

Sporting News

Around The North Land

FAMOUS FRENCH BOXER ON MISSION TO U. S. A.

Georges Carpentier May Also Visit Toronto Soon.

R. C. Klegin, a New York boxing promoter who went over to Paris some weeks ago to arrange for a visit of Georges Carpentier to the U. S. A., upon his return from France made the assertion that the famous French aviator and light-heavyweight would arrive in New York within two weeks.

The Sportsmen's Patriotic Association of Toronto has also determined to arrange to have Carpentier visit Toronto if he comes to this side of the water.

Promoter Klegin told the reporters that it was practically certain now that Carpentier could and would come to New York.

"Carpentier will not accept any bouts during his tour through the United States," Mr. Klegin went on to say. "He is coming here under the auspices of the French Government, and will give exhibition bouts in the principal cities. In addition, Carpentier, who has brought down five German machines and has been twice wounded, will show some official war films depicting the work of the French army flying corps, and the hair-breadth escapes of some of their pilots from death.

"The object of the French Government in sending Carpentier to the United States is to attract young Americans to enlist in the flying corps of the French army."

GUELPH AND MOUNT FOREST PLAY BALL IN ENGLAND

An account of a ball game between picked teams of Guelph and Mount Forest, which took place recently at Bramshott Camp, has just reached this country. The score was 12 to 8 in Guelph's favor. If Mount Forest had followed its old-time traditions it would have had the game laerosse, and won out.

The line-up was as follows:— Guelph—Capt. J. D. Doughty, c.f.; Pte. Conlan, 1b.; Pte. J. Greenaway, 2b.; Pte. W. Ball, s.s.; Capt. Potter (Elora), 2b.; Pte. Worthington, p.; Pte. Simpson, c.; Pte. Davidson, r.f.; Pte. Watson, l.f.

Mount Forest—Corp. Henry, c.f.; Sergt. Pennoek, 1b.; Corp. Clarke, 2b.; Pte. Willis, s.s.; Pte. Hunter, 2b.; Capt. Pinkerton, p.; Pte. McNamara, c.; Corp. Padfield, r.f.; Pte. Beley, l.f.

NELSON EARNED \$350,000 DURING HIS RING CAREER

Oscar Battling Matthew Nelson, former lightweight champion of the world, was born at Copenhagen, Denmark, in 1882. Nelson entered the ring at 17, and was the victor in nearly all of his early battles, suffering but two defeats in his first four years in the ring. Joe Headmark and Eddie Santry were the victors on these melancholy occasions.

In 1904 Nelson began to take on the topnotchers, and defeated Eddie Hanlon, Aurelio Herrera and Young Corbett, but lost to Jimmy Britt. In 1905 he knocked out Britt, and the following year lost to Joe Gans on a foul in four rounds. In 1908 the Dane achieved the championship goal by putting Gans to sleep and repeated in a return match. He lost the title to Wolgast in 1910 and since then he has been whipped by a number of second and third raters. He earned about \$350,000 during his ring career.

CANADIAN ATHLETES AIDING PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL

Sports for officers and men of the overseas forces were organized for Dominion Day by the Y.M.C.A. and the military authorities, in aid of the Red Cross Hospital inmates. Many noted athletes competed in towns in England and France and the people also co-operated to the limit. The result was the realization of goodly sums for the worthy cause. In addition the Day was a memorable one at many army headquarters for the fine sport put up.

TY COBB MAKES NEW RECORD AT THE BAT

Ty Cobb has made a new batting record. He holds the record to safe-hitting in no less than 22 consecutive games this season.

EXPLOSIONS DESTROY HUN MUNITION PLANTS

Several disasters have recently occurred in munition plants in Germany, according to the Zurich correspondent of The Matin. The correspondent telegraphs that he has learned from private German sources that the hand grenade arsenal at Spandau exploded on June 16, and that seven ammunition shops at Marienhall were destroyed by fire on the 18th. Some ammunition factories at Nuremberg also have been burned down, according to this authority.

The Five Thousand Dollar Club at Cobalt was held last week and Mr. B. Neilly re-elected as president, and H. S. Browning as secretary-treasurer. The total subscriptions for the past year exceed \$50,000. A further campaign for funds is planned for after the 15th of July.

Three more returned soldiers have joined the twenty-four heroes at Montleith to learn farming conditions in the North Land preparatory to taking up farms at McPherson on the Grand Trunk Pacific.

The Cochrane Northland Post says that the hospital funds are almost exhausted and steps will require to be taken immediately to obtain funds to keep the institution running. The cost of treating patients is much more than the fees being charged.

The Women's Auxiliary of Haileybury presented Mrs. F. K. Ebbitt last week with an address, a beautiful handbag and a silver-mounted pencil. The address made reference to the high regard in which Mrs. Ebbitt was held, the useful service she had given to the town and people, and the regret felt at her expected departure from Haileybury where she had spent several years.

Marjorie Lowe, a New Liskeard little girl, tripped while skipping last week and in the fall twisted herself in such a way as to injure her neck and spine. At first her condition was looked upon as very serious, but later reports indicate that the injury will not permanently cripple the child.

A. Abramson, of Iroquois Falls, was found guilty but allowed his freedom on suspended sentence by Magistrate Atkinson in the District Court at Haileybury last week, on a charge of receiving stolen copper wire. Some boys took the wire from the premises of the Abitibi Power & Paper Co. and Abramson, according to the evidence, bought as much as three dollars' worth of wire for twenty cents.

Through the efforts of Capt. Tom Magladery, M.P.P., a grant of \$8,000 has been made by the Government for the permanent improvement of the road between Haileybury and New Liskeard. Now Coleman Township has agreed to spend an equal amount on the work, so that this road will be one of the best in the North Land. Turns will be straightened out and other efforts made to have not only a good road but a permanent one.

"For black flies and mosquitoes, this is one of the worst seasons known in the North Land," says one old-timer. Another old-timer denies this. The latter says that this is one of the BEST seasons in this land's history for the said black flies and mosquitoes, but one of the WORST FOR THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE TO TRAVEL IN OR NEAR THE BUSH where the little pests hold joyous celebration of Canada's jubilee.

The Sudbury Star says:—"The first step towards improving the residential streets of Sudbury by the planting of trees was taken by the Council on Monday evening, when the property committee was authorized to purchase from the Bowman nurseries at Ridgeway 200 trees, Carolina poplars and Norway maples from 10 to 12 feet high, the company giving a guarantee of one year after the date of planting. It is too late to plant the trees this year but the company will ship them this fall and pit them for the winter, and early next spring a man will be sent here to plant them. The Carolina poplars will cost 45c, each and 20c. for planting, and the Norway maples \$1.00 each and 20c. for planting. The expense will be borne by the property owners benefitted."

Gen. Von Blume, in a review of the war in a semi-official German publication, recently wrote:—"With head erect and a gaze full of contempt, we come to a consideration of the nations which since the beginning of the year have joined our enemies, the United States in the forefront of them. With our three allies we have now to guard ourselves against thirteen entirely hostile and nine half hostile States comprising the greatest part of the earth's inhabitants. The more enemies the more honor." It does not seem to strike the Blume-ing General that the more enemies that face Germany the more that nation naturally is proven out of touch with the modern world and the greater its chances not only of crushing defeat but also of equally crushing difficulties after the war.

Several farmers near Cochrane report injury to crops from the Army Worm.

John A. McLeod, of Cape Breton, N.S., and Miss Nellie A. Davidson, of near Cobalt, were married at North Cobalt, by Rev. H. B. Connors last week.

Cochrane Court of Revision made decreases in the assessments to the total amount of \$2,350, and INCREASES to the total of \$27,100.

Previous to their departure for their new field of labor at Brampton, Rev. J. Sparling and Mrs. Sparling, were presented with an address and a purse of gold by the Cobalt Methodist church congregation.

The police in Cobalt have succeeded in breaking up an organized band of boys in that town who have been a nuisance and menace to themselves and others.

Work is progressing on the observation tower on "Fisher's Rock," two miles southwest of Uno Park. This tower will enable the fire rangers to locate any fires within a radius of over twenty miles.

John Hopson, for sixteen years a resident of McCool Township, died in New Liskeard Hospital last week, aged 72 years. Heart trouble was the cause of death. A widow and family live near Toronto. The deceased was reported to be a man of superior education and a gifted public speaker.

On a recent visit to the Indians at Manitoulin Island, the two daughters of Rev. H. A. Sims, of Cobalt were formally invested by the Indians with the names signifying "Brightest Day," and "Lady of Mid-day." During his former pastorate on the Island, Mr. Sims had been invested as "Carly Cloud," and Mrs. Sims as "Red Cloud."

The North Bay Times last week says:—"Fishing is a most uncertain pastime, although there is this to be said in its favor: The sportsman usually gets something. Sometimes he gets wet, more often he gets hungry, and occasionally he gets fish, but he is most sure to get a bite—mosquito."

The Claybelt says:—"Mr. J. Miller McCormick, founder and superintendent of the Church Camp Mission in Canada, is a visitor in Cochrane. From coast to coast wherever there are camps, whether for railroad construction, lumber mills, paper mills or mining, this mission contrives to introduce besides missionaries, literature, reading-rooms, etc., which will keep the men linked to Christianity. It is a big work, but quietly done."

The Haileyburian says:—"When Mr. John Ritchie returned to his claims in Grenfell township last week he was surprised to find his entire camp outfit ruined by lightning. Mr. Ritchie says that the lightning went clean through the tent and both melted and punctured all the tinware and cooking utensils, but left the tent uninjured. The streak tore a trench right through the ground inside the tent. We congratulate Mr. Ritchie on his escape for had he been camping that week he would now, perhaps, be in the happy hunting grounds."

Gunner R. J. Roy, aged 23, who enlisted at Haileybury with the First Contingent, was killed in action on June 16th. His mother lives at Cobalt, and has another son at the front.

Mr. Jerry Shea, well-known in the North Land, especially around Haileybury and Kirkland Lake, died at Haileybury Hospital on Wednesday last after an operation for bladder trouble. He was ill only a few days, being apparently in his usual health on the previous Saturday. He was interested in a number of claims at Kirkland Lake, the claims being under the control of an English Syndicate.

Mr. James J. Anglesey, foreman of the Nugget's news-mechanical department, and Miss Margaret Tobin, of Cobalt, were united in marriage last week and left for a wedding trip to the south. On their return they will live in Cobalt.

Rev. A. Bushell, formerly Methodist Minister at Uno Park, now of Thornloe, has joined the Canadian Air Service. Before entering the ministry he was employed on mechanical work in construction of gas engines, and his expert knowledge thus attained will be of undoubted service in his new sphere. Mr. Bushell now has a double right to the title, "Sky Pilot."

If I knew you and you knew me,
'Tis seldom we would disagree;
But never having yet clasped hands,
Both often fail to understand
That each intends to do what's right,
And treat each other "honor bright"
How little to complain there'd be,
If I knew you and you knew me.

When ere we ship you by mistake,
Or in your bill some error make;
From irritation you'd be free,
If I knew you and you knew me.
Or when the cheques don't come on time,
And customers send us nary a line,
We'd wait without anxiety,
If I knew you and you knew me.

Oh when some goods you fire back,
Or make a "kick" on this or that,
We'd take it in good part you see,
If I knew you and you knew me.
With customers, a thousand strong,
Occasionally things go wrong—
Sometimes our fault, sometimes others—
Forbearance would decrease all cares,
Kind friends how pleasant things would be,
If I knew you and you knew me.

Then let no doubting thoughts abide,
Of firm good faith on either side,
Confidence to each other give;
Living ourselves, let others live;
But any time you come this way,
'Tis what you will call us hope and pray;
Then face to face we each shall see,
And I'll know you and you'll know me.

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