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LONGBOAT AND SHRUBB

A DESCRIPTION OF THE TWO RUNNERS.

Big Difference in the Build of the Two Men—Longboat's Friends Are Confident That He Will Win.

The two athletes who will meet in the big match race at the Marathon distance, 26 miles, 385 yards, in Madison Square Garden, New York, on January 26th, Alfred Shrubb, of England, and Tom Longboat, of Canada, are certainly worth going miles to see. Experts say the contest should provide the greatest struggle since the famous Lou Myers-W. G. George match, and all indications point to the experts being correct in their predictions.

The little Englishman is the distance wonder of the age. He holds the world's record, both amateur and professional, from two miles up to seven. The time that he has made at those distances is really wonderful. Longboat has run the fastest twenty-five miles ever credited to man, going the distance through deep snow and mud in the Boston Marathon of 1907, in the great time of 2 hours 24 minutes 20 4/5 seconds. He has defeated all the cracks in America, George Bonhart, of the Irish-American A.C. being the only Yankee athlete that ever led the robin to the tape. The race will be between two of the most dissimilar men that ever toed the mark. Shrubb is of an Anglo-Saxon, while Longboat is of pure Indian blood. It will be a race between youth and age. Longboat is twenty-two years old, while Shrubb is more than thirty. The Englishman is a short, chunky fellow, standing only five feet two inches. He weighs 126 pounds in his best condition. Longboat is five feet eleven inches tall and weighs 160 pounds.

The Indian is one of the cleanest built athletes ever domed. He has an ideal build for a distance runner. Framed like a race-horse, long, lean, with a big, roomy chest, giving plenty of lung space and tapering down to limbs that are as slender and gracefully sinewy as a thoroughbred's, he looks to the tape from head to toe. No man was ever better equipped by nature for a foot racing trial of speed and endurance than the speedy son of the forest, who will carry the maple leaf of Canada in the big race on January 26th.

Shrubb is the antithesis of Longboat. He is shorter, stouter, and his rosin-like little Briton is built more like the great Lou Myers in one respect than any man since the days of the marvelous man of the Manhattan A. C. The one respect is that Shrubb has little weight to carry above the waist. He has a big, roomy chest, but it is small-boned and carries little flesh on his framework.

Below the waist line Shrubb boasts a pair of drivers that, while they are not pretty and do not taper in the graceful racehorse lines of Longboat's limbs, are fully as muscular and and sinewy. Longboat has the long lunge of the forest runner. His stride is frictionless, and in action he appears to be drifting along on the wings of the wind. He does not bound off the ground in his strides. He lands soft and catches, with just enough spring to carry him forward in another full stride without waste of energy. He flits ghostlike over the trail. The Indian, however, does not have nearly as long a stride as most persons have been led to believe. It is longer than the average athlete's, but is much shorter than many runners. Longboat does not "reach," and there is not a movement lost in his action below the waistline.

Shrubb also has a stride that is the personification of ease. His stride perhaps is a trifle more springy than the Indian's, but it is just as smooth and frictionless. His movement is perfect in the expert's eye, but to the ordinary spectator, who enjoys seeing the so-called "pretty" form, it is not as pleasing. Shrubb possesses ability to do something that few athletes can master. This is to put on a race with a series of breathtaking sprints, that the Englishman's supporters are hoping for a victory over Longboat. They say that his early sprints will give him a lead over the Indian that Longboat will not be able to overcome. Longboat's friends, however, say the great Indian will let such an even, stiff pace that Shrubb will be run into the ground, and are willing to back their opinions with all the simoleons they can dig from their jeans. The race will be one of the biggest betting propositions that foot racing ever furnished.

What Will The Harvest Be? By an order-in-council, two years ago, the light water departments are not required to present their annual reports until February 15th. They are awaited with interest, in view of the reduced rates in each department. A year ago the water rates were reduced, but it is expected that the surplus for 1908 will be at least \$4,000. The reduction in the light plant rates affected only half of the year 1907's receipts. Last year was the first whole year it affected, and in view of this it will be interesting to know if the loss in revenue thereby has been made up materially by new business. The taxes on the plant are much higher than in 1907. If the light plant business shows a surplus for 1908, the aldermen can well afford to clap their hands.

B. A. Hotel Arrivals. H. A. Snider, Niagara Falls; T. T. Hamilton, St. Louis, Mo.; G. E. White, London; W. J. Bremner, E. E. Wilson, E. M. Meiler, H. M. Dodds, Hamilton; C. W. Johnson, Ingersoll; B. M. Britton, Toronto; C. A. Kenney, Napanee; George A. Anderson, St. Thomas; George J. Lee, Montreat; B. Bery, Ottawa; A. MacDougall, Cleveland; Thomas Templeton, Chicago; Arthur Adsett, Quebec.

Harvester Company Fined. Topeka, Kan., Jan. 11.—The Kansas supreme court in a decision handed down, affirmed the verdict and fine of the district court for Shawnee county, against the International Harvester company. The company must pay a fine of \$12,600 on forty-two counts, each count charging a violation of the Kansas anti-trust laws.

Amusements.

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TEA MEETING AND CONCERT

Sunbury Town Hall, JAN. 14th. Under Auspices of Ladies' Aid, of Presbyterian Church.

RELIEVED OF LOAN.

Lake Superior Corporation to Have New Capital.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—President Warren of the Lake Superior Corporation, admitted to-day, the correctness of the report that the Ontario government is to be relieved of the remaining \$1,000,000 of the \$2,000,000 provincial loan, made by the Ross government and several times renewed since then. He also admitted that Robert Fleming, of Edinburgh and London, is coming into the Soo corporation with a large amount of capital, but beyond confirming these statements, he declined to comment on the new control of the Soo corporation.

Making Improvements.

Renew Mercury. The K. & P. railway between Renfrew and Colabogie has undergone considerable improvement during the past season, which will materially assist in raising the road to popular favor. The track has been ballasted, sills lifted and an average lift of five inches given over this portion. In addition to the new stone bridge at Colabogie, side wings of concrete were added to the abutments at Clay Creek.

Lawyer Is Fined.

Kenora, Ont., Jan. 11.—The case of N. F. Hagel, K.C., charged with obstructing a police officer during a case which he was defending in court, was concluded after five adjournments. Two witnesses were heard, and Hagel not appearing, Magistrate Vorker and Belyea imposed a fine of \$5 and costs, or seven days.

Destroyed By Fire.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 11.—Sixty feet of dockage, in the Blackwell canal, between the Washburn-Crosby Hill and the Frontier elevator, was destroyed by fire this morning. The fire, for a time, was spectacular. It is supposed to have been caused by a spark from a passing tug.

Civil Service Examinations.

The following passed the preliminary examinations at Kingston: W. P. Anglin, Katie Brown, F. J. Bale, Wilbur Sherry, George B. Soest, Ernest R. Sweetnam.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Preachers Criticized For Meddling.

Kingston, Jan. 11. (To the Editor:—) Recently we have heard considerable talk and also had a letter of two from clergymen, through your columns re the increasing of taxes providing there is a decrease in the number of licensed hotels in this city. Strange as it may seem, there are no complaints this year, nor were there any two years ago, although the number of licensed stores in this city.

Now, in my humble opinion, such an important matter as increasing taxes should be dealt with by those who are directly interested, viz., the people who pay taxes. It comes with rather bad grace from a clergyman, one who never has and most likely never will pay any taxes, not even the ordinary mill tax, which our government levies on every young man when he arrives at voting age. I repeat the preacher, whom the government does not consider a man, should have no say in this matter.

I have known only two preachers who insisted on their and their churches taxes being paid, and I may add there were never any empty pews when their sermons were being delivered.

I hope you will pardon me for writing about the clergy as they are usually exempt from everything, and like anyone else who does not pay his way, are always bawling in when they should have the least to say. They should attend the theatres on Tuesday evening, and witness a performance of the play, "Paid in Full." Those are grand words and might benefit them. I believe the manager of the opera house and also manager of the show would exempt them and pass them in.—TAXES PAID IN FULL.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY.

Former President of Big Shoe Company.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Frederick Richardson, formerly president of the Richardson Shoe company, of Elmira, N.Y., was arrested here on a fugitive warrant charging him with the larceny of \$750 from the Chemung Canal Trust company, of Elmira. While \$750 is the sum mentioned in the warrant, Police Chief Cassidy, of Elmira, said \$250,000 is involved in the case.

Squandered A Fortune.

Elmira, Jan. 11.—After having squandered the fortune left him by his father, Jackson Richardson, some years ago, Frederick Richardson became involved in financial difficulties which led on January 1st, 1907, to his personal bankruptcy and that of the shoe manufacturing firm of J. Richardson & Co., of which he was president. The liabilities were \$385,000, with assets not more than \$100,000.

The bankruptcy proceedings brought out the fact that Richardson obtained accommodation at banks on the representation that his affairs were in first-class condition.

The government of Austria makes special inducements to farmers who will reclaim waste lands and make use of them.

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