

"Never Let the Old Flag Fall"

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The finale of the mid-winter carnival and bazaar, held in the interests of recruiting men for the 146th Battalion, took place in the Armouries on Saturday evening, when one of the best free entertainments ever held in Kingston was brought to a close after the twelfth performance. It was the last night and hundreds of people who were not able to be present at other times made the effort and went away feeling that they had missed a great deal by not coming earlier in the week. If all had come however it is doubtful if there would have been room for them in the spacious Armouries. It is estimated that there were between 12,000 and 15,000 people at the Armouries last week, which shows the interest that is taken by civilians in military work and that the civilian population of the city and district are enthusiastic in their desire to do everything possible for the 146th Battalion in bringing that unit up to strength and making it one of the best in the Canadian Expeditionary force. The carnival was held to stimulate recruiting and Lieut.-Col. Charles A. Low is more than satisfied. The thousands who attended went away and to their circle of friends will now give the impression that the 146th Battalion is a fine organization to belong to. Between numbers from the R.C.H.A. band, Lieut.-Col. C. A. Low on Saturday was called to the platform and with Mrs. Low distributed the prizes to the successful contestants for the week's events. Before giving the prizes Col. Low expressed the deepest appreciation of the spirit that had made the carnival such a success. The contestants had been brought about only because those taking part had shown the proper spirit. He was particularly pleased with the good fellowship feeling that had ex-

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isted throughout the long and varied programme. He wished to thank in particular the team from the 59th Battalion that had come up from Brockville, that from the 169th Battalion team from Lindsay, from the 14th Regiment, from No. 5 Stationary Hospital (Queen's) and the men of the 146th Battalion. There had been no thought of money making and all that he wished for was to create a spirit that would influence eligible men to wear the uniform of the 146th Battalion. Mrs. Low made the presentations of articles that would be useful to the overseas volunteer.

After the prizes had been distributed, Col. Low presented J. G. Evans, on behalf of the officers and men of the 146th, with a silver wrist watch in recognition of his work in connection with the carnival.

Two men in particular were active in the work of making the carnival such a success. They are C. V. Farmer, Militia, V. M. C. A. secretary for the garrison, and Capt. The Rev. G. I. Campbell, Queen street church. These gentlemen deserve a great deal of credit for the energy that they expended. To Lieut. A. Light, bandmaster of the R.C.H.A., and Lieut.-Col. G. Roy, then 146th Battalion owe a deep gratitude. Every one of the officers, N.C.O.'s and men of the 146th Battalion deserves credit.

The programme of music for the big closing of the carnival on Saturday night was as follows: "The Allies Parade," "Light Cavalry," "Huetamo," "Episode of a Soldier's Life," "The Boys of Tipperary," "Two-bell Pieces," "The selections of the national anthems of the Allies."

The results in the afternoon events were as follows:

Three-legged race—1, Corp Evans, Queen's Stationary Hospital, and Pte. Fleet, Queen's; 2, Staff Sgt Carey and Corp. Wilson, Queen's. 75 yards dash—1, Staff Sgt Carey; 2 Pte. D. Currie, 169th Battalion.

200 yards dash—1, Staff Sgt Carey; Queen's; 2, Corp. Wilson, Queen's.

Boys' race, 220 yards—1, Clifford Amey; 2, V. McCullough; 3, W. Clarke.

The evening results were:

Boxing—1st, Bout, Sergt. Compston, 146th Battalion vs. Sergt. Stockbridge, 14th Regiment, won by Sergt. Stockbridge in the third round, 2nd bout; Pte. Duffy, 14th Regiment vs. Sergt. Smith, 14th Regiment won by Pte. Duffy, 3rd bout; Corp. Blakey, 146th Battalion vs. Corp. Dowell, 146th Battalion, won by Corp. Blakey.

Exhibition—Lieut. Falconer, C.F.A., vs. Corp. Blakey, 146th Battalion.

The Brockville carnival is "on" for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week and Lieut. G. F. Newlands is taking down a tug-of-war team, and a number of other men in the hope that some of the many prizes may be brought back to Kingston.

Capt. G. M. Brawley was in command of the parade of men of the 146th Battalion to St. Mary's Cathedral on Sunday morning.

The detachments of the 146th Battalion for Sharbot Lake, Parham, Plevna, Arden, Plinton, and Verona, left at 10.45 p.m., via C.P.R., for their homes on Monday morning. The men for Tanworth and Sydenham left at 2.30 p.m., via C.N.R.

The following have been taken on the strength of the 146th Battalion: F. J. Daey, T. R. Drew, O. A. Kayes, H. W. Somers, D. Cameron, A. W. Byron, F. C. M. Glass.

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In the World of Sport

Chief Meyers, the New York catcher, has been sold to Brooklyn, with whom he has signed.

Refusing an offer to ride for a prominent New York turfman, J. Sumter, an American jockey, has decided to again try his luck on the Austrian race tracks. He is now on his way to Austria.

Because they lacked pep and experience, Third Baseman Will Johns and Pitcher Frank Davis were released by the Chicago White Sox to the Columbus American association.

Queen's Journal: Great hockey discussions have been taking place around College the last few days concerning the speed of certain attack-handlers. Talk will not, however, settle such a dispute and a battle royal is being arranged.

Ottawa has entered a formal protest to the N.H.A., against the rough-house tactics of Canadians in the game at Montreal Wednesday. Horace Merrill had a livid scar across his chest as the result of a blow from Progers, while Nighbor was so painfully battered about the ankles, and knees that he could hardly walk. Darragh's nose was bruised and swollen from Lalonde's blow, and Staveau and Shore show traces of their experiences. The officials are blamed.

J. B. Joel, one of the leading English owners of racehorses, was formerly interested in hackneys, but traded his whole stock of that breed for a rare suite of Chippendale furniture owned by a friend who coveted the hackneys.

Chief Bender, former star pitcher of the Philadelphia Athletics, has accepted terms offered by Manager Pat Moran of the Phillies, and will sign a contract in time to go south with the team on its spring training trip. The deal will be ratified by President Baker today. Bender jumped to the Federals and was with Baltimore in that league.

Football was a source of substantially increased revenue this year at Princeton, netting \$53,000 more than all the expenditures according to the report of the Athletic Association. The report shows a total profit of \$15,129.72, a gain of \$5,500 over the revenue of the previous year. Football, baseball and hockey were the only sports to make money. Baseball made \$8,700 and hockey \$138.

"Jim" Corbett met Robert Fitzsimmons the other day. "Hello, Bob," said Jim, "weren't we about as clever as a couple of deaf and dumb emigrants just in from Helsingfors when it came to arranging remunerative matches?"

"A fine pair of hicks," came the reply, "why, if we were paybrokers we would have lent money on a talking machine trade. Since the Willard-Moran match, we made I've stopped reading the fight columns. I haven't the heart."

The eastern outdoor amateur championship skating races were run off here this afternoon on Downing Park lake in a driving snowstorm.

R. T. Logan, Montreal A.A. won the quarter-mile in 43 1/5 seconds. Walter Keuhne and D. M. Baker of the New York A.C. were second and third.

If you were a shortstop and led both major leagues in hitting and were shunted back into the minors, wouldn't it get your goat? That is just what happened to "Bob" Fisher, shortstop of the Chicago Cubs and former Leaf. "Bob" hit .287 in 147 games last season, topping all the guardians of the short field, but has been sent to the Kansas City team of the American Association. Joe Tinker prefers Mike Doolan. Fisher, Mike was a greatelder, but was never a

great hitter. Fisher is a good fielder and a powerful batter.

New York Sun: Before leaving for Cuba John McGraw decided to send Pitcher Herbert back to the Toronto club of the International League. Herbert is a right-hander. He pitched two fine games for the Giants toward the fall-end of last season. He won in St. Louis, but lost the last game of the year to the Dodgers on account of poor support. McGraw would have given Herbert a chance this year had it not been for the fact that he was overstocked with players. The track was clear for shunting Herbert to Toronto. Hence the shunt.

Montreal Herald: Jack Marshall has received notice from Mrs. Marshall that, while she is tremendously proud of him, she may have to take action for divorce if he continues risking his life in the reckless manner he is now constantly doing, as she might just as well get accustomed to a separation now than he all brought home dead. Jack, as is well known, is one of the most reckless of hockey players, and yesterday he risked his life stopping a runaway horse which was going amuck on East Notre Dame street, to the great danger of the hundreds of factory workers who were just on their way home.

Nap Lajoie will be back on the Athletics' middle sack this season. Connie Mack made this statement when asked concerning reports that Malone will play second base.

"Lajoie isn't all in yet," said Mack. "He played fine ball for me last year."

The Athletics' manager went on to point out that though Lajoie has been playing major league ball since 1896, he batted .280 and fielded .962 in 110 games last year.

Eddie Collins and Del Pratt were the only regular second basemen who out-batted him.

Ottawa Hockey Club's protest over the game which they lost to the Canadians in overtime on Wednesday will not be entertained by President Quinn of the N.H.A. The Ottawa club notified the N.H.A., executive chief by wire. The protest was following by mail, but Mr. Quinn stated that he had replied to the Ottawa club that their kick would not be entertained, for, according to the rules, a protest must be in within twenty-four hours after the game is played.

The Boston Braves concluded the most gigantic deal of the National League meeting when George Stallings landed First baseman Edward Konetchy and Pitchers Knetzer and Allen. The price paid for these three players was \$18,000. Konetchy, who starred for the Cardinals several years, but who jumped the Pirates, will fill in the vacancy caused by the retirement of Schmidt. Knetzer and Allen jumped the Brooklyn club. Knetzer is a right-hander and Allen a south-paw. Knetzer won 18 and lost 14 games in the Federal League. Allen won 23 and lost 13 battles. Konetchy batted .310 with outlaws, driving out more extra base hits than the renowned Benny Kauff, 31 doubles, 18 triples, and 10 homers. Stallings was enthusiastic over the purchase. "This assures me," said he, "the strongest club with which I ever started a major league race."

At a military meet recently held at Salonika, Greece, an Australian pony with 1,433 pounds up ran a mile in .40. That is some travelling, and it would be measured correctly, and it would be very interesting to see just what time that pony would be able to make here in this country on a perfect racing course, with, say, about 110 pounds up. The Salonika time broke the record made by York at Johannesburg, South Africa, in 1914, York on that occasion travell-

ed the mile in 1.41 with 136 pounds up.

An amendment to the rules governing selling races will go into effect at the tracks next season. It was adopted by the New York Jockey Club and is intended to stop the abuses resulting from bidding up horses in selling races, something said to be frequently done by trainers. It is also intended to end the practice of putting up in cheap selling races horses that are valued a great deal more than the amount which they are entered.

The rule as amended provides that every horse running in a selling race shall, if he is a winner, be liable to be claimed for the selling price by the owner of any other horse, but if it is a condition of the race that the winner shall be sold at auction the sale shall take place immediately after the race. The surplus over the selling price is to be equally divided among all starters in the race.

A New York despatch says: The Willard-Moran arrangements ambled along to-day while Tom Jones, manager of Jess Willard, poked his head through the frame of public attention to kick on the price of ring-side seats.

Jones wanted to actually buy seats from Tex Rickard, the promoter, but "Zeppelined" immediately when Tex told him they'd cost about \$50 a chair.

Vowing to call off the match if Tex charged more than \$25 to see the fight, Jones gradually came to earth when the Westerner said he wasn't sure of his rates as yet. However, Rickard made it plain he was running the show.

Jones made a light of reports from Chicago, saying Willard was sick with a cold. The ailment, Jones said, is not serious.

New York fans were growing anxious to-day for a peek at the heavy-weight monarch. Disquieting reports of Willard's physical condition had a tendency to dampen the first enthusiasm for the bout. If Willard were out of condition and fat, as reported, it was pointed out he would likely postpone his arrival here as long as possible.

Frank Moran is at Saratoga to-day training, boxing, and splitting wood to keep in trim.

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