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Woodstock Golf Tourney On Saturday Next

Fredericton Entries Received For Big Tournament include Mr., Mrs. D. W. Wallace, C. R. Barry and Miss "Dot" Feeney.

WOODSTOCK, July 30—The second annual New Brunswick mixed foursome tournament will be played on Saturday over the beautiful Woodstock golf club course. The tournament was inaugurated last year at Westfield, and the title holders at present are Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lindsay of Woodstock. To date, twenty-seven pairs have entered, but the lists are being held open until Friday evening, and more entries are known to be on the way from Fredericton, Perth, Campbellton and other clubs. The tournament will be followed by a dance at the club house in the evening. The entries from Fredericton follow:

Fredericton Golf Club—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wallace; C. R. Barry and Miss Dorothy Feeney.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

American League	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	64	33	.660
Cleveland	56	42	.571
Boston	53	45	.541
Chicago	50	45	.526
Detroit	50	46	.521
Washington	49	48	.505
St. Louis	32	63	.337
Philadelphia	32	64	.333

National League	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	57	35	.620
St. Louis	56	38	.596
New York	52	44	.542
Pittsburgh	49	46	.516
Cincinnati	45	46	.495
Boston	45	50	.474
Philadelphia	36	56	.391
Brooklyn	35	60	.368

COACHES IN A ROW OVER THEIR PET CHARGES

U. S. Olympic Track Coaches Bickering At Present.

BERLIN, July 30—America's Olympic track coaches, who battled during the tryouts and again aboard the Manhattan coming over, began bickering again today as their runners and jumpers prepared for their first hard training work since leaving home.

Track Too Soft

Larry Snyder, who was left off the official coaching list in a row with Robertson, thinks the Olympic village track s too soft, and that it may cause pulled muscles amongst the sprinters.

Synder, incredibly enough, is even dissatisfied with his Jesse Owens from Ohio State, who is just good enough that he did 300 yards in 30 1-5 seconds for an unofficial world's record.

"Oh, he could do that any time he wants to," was Snyder's comment.

"However," Snyder added, "I consider the track at the village to be dangerous. It's composed of sandy loam, which is hard on the leg muscles. I asked Robertson to shift the track practice over to the Olympic sports field, but so far have had no success."

Alarmed at Hayes

Although Robertson is also alarmed because Hayes is working all his lads at top speed, he is leaving the matter entirely up to Hayes. Hayes says it is his plan to work Lash hard today and tomorrow and then taper off. The remainder of the 12 Americans who will paticipate in Sunday's opening events are, on the other hand, beginning to accelerate their training pace today.

The Olympians thus out of bounds were mobbed by autograph-seekers and they caused one of the wildest street scenes I have ever beheld Crowds milled about the sidewalks in the center of the parked street and climbed all over the Americans' cars. The scene was made more unreal by the panopoly of banners overhead, so profuse as to give an exotic impression.

LACROSSE IS THRIVING IN UPPER CANADA

Keen Competition One Of Season's Features—Olympic Records Past and Present.

TORONTO, July 30—While attendance at Maple Leaf Gardens, for O. A. L. A. senior attractions, have been anything but encouraging to players and officials alike, the game of lacrosse, generally, is "taking hold" and seems "on its way" back throughout the Province.

M. E. F. (Mike) Kelley is authority for such a statement. The fiery prexy of the C.A.L.A. is highly elated over the progress made by "Canada's National Pastime" this season, which he describes as "the best in seven years."

"There are more teams entered than in years. More sticks are being sold to the younger enthusiasts. The sport seems really to be on the upgrade," states Kelley.

The small crowds at Maple Leaf Gardens are hard to understand, for, as the C.A.L.A. leader points out, Marlboros are a vastly improved team over that which started the season. They have plenty of stellar players and are a well-coached squad.

Season's Features

Highlight of the present campaign in the senior division, has been, the Oshawa games excepted, the keen competition. Seldom before have the teams been so closely matched as are Marlboros, Mimico, Orillia, Brampton Hamilton-Burlington, Fergus and St. Catherines. Upsets have been numerous during the last few weeks and any one of the teams is capable of qualifying for the Mann Cup eliminations.

Kelley refuses to hazard so much as a guess as to which is the most formidable squad. And, with a trip to Vancouver for the Dominion titular series as a reward, a thrilling battle for Eastern laurels is forecast.

The case of Oshawa, who were forced to "call it a year," is something for regret. The Motor City club officials expected great things in this their come-back year, but disappointments were numerous, especially in the won and lost column.

Fail to Impress

The Oshawans had five ex-pro stars in their line-up, but, to put it plainly, the former "money" players are at the end of their trail, having proved of little use to the team.

The Oshawa Club, though, remains in good standing with the O.A.L.A. All financial obligations have been met and it is expected the Motor City team will be back again next year with new blood and spirit to wipe out memories of their disastrous showing in 1936.

Lacross has been attracting large crowds in a majority of centres, especially Western Ontario. Gate receipts have been so gratifying that Kelley challenges anyone to name a group sport which has been "drawing" better than lacrosse in this Province.

Past and Present

Forty years ago, when the Olympic Games were revived, the performances of the athletes were thought to be brilliant. Yet the best records of the world leaders of those days fade into insignificance when compared to the avergae results for similar events today.

It is not an exaggeration to say that winners of the Olympic competitions of forty years ago could not qualify for the team of any nation entering the games this year, so greatly have the times been decreased and the distances increased.

Athletes of "the good old days" do not compare favorably with the modern leaders in track and field, a fact which is taken out of the realm of speculation by cold figures. In 1896 T. E. Burke, the records show, won the 100 metres race in 12 seconds flat and the 400 metres in 54.2, while J. W. Tewksbury was clocked in 22.2 for the 200-metre dash.

Those scarcely would be qualifying time for a schoolboy meet today.

E. H. Flack, Britain's 800 metres man in 1896, won his race in 2.11. Today there are many runners who can better 1.51. The difference of 20 seconds would mean an approximate 160 yards in a race of that distance a margin not to be expected these days between a champion and a mediocre racer.

Flack won the 1,500 metres run in 4.32.2, but this year there are runners who can better that by 39 seconds. In addition more than 3 seconds have been clipped from the time for the high hurdles, while the pole vault in '96 was won at 10 feet 9 3-4 inches a height which can be bettered now by plenty of 'teen-age boys.

LOUGHRAN AND AL M'COY MEET AGAIN TONIGHT

Tommy's Handlers Say McCoy Uses Too Many Bandages.

MONTREAL, July 30—At a meeting of the Montreal Athletic Commission, Joe Smith, manager of Tommy Loughran, appeared and enquired about the bandages to be used Thursday night. He asserted McCoy had overloaded his hands with heavy tape on the occasion of the last match and protested against repetition of this.

Referees Robert and Rod Larose were suspended for fighting with the wrestlers engaged and will not participate in bouts for fifteen days. Larose was knocked out by a fall from the ring and was unconscious for two hours. Harry Madison, light-heavyweight wrestler was fined $15 for his part in the performances, wrestler Mack and Gaudette $5 each.

TIGERS SHOVED BACK INTO THE SECOND DIVIS.

Yankee Sluggers Land On Tigers in 13-3 Win; Gehrig Hit Homer.

NEW YORK, July 30—New York Yankees blasted the Tigers out of the first division at Detroit today with Lou Gehrig hitting his 32nd homer to lead a 15-hit attack for a 13-3 victory.

Despite the win, however, the Yanks' league lead was cut to eight and one-half games by the second place Indians' doubleheader victory over Washington.

While Charley Ruffing and Pat Malone held the Tigers to nine hits the former taking credit for the victory, "Murderers' Row" landed on Joe Sullivan and Eldon Auker to score all their runs in the five innings before being stopped by the final two Detroit hurlers, Chad Kimsey and Roxie Lawson.

Chicago's White Sox, coming from behind with a six-hit attack for four runs in the seventh inning, defeated Philadelphia Athletics 7-5 at Chicago.

Merritt "Sugar" Cain turned in his 10th victory of the season. A pair of two-base throwing errors by himself and Tony Piet in the third frame enabled the Mackmen to exchange a walk and two singles for four runs.

Mule Haas, summoned from a hospital ward when Larry Rosenthal's back went lame in the third inning led the Sox attack with a perfect day at bat—three singles and a walk.

PETS WINNERS OVER DEVON IN JUNIOR LEAGUE

The Pets trimmed the Devon Club in a scheduled game of the Junior baseball league this week, the score being 5 to 2. McLenahan for the Pets held the Devon club to four hits and while his mound rival, Bowlen, did equally well, nevertheless the superior fielding of the Pets put the game on ice for the Pets.

The box score is as follows:

Pets	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Morgan, c.	4	2	1	6	1	1
B. Clark, lf.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Foster, 3b.	3	0	0	0	1	0
McLenahan, p.	2	1	0	0	2	0
Thompson, 2 b.	2	0	0	3	2	0
Bidlake, lb.	3	0	0	6	0	0
Lyons, cf.	3	1	2	2	0	0
T. Clark, ss.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Lynch, rf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
	27	5	4	18	6	1

Devon	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Miles, 3c.	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. Jewett, 2b.	2	0	0	0	0	0
H. McIntyre, ss.	3	0	0	1	0	2
Bowlen, p.	2	0	1	0	4	2
Boone, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
McSorley, cf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Grant, 3b.	2	0	0	1	1	0
McDonald, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Elliott, c.	2	1	1	5	0	1
M. McIntyre, 1b.	2	1	2	8	0	0
B. Jewett, 2b.	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Stevens, rf.	0	0	0	0	0	0
	21	2	4	17	5	5

Game called with two out in last half of sixth.

Summary—Home runs, A. Morgan; three base hits, V. McIntyre; sacrifice hits, Thompson; stolen bases, Morgan, 2, Lyons 2; struck out, by McLenahan 6, by Bowlen 6; bases on balls, by Bowlen 2; earned runs, off McLenahan 1, off Bowlen 2.

Umpires—Gorman and Peterson.

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