hughes and Lake; Wurm, Carruthers, Knowlton and Freitag.

Reading 3; Buffalo 2.

Reading, May 1—Reading and Buffalo split a double header today. The scores:

(First game)—

Buffalo	000020000—	2	7	2
Reading	100000011—	3	12	0

McCabe and Bengough; Brown and Clarke.

Buffalo 10; Reading 6.

(Second game)—

Buffalo	202031101—	10	13	2
Reading	100300002—	6	11	4

Heitman and Bengough; Swartz and Clarke, Kennedy.

Baltimore 7; Syracuse 4.

Baltimore, May 1—The Orioles won from Syracuse today 7 to 4. Score:

Syracuse	110010100—	4	8	1
Baltimore	002003200—	7	8	1

Sell and Fisher; Matthews and McAvoy.

St. John Man Won Fight At Sydney

Joe Irvine Won from Johnny McIntyre of Glace Bay in the Fourth Round on a Foul.

Sydney, N. S., May 1—Joe Irvine, of St. John, won from Johnny McIntyre, of Glace Bay, here tonight in the fourth round of a scheduled ten round bout, on a foul. The bout was a great disappointment to the large crowd that thronged Alexandra Hall. McIntyre hit Irvine in the groin two foul blows, the second being seen by hundreds of fans about the ringside. Up to the fourth, McIntyre had much the better of the fight, having piled up a long lead in points over Irvine. The St. John scrapper weighed 152 pounds and McIntyre 139.

Live Topics On The Ring Stars

Eddie Shevlin Got Decision Over Siegel at Boston — Dube Won at Montreal.

Boston, May 1—Eddie Shevlin, of Roxbury, was awarded the decision over Nate Siegel, of Revere, at the end of their ten round bout here tonight. The men are welterweights.

Quebec, May 1—In the main bout of the fights at the Imperial Theatre here tonight, "Kid" Dube, of Lewiston, Me., a featherweight, forced Georges Girardin, of Montreal, to quit in the fifth round. Girardin said his nose was broken.

Englishmen Lost To Montreal Team

Montreal, May 1—(Canadian Press)—Four thousand spectators gathered here this afternoon to see the Oxford-Cambridge twelve in their seventeenth and final lacrosse game on this continent. The dark and light blues were pitted against the University of Montreal team and though they lost an exciting and closely contested game by five goals to four, the visiting collegians made a most favorable impression by their fast, stubborn play against more finished stick handlers.

Kansas To Fight Benny Leonard

Chicago, May 1—Rocky Kansas, the Buffalo lightweight, probably will be Benny Leonard's opponent in the lightweight championship ten-round contest to be staged at Michigan City, Ind., July 4, Floyd Fitzsimmons, the matchmaker, announced today.

Harry Wills Is Booked To England

New York, May 1—Harry Wills, negro heavyweight pugilist, and his manager, Paddy Mullins, announced today that they had engaged passage to England and would sail next week.

Sport promoters, interested in a title contest between Wills and Jack Dempsey, were said to have arranged Wills' trip.

The Old Country Football Results

London, May 1—(Canadian Press Cable)—In the Rugby Union football game played today between Newport and Cardiff, the latter won by 8 goals to 3.

BOWLING

Tonight the second game in the series between the three generations of Black's and the Roses, will be rolled on Black's alleys. In the first game the Roses were trimmed and they are out for revenge in tonight's game.

St. Stephen Won From Moncton

Basketball at Border City Finished Last Night With a Score of 34 to 13.

St. Stephen, N. B., May 1—(Special)—The St. Stephen basketball team outplayed the Moncton five by a score of 34 to 13. The game was played in the Curling Rink this evening before a large audience. Moncton started out well, scoring the first two baskets, but St. Stephen got busy and took the lead and never were headed. Although the score would indicate a one-sided game, nevertheless it was exciting from start to finish, both teams being on their toes all the time. Following is the line-up and summary:

Moncton.	St. Stephen.
Forwards.	
Colpitts	Bell
McWilliams	Nicholson
Centre.	
McDonald	A. Clark
Defense.	
Grant	H. Clark
Comeau	Cotter
Spares.	
Hicks	Dresser
McKay	Tuck

First period—Moncton, 6; St. Stephen, 8.

Second period—Moncton, 4; St. Stephen, 10.

Third period—Moncton, 3; St. Stephen, 16.

Total—Moncton, 13; St. Stephen, 34.

Referee—Markee.

Putting Oil On The Baseballs

Detroit, May 1—Charles Robertson's perfectly pitched game yesterday will stand uncontested, President Frank Navin, of the Detroit Tigers, said today, refuting reports which spread after the White Sox pitcher had been accused of putting oil on the balls he used to baffle the Tigers.

Navin said he did not wish to detract from Robertson's pitching, but added that "there must have been something wrong with some of the balls," as the umpires threw out several on protest.

Australian Golfer Has Bag of Tricks

Makes Little White Ball Do All Kinds of Stunts on the Green.

Chicago, May 1.—There are tricks in all trades and it is the general belief that the people on this side of the boundary are familiar with them all, but when it comes to golf tricks Joe Kirkwood, the Australian open champion, can show United States golfers something. The Australian star is touring the United States with the intention of trying for the United States open title at Chicago this summer. His unique feats have aroused no little interest among the golfers he has already met.

Kirkwood can perform seemingly impossible tricks with a golf ball and a putter, mashie or driver. He can drop a half dozen balls in a straight line and with a mashie pitch the farthest one into the hole precisely and thus continue down the line until all disappear within the 4 1-4 inch can. He also can putt his ball against and from the lip of the cup, driving the near ball away and holing his own. However he can use neither of these stunts in competition. He performs them at calculated distances, so that long practise and a delicate touch make the work exact, while in a regular round, the ball must be played from all sorts of positions on the 130 foot square green. If he could have a stymie of 3 or 4 feet laid for him at every hole, he would bless the recent restoration of that play and hole without difficulty.

The Australian champion also can curve his ball around another by putting English on it with a straight faced putter, but his truly native trick is the boomerang ball. In this piece of legerdemain he cuts, or gives the ball so much back spin that the pellet is hurled high in the air only to fall at his feet. This is an exaggeration of the cut pitch played by all experts.

Kirkwood is good at that, but the same reasons prevent him being more successful than other players when it comes to competition. He can discover the cut necessary to bring the ball back to him, but when it comes to estimating the back spin necessary to drop it dead to the pin from varying distances that must be measured by the eye, he is up against a different proposition.

Another stunt that theoretically calls for perfect play is to drive a ball off a watch face or from beneath the foot of a person, but that merely requires exactness in the trajectory of the club, and a slice or hook might result if the club head followed or preceded the hands, respectively.

Kirkwood also can put an extended slice or hook on a ball, a play that is also used by Jock Hutchison, British open champion, James Barnes, United States open title holder, and many other members of the professional golfing circle, as well as prominent amateurs.

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