

NEWS of SPORT

NEWCASTLE TOOK BOTH GAMES YESTERDAY

Fredericton Imperials
Lost 8 to 3 at New-
castle and 5 to 2 at
Chatham.

Newcastle, Sept. 10—Before the largest aggregation of baseball fans who ever witnessed a baseball game in the history of the Miramichi, Newcastle, with Briggs pitching both games the finals with Fredericton, won both contests today, thereby earning the right to play off with the winners of the Moncton-Saint John game for championship of New Brunswick.

In the first game played at Newcastle this afternoon Williams started in the box for Fredericton, and was relieved in the fourth by Wheeler, who in turn, was relieved by Garvie, who finished the game.

Briggs pitched the game through for Newcastle and was working in great order. The final score was 8 to 3 in favor of Newcastle.

The Second Game.

This tied Newcastle and Fredericton. The second game was played at the Chatham diamond at 5 o'clock, before the largest crowd with ever attended a baseball game in Chatham. Newcastle won 5 to 2. Garvie started in the box for Fredericton and lasted until the end of the fourth, when he was relieved by Wheeler, exchanging positions. Both teams played airtight ball, and the pitching of Briggs, "the wonder man," was spectacular, he having pitched seventeen innings without relief and still going strong.

Philadelphia, Sept. 10—Mrs. Molla B. Mallory, might turn professional if offered \$500,000, she said today. Otherwise the National Women's tennis champion is not interested in forsaking amateur ranks, to follow the footsteps of Suzanne Lenglen or Mary K. Browne.

"Bud" Steen Out With English Rugby Squad at Montreal this Week

Most Prominent of the New Three-quarters of the Club—Defeated H. M. S. Calcutta 3 to 0—
Montreal Material Said to be Very Promising
—Keene Interest in Game.

Montreal, Sept. 10—The Montreal English Rugby Club defeated a British Naval team from the squadron now in harbor three to nil in a friendly rugby match on the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association grounds in Westmount last night before a fine pre-season turnout of enthusiasts. While both sides were inclined to be not quite rounded into regular football condition, the game produced some fine rugby, and provided numerous thrills for the crowd.

In the first half of the game the naval men had the better of the play, their speed and neatness giving them the advantage. They were decidedly unfortunate in failing to score on one or two occasions when the Montreal defence looked well-beaten. At the half way interval there was no score. After half time the Montreal side showed decided improvement and evened up the play. Both teams made strenuous efforts to score, and late in the game Montreal secured an excellent try through the work of Meredith. The try was not converted and the final whistle left Montreal with a 3-0 lead over the naval men.

Not One Foul.

The entire game was played at a fast pace and was contested with a fine sporting spirit. There was not one foul committed throughout the play. Previous games with naval sides have always attracted the public as strenuous though scrupulously clean contests, and the game last night proved no exception to the rule.

Though both sides lacked condition and practice, there was some fine bouts of passing, while the Navy were very much prominent with their forward rushes.

Montreal took advantage of the pre-season contest to try out several new men whose names have recently been added to their roster. Several of the newcomers showed great promise of fine material for the 1926 season. The most prominent of the new three-quarters to appear was Steen, formerly of University of New Brunswick, who played an excellent game.

Hallaran and Seager Good.

The naval men were considerably heavier and had decided advantage with their extra weight in the scrums. Lieut.-Commander Hallaran of the Navy, former Irish International star who has been "capped" no fewer than fifteen times for Ireland, played a magnificent game last evening, and was always in the thick of the fight. On the Montreal side Seager was outstanding, making some brilliant openings and being of great service on the defence. Two of his openings in the second half of the game nearly produced scores and only the exceptional speed of the navy wing and three-quarter prevented tries resulting from Seager's efforts. Marpole, at right wing was also in great form last evening. In the second half he made a splendid effort when he ran over half the field and completely beat the naval defence, only to lose out on the touch line, no score resulting. Stech

BESSIE M'KYLO WON IN THREE AT PRESQUE ISLE

John R. Braden Drawn
After Three Heats—
Floyd Direct Won
\$2,000 2.11 Pace.

Presque Isle, Me., Sept. 10—On the closing day of the Northern Maine Fair, Bessie McKlyo (2.10 1/4) the community owned pacer racing over her home track, won the free-for-all race today with E. Verso brushing her home, while old John R. Braden kept well up, but made no fight.

The \$2,000 2.11 pace was fully as much of a feature and was landed by John Willard with the home horse Floyd Direct cleaning up the sensational Fort Fairfield gelding Peterkin. Billy Keyes came through with his campaigner Ella Watts in the 2.18 class, making something of a "come back" and surprising some of the speculators. Hon. H. C. Buzzell, of Belfast, president of the Maine Senate, started the races.

The summary:

Free-for-All, Purse \$1,500.

Bessie McKlyo, bm, by Peter McKlyo (Willard) 1 1 1
El Verso, bg, (McWilliams) .. 2 2 2
John R. Braden, bs, (Burrill) 3 3 dr
Time—2.07 3/4, 2.06 1/4, 2.07 3/4.

2.18 Mixed, Purse \$500.

Ella Watts, bm, by Gen. Watts (Keyes) 2 1 1 1
Justina, brm, by Justo (Burrill) 1 3 3 8
McAubrey, bg (Langville) .. 3 4 2 2
Miss Atlantic, bm, (Avery) . 4 2 5 4
Time—2.15 1/4, 2.14 1/4, 2.16 1/4, 2.16 1/4.

2.11 Pace, Purse \$2,000.

Floyd Direct, brg, by Empire Direct (Willard) 1 1 1
Peterkin, chg, (McWilliams) .. 2 2 2
Dan Hedgewood, bs, (Smith) .. 3 3 3
Zazoff, bg, by Azoff (Nevers) . 4 4 4
Time—2.09 1/4, 2.09 1/4, 2.07 1/4.

2.16 Trot and Pace, Purse \$700.

(Three Heats Thursday)
Peter Tanlac, bg, by Peter the Great (Nevers) 2 1 1 1
Diamond Boy, chs, by Billy Boreal (Brickley) 1 2 5 4
Buster Brown, bg, (Burrill) . 5 4 2 2
Miss Sammassie, bm, (Willard) 3 7 3 3
John, Capt. Liggett and Helen Aubrey also started.
Time—2.13 1/4, 2.15 1/4, 2.14 1/4, 2.16 1/4.

2.21 Trot, Purse \$500.

(Two Heats Thursday.)
Gwendolyn Aubrey, by Capt. Aubrey (Willard) 1 1 1
Agatia Harvester, brm, (Richardson) 3 2 3
Rosetta McKinney, brm, (Taylor) 5 4 2
Hollywood the Great, bg, (Cary) 2 6 4
Capt. Ames and Sue Jolla also started in this race.
Time—2.20 1/4, 2.19 1/4, 2.17 1/4.

The 2.20 pace with two heats yesterday was called off by agreement. Hedgewood (Brickley) taking the first money, Northern Knight (Burrill) second, Twinkling Chick (Nevers) third, and Gladys Direct (Keyes) fourth.

TRYING OUT MARITIMER

The Montreal Star re the Montreal A. A. A. Canadian rugby team has the following:—

An English rugby player by the name of Smith from the Maritime Provinces is being tried at an inside post by the coach and may prove a find. He tips the scales at nearly 200 and is fast on his feet.

THIS OUGHT TO PULL.

Florida Native—So you're going in for farming?

Grad.—Yes, I'm going to plant some magnets and raise a magnetic field.—Kansas Sour Owl.

proved to be the best forward on the Montreal side and was in excellent condition. In addition to Lieut.-Commander Hallaran the Navy possessed a splendid pack of forwards who brought off some fine footwork while they also obtained possession in the majority of the scrums. In the rear division, the Navy fullback was particularly promising, his fielding and kicking being almost perfect.

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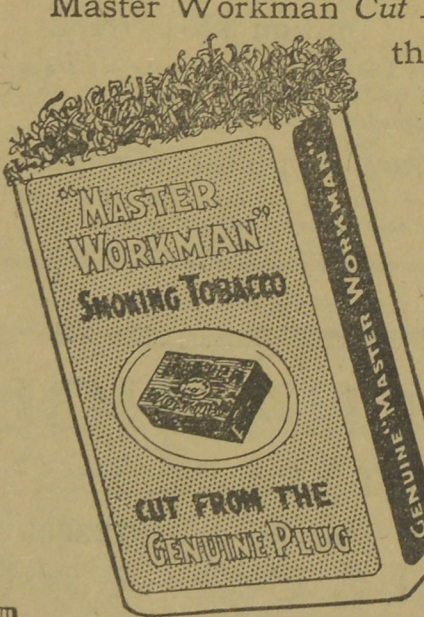
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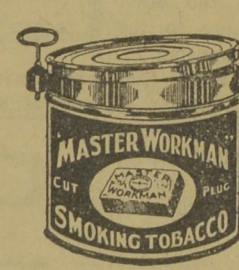
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